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Special Notices.

THE BAND OF HOPE.
Will hold their Spring festival at Reform Hall on Monday, June 1st, at 3:30 p. m. The entertainment will consist mostly of music and recitations. Master Leonell Festinger has been engaged to give some of his fine recitations. Admission 10 cts. Our call for patronage has resulted in a donation of $5, but as our municipality is poverty stricken, kindly ask your friends for further contributions to enable us to give one to each member of the band. Admission 10 cents.

FINE LIME
For disinfectant purposes at Gaylord's Lumber yard, 8s per barrel delivered to any part of the city. 1-6

A SEVEN ROOM HOUSE in complete order. Lot 50x125 feet, with a good barn; excellent location; seven minutes from depot. For sale at a bargain on easy terms. Inquire of Broker, 12 Dunc street. 1-30tf

MRS. ANNA UTZINGER, MIDWIFE, Germantown, Germany. Residence Corner Union St. and Green Brook Road in the house of Mr. Bartlet. 5-27-3p

SUMMER BOARDERS
Can have first-class accommodations at Rock-View, Glenarm ave., Evans, Home comforts, mountain air, ample rambles, 40 acres. Tennis, archery and croquet. Music. Delightful shade. Convenient to school. Select, and terms moderate. Box 108. 20-3p

THE REFORM CLUB HALL
with seating capacity for eight hundred, with accurate qualities and heated by steam, offers special inducements to parties wishing to hire a hall for lectures or exhibitions.

Cent-a-word Corner

UNFURNISHED HOUSE WANTED—For the season; with 3 or 4 bed carriage preferred. Address Box 427, P. O.

ROOMS TO LET cor. Park avenue and Fourth street. ALICE NAIL. 5-29-tf

TO LET—Two very desirable rooms No. 56 East Front street, next door to Dr. South's. 1-6

A GOOD BOY, 15, wants a situation, willing and industrious. Good city references. Address A. B. care Evening News. 1-6

LOST—Four cent stamps ago, a boy's bicycle painted blue. A suitable reward given if returned at F. F. Rath's, Front street, Scotch Mound.

DESIRABLE ROOMS with superior board can be obtained with a private family. House slightly located. Address, Spring, care Evening News. 5-29-tf

FURNISHED HOUSE on Third floor to let at Grant's corner of Somerset and Front; 25 cts a Crap A. Marsh. 5-28-tf

FOR SALE—Phaeton and harness in perfect order; good as new. Reason for owner having no further use for them. Address box 648 city. 28-3

HOUSE TO LET—Six rooms. The house will be out lots at west corner of Park ave ue and Seventh street. Apply to J. U. Fraley, on opposite corner. 4-15-tf

A NEW 4 octave grand piano for sale at A. Carey's, 45 West Front street. Will be sold very low. 5-26-tf

HAYWORK to let by the month for horses or cattle, at Rock Ledge. Address A.L. Jamieson at Brick yard. Netherwood. 25-3

LAWN MOWERS Repaired at Schenck's shop. 5-29

TO LET—Desirable houses unfurnished or furnished. Investment bargains for sale. Apply to E. A. Mulford, Real Estate Broker, 35 and 37 Opposite depot, Plainfield. 19-tf

Professional Cards.

GEO. G. EARL and JACKSON JAQUES
Civil Engineers and Surveyors. Having purchased all the records of A. A. Unsworth, successor to J. K. and F. A. Bunnell, embracing the past twelve years of surveying, with the records of over 2000 pieces of property in Plainfield, we are prepared to do work in our line with greatness, facility and dispatch. 5 West Front St., Stillman Music Hall. P. O. Lock Box 1. 2-7-tf

CRAYON PORTRAITS
Of Miss Louisa Moss, Crayon Artist. Specimen's at Read's, 24 West Front, where orders will be received. 2-6-tf

WILLIAM B. MANSON,
Counsellor-at-Law, will buy and sell real estate and mortgages, loan money, rent and take charge of property. Special attention paid to business without extra charge.

DR. A. W. ANDERSON,
Dentist, 5 West Front. Front. Office hours 9 to 12 a. m. 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. 8-30-6m

JACKSON & CODINGTON,
Counsellors-at-Law, Commissioners of Deeds, Masters-in-Chancery, Notaries Public. Offices corner of Park avenue and Second street.

DR. T. S. HAYS,
Homœopathic Physician,
Office 51 Broadway, near 5th st., Plainfield, N. J.
Office hours—7 to 9 a. m. 12 to 1 p. m. 6 to 8 p. m.

CRAIG A. MARSH,
Counsellor-at-Law, Supreme Court Commissioner, Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public. Office corner Front and Somerset streets.

SUYDAM & STILLMAN
Counsellors at Law, Stillman's Block, Rooms 2 and 3, Plainfield, N. J.
SAMUEL R. SUYDAM. WILLIAM M. STILLMAN.

F. A. DUNHAM.
No. 7 Park avenue, Coward's Building.
Civil Engineer and Surveyor. Having had twelve years experience in city surveying in Plainfield he is prepared to do anything in his line with accuracy and despatch. 9-26-1y

DR. E. W. HEDGES,
Physician and Surgeon, 77 West Front street, corner Central avenue, Plainfield, N. J. Office hours, till 9 a. m., 1 to 2 and 6 to 8 p. m. 8-30-1y

PIANO LESSONS—MISS NETTIE MATTISON will receive pupils for instruction on the piano either at her own or at the pupil's residence. Refers to Mr. S. V. Woodruff, Proprietor of Hotel Netherwood, and to others. P. O. Box, 1581.

WILLIAM H. CLUM, ARCHITECT,
Rooms 1 and 2, over Front street, Coward's Building, Plainfield.

DR. C. H. CLARK, DENTIST,
Has located on West Front Street, opposite the Post Office. Office hours, 8 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m., Plainfield, N. J.

DR. ROBT. W. ANDERSON, DENTIST,
25 East Front street, over Collins's Hardware Store, (formerly at 224 East Second street.) Gas administered. Office hours from 9 till 6. 11-11-1y

DR. CHAS. R. THIERS, DENTIST,
28 West Front street. Cocaine used as a local anæsthetic. Gold filling a specialty.

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Room 29 Stillman Block. Pupils in oil, water colors or crayons.

GODFREY GESSELL, CRAYON ARTIST,
(Formerly with Kurtz, New York) Studio, over post office, entrance, No. 11 East Front street. Children's portraits a specialty. Lessons given by an easy method. 2-26-1y

J. L. ANDERSON, Stock Broker,
74 Broadway, New York.
P. O. Box 2512. Telephone call 263 New—
10 share lots a specialty.

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MRS. BROOKE'S,

Formerly with Madame Rutena, of London, England.

66 EAST FRONT STREET.

The price of THE NEWS delivered by carrier, is ten cents a week. Collections are made every two weeks by a regular collector.

JOB PRINTING OF ALL KINDS.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelles' drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

	1885.	1884.
6 a. m.	59	6 a. m. 51
9 a. m.	66	9 a. m. 70
12 m	74	12 m. 62
3 p.m.	80	p. m 77

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

	1885	1884
Sunrise	4 34 a.m.	Sunrise 4.30 a.m.
Sun Sets	7 25 p.m.	Sun Sets 7 25 p.m.
Moon Rises	10, 14 p.m.	Moon Rises p.m.

Chronological Events.

Kentucky a State, 1792.—General Sumter died 1832.—General Shields died 1878.

Signal Office Prediction.

Slightly warmer, fair weather.

For Tuesday—Fair weather is indicated for the districts bordering on the Atlantic.

JOTTINGS.

—Read Gaylord's special notice about 7lis infectant lime.

—A son of Joachin Staats, of Somerville, had his arm broken recently by being kicked by a horse.

—The last sociable of the season was given by the ladies of the Congregational Church in the church parlors on Friday evening.

—The Somerset County Board of Examiners will meet Saturday, June 6, to examine applicants for teachers' certificates.

—There is a project on foot to establish a telephone line in Somerville and Raritan to connect with Bound Brook, Dunellen, Plainfield and New York.

—The second Sunday in June has been appointed Children's Day by the Congregationalists. The church in this city will appropriately observe it.

—The monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock in the auditorium of Reform Hall.

—The regular meeting of the Common Council for June will be h ld this evening in the new Council Chamber in the Ryder building on West Front st. eet.

—The mud which has been accumulating on the business portion of Park avenue, is being removed to-day by a force of men under the direction of the Street Commissioner.

—Warren engine was shipped on Friday afternoon to the Amoskeag works for repairs. It is expected that the engine will be returned in first class order by the end of the month.

—The notice travelling the rounds that Mabee and English received only 40 signatures to the pledge at Bordentown is a mistake. The local paper states that between 200 and 300 had signed.

—Dunnellen and New Market are overrun by insurance agents, anxious to secure the re-insurance of property that were formerly insured by the two Plainfield companies which are winding up their business.

—The P. & R. R. Co. have just issued a handsome pamphlet, with a map, showing Summer excursion routes for 1885. The pamphlet contains about 100 pages, and is a handy thing to have. It may be had by application of Ticket Agent Nelson or his assistant, at the depot.

—The 30th of May is said to have been selected as Decoration Day because it was the date of the discharge-paper of the last Union soldier, at the close of the war. April 13th is observed in the South to bestow the graves of the dead confederate soldiers. The day in the South is designated "Memorial Day."

—Report has it that the company to introduce the electric light has secured 40 subscribers, and propose to start forthwith. They had intended starting had they secured but 30. The system is the same as was exhibited on Park avenue and Front street for several evenings recently. It is known as the Thomson-Houston system.

—Nearly all of the 100 weavers of the Bound Brook Woollen Mills were locked out two weeks ago on a strike against a reduction in wages have returned to work, accepting the reduced price. During the past two years the wages of the weavers have been gradually cut down from eight to six cents a yard, and it was against the taking off of the last quarter of a cent that the strike was made.

—In a quartet between two men playing pool in Connesly's saloon on Park avenue, Friday evening, during the absence of the proprietor, one of the men threw a glass at the other, who stood a pitcher and threw it at his assailant, hitting him in the head, then glancing off struck it and smashed a $100 French mirror. Mr. Connesly says that he has been in business for ten years, and that this is the first row that has ever occurred in his place, and that this would not have occurred, had he not been absent.

The Shooting Match.

The rainy weather interfered greatly with the shooting match for silver goblets at Campbell's Club House on Park avenue on saturday afternoon. There was a large attendance, and the shooting began at half past two o'clock in the rain. But one match was shot with the following result:

W. L. Force	10000	11101—7
Wm. Terry	11000	01111—6
S. G. Smith	10000	11101—4
D. Terry	11011	01111—7
N. Apgar	11011	11111—8
H. Chapman	01110	10101—5
H. Campbell	11111	10101—8
W. Watson	00100	01101—3
Lewis	00000	01010—2
Price	00000	00000—0

The tie between Campbell and Apgar will be shot off next Saturday afternoon, when the other goblet will be shot for at clay pigeons.

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES.

Decorating Soldiers' Graves.—Exercises at the Cemetaph.

Memorial Day dawned with leaden skies, and carried sorrow to many hearts who longed for the bright sunshine to add its glories to the Day of the Dead. Occasional showers during the day only increased the general discontent. Early in the morning details from Winfield Scott Post, G. A. R., visited the various cemeteries in this city, North Plainfield and Scotch Plains, and decorated the graves of their dead comrades with flowers.

In the afternoon public exercises were held in Reform Hall, where a comotaph had been erected. The hall was comfortably filled by members of the Post and their friends. In the center of the room near the stage was the cemotaph, around which were placed two rows of chairs which were occupied by the Post.

Above the platform was draped a flag and on either side where stacks of arms, while in the center was placed the carronade, which was captured by Admiral Farragut from a blockade runner in Mobile Bay and which has been presented to Winfield Scott Post in trust by his son Loyal Farragut, of East Front street. On the muzzle was a snow white dove with outstretched wings, emblematic of the peace which now prevades the land.

The exercises were under the charge of Acting Commander William Addis, Commander L. V. F. Rondolph being absent. The other officers were Dr. H. H. Jarvis, Acting Senior Vice-Commander; George W. Moore, Junior Vice-Commander; Dr. Mattison, Chaplain; Edward C. Morse, Officer of the Day; Robert Walker, Officer of the Guard; William E. Apaugh, Adjutant. The following was the program followed:

Wrecker's Daughter.....Drum Corps
God Save Our Union.....Choir
Prayer.....Rev. Rodges as "Regan," and Mr. H. Martin, as the "Prophet" were the same as heretofore, but somewhat differently and by no means as pleasingly costumed. Indeed Dr. Hedges costume was simply outlandish and looked as if it had been pulled a year too soon. The doctor felt very much embarrassed, but good-naturedly faced the music to help the society through.

Butler, the druggist, was facetiously pointed out as Butler the Persian.

The chorus of Jewesses, included Miss Addie Lewis and Miss Sharps and several others previously took part.

There were several hitches in dropping the curtain, which failing to make the connection because the "dropper" was evidently too much absorbed in admiring the performance, made things at times a trifle ludicrous, the more so as some of the chorus, lagged a note or so behind, but managed "to get in at the death."

Generally speaking, the Plainfield Amateur Musical Association under the leadership of Rev. Mr. Lowrie promises well.

The Mauch Chunk Excursion.

The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, Decoration Day, gave the first excursion of the season, to Mauch Chunk, Glen Onoko, and the switchback. At the various stations along the road, pleasure-seekers were taken aboard and the excursion, which left Plainfield at 9:15, consisted of nine coaches. The threatening weather, of seven well filled coaches. The train stopped only at Bound Brook, Somerville, Phillipsburg and Easton, arriving at Mauch Chunk about 12:30. The scenery along the route consisted of fine orchards and trim farms, large wheat fields, and fine rolling ground, and an occasional village in the background.

Mauch Chunk stages were availed of for the Switchback car. After going up the plane of Mount Pisgah, which is 1,800 feet above the sea, the car continued down the other side in a series of curves, reaching at last the Mount Jefferson Plane, the mountain being 1,065 feet high. The car from the mountain top descends by mere gravitation to Summit Hill, where passengers alight and go a short distance aside to observe the Burning Mines. Smoke arising here and there from the ground in occasional whiffs is pointed out as from the mine, which is said to have been burning for the past 34 years, notwithstanding efforts on an extensive scale to extinguish the combustion.

There is a small mine in the vicinity, to which many of the party by paying ten cents were permitted to descend and to see some of the secrets of underground life. Returning to the station, and having lunch, the excursionists boarded the cars, and were carried down the incline at great speed to the starting point, where by taking a short ride on the stage to the railroad they gained the train for Glen Onoko, to reach which, by train, occupied but a few minutes. At the picturesque Glen Onoko are all the wonderful waterfalls, caves, rocks, quaint steps and "Monarchs of the Forest." The scenery is regarded as the most beautiful to be found anywhere on the face of the earth. There seems no end to grandeur. A railroad mine, where for ten cents one can see the wonderful miniature mining machinery in its operation. There are plenty of amusements and games, and pleasure-seeking parties enjoyed themselves at the stages, ice-cream and money-grabbing. One fellow developed contrivance a number of the excursionists strove to run and not fall off, in which very few succeeded. The train started for home, leaving the Glen at 5:15, and Mauch Chunk at 6:30, reaching this city about 8:40 in the evening.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad also had an excursion which filled eight cars. The Glen belongs to this company to which the New Jersey Central pay a tax of 5 cents per passenger.

Death of Mrs. Huff.

Mrs. Daniel Huff, whose death is announced elsewhere, leaves to survive her, her husband, three sons and a daughter. The sons are Daniel, who is married and a builder at Fargo, Dakota. Two of the other sons are residents of this city, as is also the daughter. The cause of death was a cancer in the breast, which first appeared nearly two years ago.

—William Washington was fined five dollars for disorderly conduct by Mayor Fellow this morning.

In the special alderm nic election held in the Second Ward, of Newark, recently, John Strahlen, Democrat, was elected over Isaac Ransdale, Republican, by 226 majority.

"QUEEN ESTHER" THE THIRD.

The Plainfield Amateur Musical Association Debut.

The third presentation of the cantata of "Queen Esther" was given at Stillman Music Hall Saturday evening before an audience, large considering that the same cantata has been given twice before within a few months.

The performance as a whole was an improvement over previous representations, this being largely due to greater familiarity with it on the part of the performers, who with two or three notable exceptions were the same as those who appeared on the former occasions.

The audience gave the performers generous applause, at some of the most excellent renderings. Miss Janet Smedley of Elizabeth, made an acceptable Queen Esther, although manifesting somewhat of stage fright. Mr. T. R. Brown was better in voice and costume as "King Ahasuerus" than he was on previous occasions. Dr. A. A. W. Anderson, was the same old "Haman" and the victim of several embarrassing blunders on the part of the attendants whose business was fix to him, after the latter had ordered Haman be specially honored or fixed with a robe and crown. The attendants fixed him with a vengeance, getting the robe on inside out and the crown on back end front. Miss Annette D. Washburn of Elizabeth endeavored to fill the role of "Zarah," which Miss Jessie Smith has on previous occasions made so admirable. Miss Washburn did well, considering the difficulty under which she was placed, and fully satisfied such of the audience as had not witnessed Miss Smith in the same part. Elmer Bunyan as Mordecai, was the same as before. Miss Carrie Ketcham personated Mordecai's sister, a character previously assumed by Mrs. Dr. Utter, and Mr. A. L. Titsworth, as the "High Priest," Dr. A. W. Hedges as "Regan," and Mr. H. Martin, as the "Prophet" were the same as heretofore, but somewhat differently and by no means as pleasingly costumed. Indeed Dr. Hedges costume was simply outlandish and looked as if it had been pulled a year too soon. The doctor felt very much embarrassed, but good-naturedly faced the music to help the society through.

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REV. DR. LEWIS' SERMON ON FLOWERS.

How They Resemble Character.

At the Seventh-Day Baptist Church the pulpit was half hidden in flowers, and Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis the pastor, preached a sermon to children. He drew three sets of lessons from the flowers.

1. The white flowers teach purity and truthfulness. Nearly all the early Spring flowers in this latitude are white, as if God meant to teach us purity first of all. To like the white flowers boys and girls must avoid bad books and stories, bad company bad thoughts. Bad books are lying books and teach us to be untruthful. Read no book which you cannot show your mother and talk with her about. Bad books and company are like frost which discolor the the white petals. Bad thoughts are worst of all. They are like worms, away down out of sight at the root of the tree. They eat out the heart, until a blow of temptation strikes the trunk and down it goes. Dr. Lewis illustrated these three lessons by three glasses of colorless fluid. Into the glass of bad books a white flower was dipped and came out very slightly discolored, passed to the glass of bad company and came out very much discolored, passed to the glass of bad thoughts and came out of a dingy orange color, and finally issued from the last quite withered, leaving the liquid black as jet.

The red flowers teach earnestness and faithfulness. They have been steadily at work since the very last Winter, in the hot house, gathering all the red out of the sunlight and although discouraged in the dreary rainy Winter days, sticking to it. Never give up because a thing is difficult. Red flowers are like some choruses which swell and rise, and fill the air, and carry everything before them. You are to be faithful to every part of every trust.

The yellow flowers teach us to be always kind-hearted and helpful. No kind heart ever makes derision of anybody or anything. Look out for the golden-rod in the fall.

The golden-hearted girls and boys are always on hand to help somebody. There is no satisfaction so deep and sweet as that which comes from healing some wound, drying some eye, or giving some one strength and inspiration.

The services of the Sabbath School in the afternoon were of a general character. A program of readings and Scripture quotation, prepared by the superintendent, Mr. D. E. Titsworth, was in harmony with the lessons of the morning.

The floral decorations were elaborate, every family in the school being represented in them.

Social and Picnic.

The private history class, of which Miss E. E. Niles is the President, held their last sociable Thursday evening, at the residence of Mrs. J. Gilbert on Prospect avenue. A very enjoyable time was passed by all present. Among the number were Miss Ella Observin, Miss Bell Day, Miss Clark, Miss Bird, Miss Sutphen, Miss Spicer, Miss Hornby, and Messrs. Hubbard, Baynes, Newman, Peck, Collins, Horn and Hoagland. The class look forward with pleasure to their reorganization in the Fall.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather the prospected Chimney Rock trip of the class, accompanied by the Persimmon Club was substituted by a short run out to the country house of a veteran civil war captain, on the outskirts of Nether-wood. On arriving, the thirty odd young people, under the Presidential leadership of Miss Niles, engaged in all sorts of diversions, conspicuous among them being a miniature every day dress parade. A delicious lunch was served at six o'clock and was followed by singing, dancing and other gentilities. The return stage left Netherwood several hours later, and each one was safe "within the rail" between nine and ten o'clock. A special vote of thanks to Miss Niles, leading spirit of both bodies, was moved and unanimously carried by all the ladies and gentlemen.

The Mayor's First Marriage.

About a month ago Mayor Rockfellow received a letter from a gentleman out of town asking if he would perform a marriage ceremony for him. The Mayor promptly responded in the affirmative, and expected to hear nothing more from it. On Tuesday he received another note from the gentleman saying that he would be here on Saturday and would expect His Honor to perform the ceremony. The mayor kept the matter very quiet. He had procured a number of license blanks, and let them know when he officiated at his first marriage. About two o'clock on Saturday they were surprised to receive a telephone message from him saying telling them that he was going to marry the first couple in about four minutes and telling them where.

Promptly on time Mrs. Elizabeth Clayton, of Brooklyn and Smith W. Laing of Red Bank, stood up before His Honor and without any ado answered in clear tones to the customary questions and heard the words making them one. There were about half a dozen present at the ceremony.

Mayor Rockfellow is receiving numerous congratulations on his very successful first appearance as a tier of the nuptial knot.

The Bicycle Club's Run.

Fourteen members of the Plainfield Bicycle Club boarded the cars at the depot on Saturday morning at eight o'clock. They took with them their machines, and left the cars at Elizabeth. From there they rode to Newark, Bloomfield, Rosevill, Irvington, Orange and Fine Brook, where they took dinner. Fine Brook, in the language of one of the club, contains the prettiest girls in New Jersey. The party returned to the cars at Elizabeth, and reached this city at 6:30 p. m. They had Harold Harris, a boy of ten years old, as the one who climbed the most hills. On counting up at the finish, it was found that Harris had climbed 41 hills, and walked all the hills. They were Dr. Cooley, Mr. G. Hall, Mr. R. Hall, Mr. Hoagland, Mr. Ayres, Mr. Hubbard, Mr. Harris and Mr. Hall. The club will probably take a few short runs during the present month, and on the Fourth of July expect to go to Asbury Park.

Services Yesterday.

The Rev. A. H. Tuttle, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, preached in the morning on the sin of covetousness, and in the evening on Jonah.

The Rev. C. L. Goodrich, of the Congregational Church, gave a discourse in the morning on Christ walking on the waters.

The last Sunday in each month is observed by the White Ribbon Army of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School as their special day. Yesterday being the last Sunday in May the white ribbon fluttered conspicuously among the attendants at the Methodist Sunday School in the afternoon. After a few remarks by Rev. Robert Lewis, of Brooklyn, Rev. Dr. Hurlbut gave an illustrated address to the children. A spider's web was drawn on the blackboard, and was repre-ented as the snare for the innocent and unwary. Mr. Willis, the Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., made remarks on temperance, and the session altogether was made one of unusual interest.

The four o'clock meeting in Reform Hall under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was presided over by the Rev. Mr. Cleaver, in the absence of the regular leader, Seely Eisell. The subject of the meeting was "What Is It to Be a Christian?" Speeches were made by a large number. The singing was led by Marvin M. Dunham and his Choristers.

The R-form Club meeting in the evening was presided over by President French. Freshdiver Vanderbeck led the singing, and Mrs. James Cope played the organ. Prof. R. S. Holmes, Registrar of Chautauqua University, was the first speaker. He gave some interesting statistics, among other things, regarding the liquor traffic. Ex-Mayor William B. Maxson followed, and in a neat speech presented a bouquet of flowers on behalf of a lady friend to President French. After which he gave one of his unsurpassed temperance speeches. President French closed the meeting by thanking the donor for the flowers, and calling for signers to the pledge.

At the Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. M. B. Thompson preached from John 15: 5-6. The subject was presented under its four heads—The Vine; The Branches; The Fruit; The Pruning. In the opening remarks the speaker said this discourse of the Saviour's was, he could state from his study per room where they partook of the last supper, and may have been suggested by a view of the vines from the open window, or from some Old Testament passage of Scripture regarding the vine, or from the cup containing the fruit of the vine, of which they had just partaken. In speaking of the vine, he said like other similar passages, as "I am the Bread of Life," "The Water of Life," "The Delight of the World," Jesus meant to convey the thought that these things supplying the needs of man were but symbols of Him supplying the spiritual life, and as the branch could do nothing without the vine, so without him the true Christian could do nothing. The natural vine will not endure, but the spiritual will endure when all else fails. Of the branches those taken away were only those who profess but do not possess the life, and the fruit that would truly come from their branches must be removed. There is much pruning needed in churches and in our lives. Next Sunday, Rev. H. H. Stedman, of Troy, formerly associated with Dr. Judson in New York, is to preach at this church.

Unjust to the Loyal Ladies' League.

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—In your issue of May 29, the following preamble occurs in a communication signed by G. W. Moore:

"Whereas considerable contention and strife exists and has existed in this post for the past few months, and whereas in the estimation of a majority of the post said contention and strife has been caused and fostered by the Loyal Ladies' League, auxiliary to this post."

I was a member of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., at the time of the passing of the preamble and was conversant with the whole matter, and I deny that any contention and strife existed at that time which was caused by the Loyal Ladies' League or for which they were in any way responsible.

JAMES H. HOUSE.

At Trenton the work of substituting the "piece" price for the contract system of labor in the State Prison is being pushed vigorously. One of the old contractors will expire next month and that will end the old system. Over 700 are to be employed, and as but more than 300 can be employed at any one trade, new shops are being erected to be occupied by the employment of convicts under the new system. This person is the first large reformatory institution in the country that has adopted the "piece" system. In a few days Henry T. Sutphen, a Paterson Republican will succeed a Democrat as superintendent of the Board of Managers, in control of the financial affairs of the prison. He was appointed by the last Legislature under one of the new laws passed depriving the Governor of the appointing power.

Deaths.

HUFF—In this city, May 31st, Rachel, wife of Daniel F. Huff, in her 65th year.
Funeral at her late residence, 60 Park avenue, Wednesday afternoon at half-past two o'clock.

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CLOSES WITH STOCKS SELLING SLOWLY FORECLOSINGS.

A Very Dubious Drop in Pennsylvania, New York Central, St. Paul and Erie Securities — Death of a Noted Member of the Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, June 1.—The week closed upon Wall street with gloomy forebodings. To begin with, it closed on Friday instead of Saturday, and did so with prices greatly depressed. The stock exchange was the only place where there was no Decoration Day, the pressure to sell American securities did not meet any buying orders from New York, and prices experienced, therefore, a very great drop, affecting especially Pennsylvania, New York Central, St. Paul and Erie securities. Of course this will in turn react upon our market, and much lower prices are likely to be recorded at the opening this morning. Subsequent proceedings will depend upon the attitude which Europe may assume in the matter. The extent of support which Deacon White will give to his Lackawanna pet. But even with the most energetic efforts on the part of these two Wall street Athases, it will probably be a difficult task to sustain prices at the present moment.

The official statement of the May business called over on Saturday contained nothing encouraging to holders of stocks. On the contrary, it suggested the idea that the fevered railroad war now raging between the lake lines will have to be prosecuted to the bitter end. A profession of faith of this kind, coming as it did almost simultaneously with a cut of about 50 per cent. in the passenger rate of the Pennsylvania road from New York to Chicago, with the prospects of a big strike in the Reading coal trade, with the bank troubles in Philadelphia, with the big failure in the lumber trade, and finally with the prospect of the breaking up of the Colorado and Utah pool, would only be a signal for the stock market in a very unfavorable way.

At home the effects of these of these unpleasant topics could be, now and then, more palliated; but abroad, coming, as they did, in a heap, they could not but increase the already very strong apprehensions and disgust of foreign holders of our securities. Hence the anxiety shown on Saturday to get rid of them. Apart from that, the peaceful issue of the Anglo-Russian complication seemed to be the event most conducive influence upon most of the English markets. At all events, the cables report a general improvement in business circles in Great Britain, and a perceptible revival in industrial and manufacturing enterprises. In any case, there can be no question that the speculators will look to engineer an advance in American produce and stocks, upon the strength of war prospects, ought to take root in, now that all probabilities of a conflict are over.

One of the weakest features of the stock market is the absence of any large short interest. As it now stands the outside public stays away and keeps its money in its pocket, the bull speculators have nothing to work on except the short interest. All the recent advances have been based upon the idea of an oversold market; but the moment the short interest is closed or considerably ruined, as it is now, all attempts to put prices up reduce themselves to the work of Sisyphus. The higher up hill the stone is pushed, the faster it rolls down again.

The two great railroad securities will probably remain for some time to come the Union Pacific and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western. The skill and power of Gould, combined with the utmost confidence in the probity of Charles Francis Adams, jr., may keep Union Pacific up; but the combined efforts of Vice, Sage & Co. are likely to last much longer. The coal business is in such a condition that if Lackawanna does not go down of its own weight, the other coal companies will pull it down. Neither the condition of these companies nor public feeling can stand any longer the artificially high prices which the coal has been kept for the sake of paying high dividends on watered stocks.

The Chicago market promises to be unusually active. Many of the May deals are anticipated, consequent upon the large receipt of grain from farmers' hands.

The sudden death of Beverly Robinson will be deeply felt, not only in the Stock Exchange, but also among the New York clubmen. Mr. Robinson was one of the most popular men in New York, and an old member of the Union club. Mr. Robinson's death was distressingly sudden, for on the previous day he had shown no signs of indisposition and had made an engagement with Mr. Heckscher to go to the Jerome park races on Saturday. At daybreak of that day his wife got up to turn out the gas burning in an adjoining room, and hearing him breathing heavily, asked if anything was the matter. He replied that he felt an oppressive pain in the chest, and almost immediately his face became purple. He died a few minutes later.

Important to Government Clerks.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Most of the cabinet officers have given notice to the chiefs of bureaus in their respective departments for confidential communications made up of lists of clerks in their service who may be dispensed with, or whose places can be filled by civil service appointments with advantage to the government. These lists no doubt will be ready for use soon after the 1st of July. The mere mention of names, will contain what is known about the clerical fitness, offensive partisanship, habits and habits and manners of each individual mentioned. The purpose evidently is to use this information in making removals from civil service classes in order to open such places to persons under the civil service commissioners. A member of the cabinet is reported as saying that he expects to dismiss one quarter of his force of clerks this summer, and that he would be dismissed who did not deserve it, and that he meant to rely on Republican testimony mainly in making up his mind who should go.

A Youthful Homicide.

CHICAGO, June 1.—The boy who stabbed and killed Hugh Dougherty, one of the three boys who called at Rothrock's store to be Joseph Rothrock, 14 years old, and employed as a telegraph messenger. He says that three boys asked him for tobacco, and that he replied he had none. Dougherty then cried, "Let's search him," and started for him. Rothrock ran, but finding they were gaining ground, drew his knife, opened it, and stood at bay. He warned them to keep away, at the same time flourishing his knife. Dougherty came upon him, and received the blade in his neck. Rothrock was not taken until this morning that he had killed Dougherty, and has been sobbing and crying ever since. His employers give him a very good character.

Burned at Communion.

MONTREAL, June 1.—Marie Pilistrault, while making her first communion in the Church of St. Cunegonde, near here, had her light clothes set on fire by some one dropping a candle. Her whole person was soon in a blaze, and before assistance could be rendered she was fatally burned about the face and body. A panic occurred in the church, both men and women running out shrieking. The girl is expected to die.

SERMONIZING BLOODY TRAIL.

Sis's Confession at the Upper Gila, but Keeper Into the Mountains.

SILVER CITY, N. M., June 1.—Capt. Madden says: Geronimo's band of Apaches on Friday or the head of the settlements on the Upper Gila, and ran them into the mountains, where he expected a fight, but the Indians dreaded him, preferring to get on old friend of Fort Bayard. At Wally's ranch, on Bear Creek, they were seen, and a courier was sent here asking for help. About twenty men left here to protect the ranch. No depredations have been committed on Bear Creek. At 12 o'clock Friday night the citizens' party took up the trail and followed in close pursuit, leaving it four miles from Fort Bayard. Several ranches within eight miles of this place were plundered and destroyed, but no one was hurt. Twenty miles from here, a family of five Mexicans were killed. The three children were brained. Another Mexican was shot at the mouth of the canon in

DECORATION DAY, 1885.

ILLUSTRATIONS OF SOLDIERS' MOZUMENTS IN SEVERAL CITIES.

Good Intentions, but Bad Art—The Blue and the Gray—May 30, Twenty Years Ago—Our Hero Dead.

In the first sad decoration days after the war half the women who laid chaplets upon the soldiers' graves were in mourning. They dropped tears and flowers together upon the low-lying graves which too often covered all their dearest earthly hopes.

It was the saddest day of the year. There was not more than one woman in every ten who had not lost some relative or friend in those terrible years. Fortunate they, too, whose loved one's bones had the poor privilege of resting at home. Hundreds—yes, thousands—there were of whom the word "missing" is all that will be known till the Judgment Day. Years and years their mothers waited for them, hoping still and ever that the missing one was alive; that he had been kept south or away from home in a mysterious way which would all be cleared up yet. They might come in the shadows of evening, unlooked for, or in the morning, suddenly walking up the sunny lane, as of years, in their boyhood. For some of these I know the empty chair beside the hearthstone waits still.

"God knows all their names," the poet says.

But no one else. Where they are in truth, it is voice could come from the great common graves in which their unknown remains rest is could tell. Through Virginia, from the Rappahannock, from where they withered under the deadly chills of the Chickahominy their bones were gathered. Here, beneath this monument at Arlington, Va., is where some of them repose.

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT IN THE NATIONAL CEMETERY AT ARLINGTON.

Go through the beautiful gateway of the cemetery up close to this monument. Read the inscription, and take off your hat while you read:

"BENEATH THIS STONE REPOSE THE BONES

OF TWO THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVEN UNKNOWN SOLDIERS,

GATHERED AFTER THE WAR

from the fields of Bull Run and the route to the Rappahannock. Their remains could not be identified, but their names and deaths are recorded in the archives of their country, and its grateful citizens honor them as of their noble army of martyrs. May they rest in peace!

SEPTEMBER, A. D., 1866."

There is today and many such a monument throughout the country. Hardly a city of any size in the Union, north or south, but has a marble reared to the unknown dead who fell in the civil war. In the next illustration is shown the base of that one in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn.

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT, GREENWOOD CEMETERY.

The four figures grouped about the corners represent the infantry, cavalry, artillery and naval branches of the military service.

The cuts here given are types of these monuments throughout the Union. One suggests to say that they are chiefly monuments to the lack of artistic taste in the American people. In point of fact, many of them are too absolutely hideous for anything. The average American knows a chance to get a dollar when he sees it, heaven be praised! But when it comes to art he hardly knows the Venus of Milo from a broomstick. That congress which imposed a duty of 30 per cent. on all imported works of art deserves to be immortalized along with the little Tory who followed the victorious revolutionary army after the surrender of Cornwallis crying, "Rebel, beef!"

MONUMENT AND FOUNTAIN AT MANCHESTER, N. H., 1870.

The soldiers' monuments throughout the Union were largely paid for by the society of the Grand Army of the Republic. They ordered them, and submitted the designing of them to people who knew more about tombstones than they did, as they supposed. The brave fellows who fought for their country deserved better of her than to be stuck off on her graves in the matter of memorial stones to their dead. As to the dead soldiers themselves they think is unpardonable. They pay only died for their country, but are forced to sleep under monuments that look like exaggerated specimens of broken-down casks around the back door of a stove factory. They died the deaths of brave men and true, but if they could come back and gaze on those stones they would wish they hadn't.

The cockneys were let out to rings and the rings gave them so influential cheap tombstone men, and so the abominations were erected.

A memorial not of the kind mentioned, however, is this from Manchester, N. H. It is far more artistic than many of those from the larger cities, one of the most beautiful in the country, in fact.

It is symmetrical and built of the best material. Probably it will last 300 years or more, longer than the Republic, some direful prophets say.

The last monument we give is one from the other side of Mason and Dixon's line. It is a memorial to the South Carolina soldier dead.

CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS' MONUMENT, CHARLESTON, S. C.

It is from a photograph evidently taken on the Confederate decoration day. Every headstone is marked with its wreath of blossoms, and the melancholy cypress moss is garlanded thickly about the square granite base. There are several cities, both north and south, in which are burying grounds of both Federal and Confederate soldiers. Even stranger prison camps the dead were carried out to sleep in unfamiliar ground. There were other places again occupied alternately by the armies of both sides. Each in turn swelled the sad list of those who never came home from the war. In these mutual burial grounds it is now the gentle custom to deck with flowers the graves of both Union and Confederate dead, as though the war were, was. It is a custom that fosters all kindly feeling. Why should not those yet above the ground be friends, since those beneath it are so at peace?

"Under the roses the blue,
Under the lilies the gray."

The character of the Decoration Day celebration has changed. It is now more of a pageant than a funeral procession. It is well. Thank the blessed hand of Time, the pain of those first few years has softly faded out. Yet to those who remember the mingled joy and sorrow of twenty years ago this May, Decoration Day is still the most sacred day of all the year. When the thin ranks of Grand Army veterans form once more to the old war music and march out, bearing their tattered battle flags before them—Heaven! what memories it arouses. To those who remember the tears will not keep back at sight of the old battle flags, bullet-*ridded, shot away nearly to the bare staff,* stained with the life blood of heroes, some of them.

And it must be that at the old drum and bugle note—fall in!—shadowy forms and invisible, take their places in the ranks on Decoration Day: soundless feet keep time to the beat of the music; unseen hops in line march in step with their old, comrades. An American poet has given utterance to the thought.

And living and dead alike, let them never be forgotten!

To those who remember, time has cast a mysterious glory over those lost ones. They are knights of romance. There are young men to-day, no doubt, manly and true, worthy the love of women. But no boys now are as brave, as handsome and manly, as golden-hearted as those whose graves wear the roses and lilies on Decoration day. Never lovers as strong, as knightly and as tender as they. Honor to keep their memory green, forever and forever!

Another American poet, Will Carleton, at the Arlington National cemetery, Decoration day, 1877, has paid an sweet a tribute to our hero dead as man could write. Here are some of its lines:

Strong men fast asleep,
With coverlets wrought of clay—
Do soft dreams o'er you creep
Of friends who are here to-day?
Do you know how we love you
In the hard and chilly bed,
That we, the slowly-dying,
Are giving a day to the dead?
* * * * * * *
You, whose bright true faces
Are dimmed with clouds of dust,
Who bide in the gloomy places
And cringe in the teeth of rust,
Do you know your fathers are near,
The wrecks of their pride to mend?
Do you know your mothers are here
To throw their hearts at your feet?
* * * * * * *
Do you know the maiden hovers
O'er you on bowded knee,
Dreaming what royal lovers
Such lovers as you would be!
Ruins of youthful graces,
Strong limbs crushed in spring,
Left up your phantom faces
And see the flowers we bring.
* * * * * * *
Sleep well, O sad-browed city!
Whatever may betide;
Rest under a nation's pity,
But 'mid a nation's pride.
The vines that round you clamber,
Brightest shall be and best;
You sleep in the honor chamber,
Each one a royal guest.
* * * * * * *
Columbia o'er will know you
From out her glittering towers,
And kisses of love will throw you
And send you wreaths of flowers.
And o'er in realms of glory
Shine bright your martyr claims,
Angels have heard your story,
And God knows all your names.

ELIZA ARCHARD.

NEW YORK, May 30, 1885.

The fastest steamers on the Atlantic, the Arizona, the Oregon and the Alaska, have either been bought outright by the British government or chartered to be ready for the transportation of troops to Egypt or India, in case of war with Russia. It is likely, moreover, that the owners of these mighty steamers are loath them willing to part with them. It costs so much for coal to run them at full speed that this craft vessels they are not paying expenses. The second-sized is said to be to build smaller ships instead of larger ones.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

Victor Hugo's Funeral.

PARIS, June 1.—Shortly before ten o'clock this morning prominent persons directly connected with the ceremonies of the day in connection with Victor Hugo's funeral began to arrive. Previous to the movement of the procession several speeches were made. These were interrupted at times by voices from the crowd, but the interruptions were few and of a character not calculated to excite the passions of the Anarchists present.

At 11.20 precisely the procession started for the Pantheon. The day is warm, and the sun is shining brilliantly. As the cortege moved the throng fell into line without demonstration.

A Fatal Quarrel in Church.

FORT WORTH, Tex., June 1.—While attending church last night at a settlement eight miles from town, two devout colored women became engaged in a family quarrel within the sacred precincts. Two colored members George Allison and Dick Coffee took up the quarrel in front of the meeting house and began slashing each other with dirk knives. In the midst of the melee, Sam Coffee, the young son of Dick, appeared. Perceiving that his father was being badly used, Sam drew his revolver and shot Allison in the back, killing him instantly. A posse of citizens are now searching for the two Coffees.

Shot by Chicken Thieves.

WAYNESBORO, Pa., June 1.—Daniel Hellinger and his son John were awakened this morning by a noise in the vicinity of their chicken house. Both men went out, the son approaching the chicken house with revolver in hand. The father remaining behind heard four shots in quick succession and pushing up found his son lying dead up on the ground and the thieves in flight. An inquest is now being held on the remains of young Hellenger.

A Railroad Collision.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, June 1.—A collision occurred at midnight, at the crossing of the Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Toledo, and the Ashtabula and Pittsburg railroads, between two freight trains. Both locomotives were badly damaged. No one was injured. The damage is estimated at $5000. The accident was caused by a target tender giving the wrong signal.

Falling from the Fifth Story.

DETROIT, Mich., June 1.—Patrick Shannon, a bricklayer, at work on the fifth story of a new building, made a misstep this morning and fell over the edge of the unfinished wall striking the ground 50 feet below on his head and shoulders. Several ribs and other bones were broken. The unfortunate man was still alive when picked up, but died upon reaching the hospital.

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"While her feet were on the ground
Her hands could touch the sky."

Standing upon the ground, she easily overtopped the lofty six-story houses of Paris and looked away beyond the walls of the city. The fine statue of "Savaria," at Munich, is 60 feet high, but Bartholdi's Liberty could carry Miss Savaria in her arms. Forty persons can find standing room in the head. A six-foot man standing on the level of the lips just reached the eyebrows. While workmen were employed on the crown of her head they seemed to be stoking a huge sugar caldron, and they jumped with ease in and out of the tip of the nose. Fifteen people might sit round the flame of the torch, which elevation can be reached by a spiral staircase within the outstretched arm.

THE PEDESTAL.

Passers by on the boats and steamers have noticed any time in the last year and a half piles of scaffolding, stone and clay and a general upheaval of things on Bedloe's Island. It was the place where the statue was going to be. The work moved a little way and then stopped, and a cry went up for money. Bartholdi didn't propose the pedestal and the foundation to the nation. Those persons think he ought to have done that, too, to make it a present. But he did not. The Yankee nation has to raise a sum of money. How much? Nobody knows. The pedestal committee will tell a tale. The sum has been variously estimated at anything from $100,000 to $500,000. The committee will undoubtedly use as much as they can get.

It is the largest statue our age knows anything about. The Colossus of Rhodes was said to be 90 feet high, and to have taken 12 years in building. But that was nothing to what the Bartholdi statue will be when put in place at the entrance of New York harbor. The full height of the figure will be 151 feet above tide water. The statue itself is 151.2 feet. The pedestal is 91 feet, the foundation 31.8. Thus the United States will have the largest statue and the highest monument in the world. We also have the largest hotel and the nearest straw berries.

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WORKS AT BEDLOE'S ISLAND.

When the statue was presented to the United States the president appointed Gen. Sherman a committee to select the spot where it should stand. He chose Bedloe's island. An old military fortification, Fort Wood, known as the "star fort," stood upon the island, and on its site the pedestal of the Bartholdi statue is building. The pedestal was planned and its construction commenced when the sculptor Bartholdi himself made some suggestions of alteration. The changes were made according. One second illustration gives a view of the work as changed and as it is to be when finished.

The statue was shipped on the French steamer Isere, which arrived here the latter part of May. The committee have prepared an artistic miniature statuette of the goddess, six inches long. It is made of bronze, with the pedestal of nickel-silver. It is for sale at the price of $1. It can be had by sending that amount to Richard Butler, secretary American committee of the Statue of Liberty, No. 33 Mercer street, New York. There is also a statuette, 12 inches high, for $3. The proceeds will go to the pedestal fund. So that those sending the money will both have a copy of the work and have besides the pleasure of helping to put upon her feet the beautiful and majestic statue of "Liberty Enlightening the World."

ELIZA ARCHARD.

"Hugh Conway."

FREDERICK JOHN FARGUS.

NEW YORK, May 30.—The cable brings the melancholy news of the death of this novelist at Monaco in Italy. He was one who, in the words of Macbeth, "should have died hereafter."

Hugh Conway was his pen name. His real name was Frederick John Fargus. He led an obscure and peaceful existence as an auctioneer in Bristol, England, during all his early years. But genius is the gift of all stations in life. It is found where we least expect it. When it is looked for, and waited for, and begged for, it often does not come at all.

Information about the author's early life is meager. None in the literary world ever heard of him until the publication of his novel "Called Back" a few years ago. It was a powerful story, quite out of the usual line, dealing with trance and mesmerism in a way that had not been attempted since Du[illegible]er's "Trilby." Next year it was dramatized and played extensively both in Europe and America. It gave the new author a place and name in the world of letters at once. Mr. Fargus sold his auction business in Bristol on the strength of his new fame, and went to London to embark in literature. He followed "Called Back" by "Dark Days." Another story, called "A Family Affair," is said to be by far the best novel its author has written, and the thrill-ing interest and of more finished literary style than the rest. Hugh Conway was right in giving up auctioneering for literature, if all reports of his early life be true. He was yet young, only entering the forties. But he died in sight of the promised land.

The last few months of his life were spent in travel, mostly in Italy. In March he was in Rome. Probably there he contracted the fatal typhoid fever which took him off. The spring is an unhealthy season of the year in Italy. The portrait above is from what is said to be the only portrait of him in existence. The author is represented as a most peculiar and expressive face. The eyebrows jutting out so prominently formed a striking feature in the world of fiction. The head of the brain shows a strong back head, without which there can be no forces. Those persons think he ought to have done that, too, to make it a present. But he did not. The Yankee nation has to raise a sum of money. How much? Nobody knows. The pedestal committee will tell a tale. The sum has been variously estimated at anything from $100,000 to $500,000. The committee will undoubtedly use as much as they can get.

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F. J. FARGUS.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Bodley drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	57	6 a. m.	51
9 a. m.	62	9 a. m.	60
12 m.	73	12 m.	72
3 p. m.	75	3 p. m.	69

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise	3.20 a. m. | Sunrise	3.20 a. m.
Sun Set	7.25 p. m. | Sun Sets	7.25 p.m.
Moon Rises	10. 14 a.m. | Moon Rises	p.m.

Chronological Events.

James Randolph born 1773. — Garibaldi died 1882

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, slight changes in temperature.

For Wednesday—Fair weather will prevail in the district bordering on the Atlantic, slight changes in temperature.

JOTTINGS.

—Rose Fleming was held in $100 bonds to keep the peace, by Justice Nash, yesterday, on complaint of Nancy Adams.

—Invitations are out for the annual soiree at the Young Ladies' Seminary on West Seventh street. It will take place on Tuesday, June 9.

—The first annual concert of the pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Feininger takes place this evening at Reform Hall. The admission is by invitation.

—The Dime Savings Institution has just declared a dividend of five per cent, making in all ninety per cent of the amount due depositors, which upon this payment will have been paid.

—The first case before Judge Ulrich came up this morning. Mr. Daly's barkeeper, Mr. Kelly, was brought before him on complaint of Chief Dodd for selling liquor on Sunday. Kelly was held in $200 bonds to appear to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

—President John H. French and Ex-Mayor William B. Maxson spoke before the hundred people in the Methodist Church at Dunellen last evening under the auspices of the Reform Club. The Dunham Choristers, to the number of fourteen, and a cornet led the singing.

—On Thursday evening Mme. Alberti, Mrs. S. I. Mitchell, a quartet composed of Messrs. Mitchell, Barnes, Tyler and Runyon and several young ladies who will illustrate emotions by gestures under the direction of Mme. Alberti will appear at an entertainment at the Presbyterian Church in Dunellen.

—This morning about seven o'clock Woolston and Buckle's paint wagon left their store on North avenue with five men and a quantity of paint. In turning around the wagon was cramped too much, and was upset, the paint, men, horse and wagon being mixed up in a promiscuous mass. The result was a slightly damaged wagon, five bruised and painted men, and a red-tailed horse.

Meeting the Board of Education.

The Board of Education held their meeting for June in the assembly room of the Fourth street school at eight o'clock last evening.

Present: President Murray and Messrs. Tyler, Hurlbut, Harper and Wadsworth.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

A report from Collector of Taxes Johnson setting forth the amount of interest collected on back taxes, was read and ordered filed.

A communication from Miss Shreve, one of the teachers, thanking the Board for the kindness shown her during her illness, and stating that she hoped to recover enough during the Summer vacation to be able to return to her duties in the Fall, was read and ordered filed.

A number of bills were presented and ordered paid.

The Clerk Mr. Hurlbut moved that the Principal, Miss Bulkley, be designated Vice Principal, instead of Principal Teacher; motion carried.

On motion the committee's report on teachers was received and ordered filed.

On a resolution passed at a previous meeting of the Board, it was resolved that the deed of the lot on which the new school building is to be erected should be free from all encumbrances. President Murray stated that when a committee of the Board met with the agents for the land they refused to make the transfer until the Board passed a resolution ordering that the new building should face Sixth street. After considerable discussion, Mr. Harper moved that the new building should be erected between Richmond street and Franklin Place be erected so as to face Sixth street; motion carried.

Miss Bulkley's report accompanied by suggestions was received and ordered filed.

The Rev. Mr. Hurlbut moved that the Rev. Mr. Goodrich's name be added to the committee appointed as examiners in botany; so ordered.

It was moved and seconded that when the board adjourn it be until Monday, June 15; carried.

The meeting then adjourned.

Because his sister said that she would be much happier if he were dead, John Hackett, twenty-seven years old, living at 313 Grove street, Jersey City, swallowed the contents of a vial full of laudanum in her presence. The timely application of a stomach pump in the Charity Hospital saved the suicide's life.

Col. E. H. Ropes, of the third regiment, has been designated to the duties of Brigadier General Sewell, during the latter's leave of absence while in Europe.

COUNCIL MEETING.

The New Rooms.—Another Electric Light Petition.—Judge Good Resigns.—John Ulrich Elected to the Vacancy.

The first meeting of the Common Council in the new rooms was held last evening. The rooms are on the third floor of the new Ryder building on West Front street, and were occupied during last autumn as a skating rink by the Oxford Co. The main room devoted to the Council's use is a large one. The Councilmen have a private entrances from the hallway, and there are several entrances to the lobby.

The Councilmen are arranged as before in a semi-circle. The President, however, is put further back and the Clerk glories in a new desk raised on a platform, on either side of which rise gas uprights. These come to a stop just in time to obscure the President from the view of the end men, and are very trying to the eyes. A flaming red carpet covers the floor, and plenty of fresco the walls and ceiling. There is another gas jet behind the President's desk, which makes it all the more difficult to view that gentleman in the face. In the centre of the ceiling is a dome from which hangs a chandelier, having two rows of gas jets. In either corner of the room to the side of the President wooden partitions rise half-way to the ceiling, making a wardrobe of one and a committee room of the other. In the rear of the Council Chamber are two rooms, one of which is designated the city court room, and the other a committee room. They can be turned into use to accommodate the overflow from the Council Chamber, whenever needed, by means of folding doors. In arranging the rooms the public, through their representatives, the press, have been entirely ignored. Instead of being allowed desks near the clerk, or to either side of the President, as is usual in such bodies, two small desks are put in the extreme corners within the railing, where the reporters may beguile the time by counting the number of hairs on the backs of the councilmanic head.

By the position of the desks it is made to appear that the Clerk is the most consequential person in the room.

The meeting was called to order at 8:20. Present: President Coriell and Messrs. Cutter, Beguelin, Gallup, Simpson, Goddard, Marsh, Dumont, Whiton and Wadsworth. Present in the lobby: lawyers and their friends looking after the city judgeship.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved. As the clerk had not prepared the minutes of the last adjourned meeting, they were not read.

A petition was presented from Charles Wann, representing the proposed Plainfield Electric Light Co., asking the privilege to string two wires on the poles of the telephone company between French's mills on Somerset street and the Hotel Netherwood, and in several other places for the purpose of electric lighting; referred to the special committee on the subject with a request to report on the same during the evening.

A petition was presented from J. G. Miller and others to lay a crosswalk on East Front street between the Y. M. C. A. rooms and Barnes' paint store; referred to Street Com.

A communication was presented from Ethan Lanphear asking that New street be opened from Seventh to Eighth streets in accordance with the Stillman map, which had been declared legal by the courts in the suit of the city to obtain possession of the public park.

Mr. Whiton said that this subject had been before several Councils, and it had been decided that the Council had no authority in the matter.

The communication was laid on the table.

The following claims were presented: Charles W. Dodd, $58.34, George W. Grant 50, Patrick Lynch 60, Thomas McCue 50, referred to Follow Com.; F. A. Dunham 20.00 and 10.75, referred to Finance Com.; George M. Angleman 23.90, Peter P. Good 50, Joseph H. Platt 17.38, referred to Salaries Com.; N. Y. and N. J. Globe Gas Light Co. 135.50, Plainfield Gas Co. 221.35, referred to Lamps Com.; W. L. Force and Bro. 59.25, referred to Engineering Com.; P. W. Simpson 75, F. A. Dunham, 72.75, John Wilson 378.65, referred to Street Com.; Plainfield Relief Association 62.75; U. G. Morse 38.50, C. S. Guion 37.93, Mary Cooper 22, M. Conway 30, M. Thompson 9, Holly Tree Inn 4; referred to Alms Com.; Green & Co. 84.75, referred to Special Rooms Com.

The report of City Collector Johnson for the month of May was presented and filed. The report showed that $6069.64 had been collected during the month.

The report of City Treasurer Van Winkle was presented and filed. The report showed a balance in the general fund of $2,594.06.

The report of the Overseer of the Poor for the quarter ending May 1 was presented and filed.

A communication from the Mayor was presented, nominating J. Evarts Tracy, Mason W. Tyler and H. P. Talmage, as Directors of the Public Library for a term of three years beginning July 1; the nominations confirmed.

The resignation of Peter F. Good as City Judge was presented, and laid on the table.

The rules were suspended and Mr. Marsh presented the following petitions: Bernard Rosenberg, H. P. Williams, Joseph Lee? and James Neslin for paddler's licenses and Jones & Co. for a scavenger's license. The petitions were referred to the License Com.

President Coriell called upon the special committee on rooms for a report, and said that if an oration on the new rooms was to be delivered now was the time.

Mr. Marsh, from the committee, said that there was no occasion for an oration. The room spoaks for itself. He requested authority on behalf of the committee to dispose of the old wardrobes which they could not use in the present quarters owing to the inability to get them up the stairs. Request granted.

Mr. Whiton, from Alms Com., reported correct the report of the Overseer of the Poor, which was referred; report filed.

Mr. Wadsworth, from Finance Com., reported correct claims referred; claim referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Goddard, from Lamps Com., reported correct claims referred; claims referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Marsh, from Law Com., reported adversely on the claims of Mr. Mahaffy for return of license fee; claim ordered returned.

Mr. Beguelin, from License Com., reported correct license applications referred; licenses granted with the exception of that of Jones & Co., which was laid on the table pending the passage of the ordinance under which the application was made.

Mr. Wadsworth, from Police Com., reported correct claims referred; claims referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Gallup, from Printing Com., reported correct claim referred; claim referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Dumont, from Street Com., reported correct claims referred; claims referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Goddard, from Special Electric Wires Com., reported that the committee were not prepared to make a definite report, but would report on petition referred earlier in the evening that it was not deemed advisable to grant the permission asked; petition not granted.

Mr. Cutter, from Salaries Com., reported correct claims referred; claims referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Goddard presented a resolution that the Street Com. be authorized to lay a crosswalk at Crescent avenue and Third Place. He said this walk had been authorized by the last Council but never laid. Resolution passed.

Mr. Dumont said there were a number of other like petitions for crosswalks which had been authorized by the last Council, which were not laid at the time on account of the weather. The present committee did not think they had power to lay them unless authorized by the present Council.

The President called on Corporation Counsel Marsh, who was present, for an opinion in the matter.

Mr. Marsh said that if the Council had authorized the walks to be laid then the walk could be done at any time, but if the petitions were referred to the old committee with power then the present committee had nothing to do with the matter.

The number of old petitions for crosswalks were then taken from the table and referred to Street Com. with power.

Mr. Whiton enlightened the Council on one of the petitions. The crosswalk petitioned for had been laid some years ago at the expense of private individuals. Herald, however, the walk was a good one.

Two Councilmen voted no on the laying of the walk, or in other words, on the reimbursing of the citizens.

Mr. Dumont called up for the third reading the ordinance appointing commissioners in the case of macadamizing Crescent avenue; ordinance passed.

The resignation of City Judge Good was taken from the table, and accepted.

Mr. Whiton moved that when the Council adjourn it be to meet next Monday evening; carried.

Mr. Whiton moved to proceed to the election of City Judge; carried.

Mr. Whiton moved to ballot without nominations being made; carried.

The President appointed Messrs. Cutter and Wadsworth tellers.

The first ballot resulted as follows: William R. Codington, 2, George F. Suydam 3, John Ulrich 3, Blank 2.

Another ballot was immediately taken with the following results: Codington 3, Ulrich 6, Suydam 3. Mr. Ulrich was declared elected.

Mr. Simpson, from the Auditing Com., reported correct claims referred; claims ordered paid and warrants ordered drawn for the respective amounts.

The rules were suspended, and Mr. Cutter of Salaries Com., reported correct claims referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Simpson, from Auditing Com., reported correct claims referred; claims ordered paid and warrants ordered drawn for the respective amounts.

The council then adjourned.

Band of Hope Entertainment.

The Band of Hope gave an entertainment at Reform Hall last evening. A number of children went present to listen to the following programme:

Spring Song ..... Abt
Mamie Anderson, Lizzie Whitlock, Alice Coard.
Report, by the Secretary ..... Miss Hudson
Recitation—The Sunbeam and the Echo,
Forrester Harkness.
Address ..... By Mr. Geo. L. Van Emburgh
Piano Trio—La Fille de Regiment ..... Donizetti
Maud Woodruff, Margaret Vervalen, Mabel Coard
Lesson ..... By Mrs. Coard
Recitation—The Lesson of the Jubilee.
Gussie Wilson.
Violin Solo—Scene de ballet ..... Chas. de Beriot
Master Lassell Fielinger.
Recitation—A Little Pilgrim.
Margaret Yates.
Song—Lullaby ..... Mozart
Grace Van Arsdale.
Violin Solo—Homenthal ..... Lange
Master Lassell Fielinger.
Piano Duett—Spaniache Tanze ..... M. Moszkowski
Alice Coard, Mabel Woodruff.

The programme was rendered quite acceptably, and thereafter the company adjourned to the basement parlor for refreshments, which included abundance of ice cream.

Personal.

Mr. A. D. Bolton and wife of La Grande avenue, leave to-day for Atlantic City in search of health.

George Newby, formerly of this city passed Sunday here as the guest of George B. Edwards, of West Second street.

Rev. Dr. William Whitecher, the first minister of Crescent Avenue Church, (then called the Second Presbyterian), is now located at Poughkeepsie. He has been away from Plainfield about twenty years. He has a sister, Mrs. Caroline Dunn, of Scotch Plains, whom he is visiting.

The excursion of the Lehigh Valley Railroad from Flemington to the Delaware river is contemplated.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY.

Too Much Water!

[From a Suffering Baby.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—Can a cow give three kinds of pure milk? I have been charged 6, 8, and 10 cents a quart for different grades of pure milk. The first was what might be called typhoidal milk as lasting to distribute that disease from the quantity of water it contained, which probably has come from a farm yard, like that of Plymouth, charged with all kinds of cowish impurities.

The second or 8 cent grade has the appearance of having yielded up a large portion of its cream and at the same time its freshness.

The third grade was rich and pure.

The first is absolutely unfit for young children and in a hot Summer must be more fatal to the children than is bad whiskey to grown up men. The second ought not to be used by children, although probably not containing impurities.

Ought not the Health Inspector to whom we look for much good, to be also Milk Inspector, and be empowered to arrest and prosecute anyone found guilty of selling anything but absolutely pure milk. A lactometer and a witness are all that is necessary.

To the Public.

[From Edward J. Olsen.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS.—In your issue of May 29th, I noticed a communication signed by Geo. Van Arsdale, purporting to show extracts of a convention held Jan. 14 and 15, 1885. I beg to state that four statements in said extract are false, viz: 1st. Garfield League was chartered not auxiliary to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, but to the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of New Jersey. Sec. 4, page 14, of Rules and Regulations of Loyal Ladies' League reads as follows: "These organizations shall be known as Subordinate Leagues, Auxiliary of the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of New Jersey. Each League shall choose its own local name." 2d, The resolution of June 11th, 1884, referred to, was a gross injustice to Garfield League, as no strife and contention had been caused by said League, on the contrary during the few months in which the League worked with the Post, the ladies expended some $60 for its benefit. 3d. The "majority of this Post" was the magnificent one of 19 out of a membership of seventy. 4th. The Department President of the Loyal Ladies' League and the President of Garfield League were never duly notified of this action of Post 73, as no communication from a Post is official unless ordered by the Commander, or by resolution of the Post. I was Commander of the Post at the time and did not order or sign any such action, neither did the Post pass a resolution that such notice be sent by the Adjutant.

No one regrets more than I do the differences to which you refer, and this is the first occasion for many years, that any Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, where a body of ladies have been interested with, as to my certain knowledge the Garfield League has been in carrying out the principles of their Order. Is not Plainfield large enough for the Christian women in the minister to the wants of the widows and orphans of our fallen comrades, without being harrassed by those who should aid them in their work?

Concerning a Document Left in Trust.

When Judge Good left Plainfield he informed us that he had left an address to the public covering matters in his long career of city judge in trust with City Clerk Leonard, and that the press might obtain it when his resignation had been accepted by the Common Council to have it appear before them. Accordingly a NEWS reporter inquired for the document of Clerk Leonard last evening after the adjournment of the Council. The clerk denied all knowledge of the matter. He said the document that the document had been left with his brother. His brother, by the way, is editor of the Central Times.

State Notes.

Dover is to have an Opera House.

Drew Seminary has received a bequest of $30,000 from a Philadelphia gentleman.

The census just taken in Phillipsburg shows a growth of over 10 per cent in the population of that city.

The strawberry crop promises to be very large and fine this year. It is doubted if they will ripen before June 10.

Among graduates from West Point this year will be Arthur R. Curtis, Samuel R. Smiley and George S. Cartwright, of New Jersey.

Hon. John Ryle, the father of the Paterson silk industry, has been inspecting the Beatty Factory at Washington, with a view of purchasing.

The Gladden and Andover Iron Company, of Phillipsburg, have reduced the price of pig iron to $18 at the furnace—the lowest figure on record.

The Trustees of the Gloucester County Almshouse report their expenses for the paupers for the past year, $9,000; cost of each pauper per year, $108.54. Number of deaths during the year, 82.

The Hudson County Democratic Executive Committee, have passed a resolution demanding that Congressman McAdoo should be consulted by the Cleveland cabinet in regard to presidential appointments for that district.

The individual members of the deadlock Hoboken Common Council have each been served with a writ granted by the Supreme Court to show cause why Councilman Fitzpatrick should not be recognized as the chairman of the body.

The branch of the Salvation Army located at Millville contemplates declaring itself independent of the organization of the country. Dissatisfaction with the general management of things by Commander Chief and with the treatment of the local branches is the cause of the proposed separation. Mrs. Hall is in charge of the army located at Camden and also withdrew from the central concern.

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The Patent Office authorities granted fourteen patents to residents of this State during the past week. Of this number one comes to Plainfield. The full list as reported is as follows:

Ash sifter, E. Chatelanat, Jersey City; lamp burner, E. B. Reeves (r. patent), Jersey City; stereoscopic clock, E. Glenck, 2d, Jersey City; shutter worker, H. G. Dudley, Jersey City; nail elevator and carrier, M. W. Coamberlain, Branchville; dynamo electric machines, J. S. DuBois, Camden; apparatus for preventing incrustation, Newark; mail delivery machine for printing machines, W. Scott, Plainfield; automatic lubricator for steam engines, C. Capen, Bellville; wall and ceiling buildings, L. A. Mitchell, Elizabeth; water wheel, J. Smith, Washington.

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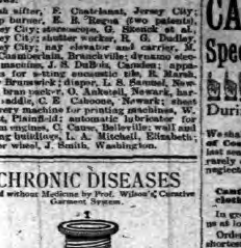

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LEAVE New York	ARRIVE Plainfield	LEAVE Plainfield	ARRIVE New York
3 30 a. m.	6 20 a. m.	6 00 a. m.	8 30 a. m.
5 45 "	8 55 "	7 30 "	7 54 "
7 30 "	9 55 "	8 00 "	10 54 "
9 00 "	11 55 "	9 45 "	12 09 p. m.
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All trains from Plainfield connect for Newark without change, and at Elizabeth for Rahway, Sundays 3 57, 8 00 a. m., 1 30, 3 30 p. m.

Leave Plainfield for Dunellen 6 00, 7 30, 9 30 a. m., 2 30, 4 30, 6 30, 8 30, 11 30 p. m.
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Leave Plainfield for Somerville 6 00, 7 30, 9 30 a. m., 2 30, 4 30, 6 30, 8 30, 11 30 p. m.
Leave Somerville 6 30, 8 00, 10 00 a. m., 2 00, 4 00, 7 00, 9 00 p. m.

Leave Plainfield for Bound Brook 6 00, 7 30, 9 30 a. m., 2 30, 4 30, 6 30, 8 30, 11 30 p. m.
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PLAINFIELD AND PHILADELPHIA.
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Sundays 3 57, 8 00 a. m., 1 30, 3 30 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 4th and Green St's, 8 30, 10 30 a. m., 12 00 m., 1 45, 3 45, 5 45, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.
Sundays 8 30 a. m., 4 30 p. m.

Through tickets and baggage checks at Round Brook.

J. E. WOOD, Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agent.
G. HANCOCK, Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agt.
Philadelphia.
H. P. BALDWIN, Gen'l Eastern Passenger Agent, New York.

TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1885.

RECENT LEGAL DECISIONS.

Section 2 of Article ix. of the Constitution of Oregon provides that "corporations may be formed under general laws," and that "all laws pursuant to this section may be altered, amended, or repealed, but not so as to impair or destroy any vested corporate right." A general corporation act, passed pursuant to this constitutional provision in 1862, provided that "every corporation formed under this act for the construction of a railway on any such road shall be deemed a common carrier, and shall have power to collect and receive such tolls or freights for transportation of persons or property thereon as it may prescribe." In February, 1885, the legislative assembly of the State of Oregon passed an act limiting the rate of fare to be charged by railroad companies for the transportation of passengers and freight, and otherwise regulating the charges of the companies. The construction of this latter act was involved in Ex parte Koehler, decided by the United States Circuit Court for the District of Oregon on the 4th inst. The court (Deady, J.) held that under the Constitution of Oregon the power of the legislature to alter or repeal the general incorporation act of Oregon was qualified, so that it could not thereby "impair or destroy any vested corporate right," and that a railway corporation formed under the general incorporation act of Oregon had a vested right to collect and receive a reasonable compensation for the transportation of persons and property over its road, which the legislature could not impair or destroy. The court further held that while the legislature might prescribe rates of transportation, and while the same would be presumed to be reasonable until the contrary was shown, yet that the judiciary were the final judges of what was reasonable or what "impaired" the vested right of the corporation to a reasonable compensation for its services, and the court held, however, the legislature might prohibit any discrimination by a railway corporation between persons or places, unless the same was done to enable it to retain or secure business at a point or place where there were competing lines of transportation, and that in such case it might charge less for a long haul than a short one in the same direction so long as the charge for the latter was reasonable.

In the case of Insecurity et. al. vs. The Merchants' National Bank, decided by the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts, it appeared that the plaintiffs were the owners of a quantity of sugar which was shipped from Cuba to Boston, consigned to a firm of which one Burgess was a member, as agents for sale. Burgess, who was a director in the defendant bank, procured from the bank a loan, pledging the sugar above mentioned as security for the same, although he had no authority to do so except in his capacity as director. In this action, which was brought for the conversion of the sugar, the court held that, even though Burgess was present as a director of the bank when the loan was made and acted upon by the board of directors, still his knowledge of the plaintiffs' title to the sugars, and of the fact that his firm had no right to pledge them, could not be imputed to the bank.

WRAPPED IN MYSTERY.

THE LATEST SENSATION ENGAGING NEW YORK'S ATTENTION.

Not a Clue to the Perpetrator of Frankfurty Cold Blooded Murder. Was It Committed by a Lunatic?

NEW YORK, June 2.—A black covered wagon stood in the rain all Saturday night and Sunday morning in front of the house left at 34 and 36 North Moore street, less than a hundred feet east of the corner drug store, where Clerk Jennings was murdered that day. At 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning Michael Jennings, the night watchman in Tousey's office, saw a young man on the sidewalk going by the wagon. His coat collar was turned up and his hands were in his coat pockets. A big flame of gaslight that burned in a globe on the front of the building showed Jennings that the man was medium sized and not much over 20 years old, was clean shaven and had light or sandy hair. He wore dark clothes and a Derby hat.

A few minutes after Jennings first saw him, the young man walked off coat toward Varick street, crossed to the north side of North Moore street, and came back, crossing over again to the wagon. It looked like a tour of inspection to see if the street was clear. He stepped out into the wagon, let down the rolled-up curtains at the sides and back, and buttoned them tight.

The night watchman rubbed his stick with his hand, and he started to say to himself: "What a fanning I'll give that fellow when he gets to sleep." After waiting a few minutes he concluded not to disturb him and stuck his head in at the front of the wagon. Two bright, wide-awake eyes stared into his. The young man was laying flat upon his stomach with his chin on his hands. As he lay he could see the cellar door by which the man who murdered Hands may have made his way into the drug store.

The watchman, a big, able bodied man of the man what he was doing in Tousey's wagon.

"Trying to get a sleep, sir," the young fellow answered, so pleasantly, that Jennings lowered his club. After a few moments' conversation he was so pleased by the young fellow's good nature, and politeness, that he let him be might stay there. Jennings remained by the wagon, and twenty minutes later he heard the young wagon occupant very distinctly. At 1:55 Jennings went back to the publishing house and made a tour of it. He emerged again at 2:35 and looked into the wagon. The same quiet young Jennings went off duty at 6 a. m. on Sunday, and did not hear until he came back in the evening of the murder in the drug store on his beat.

George Charles Angermeier, the former clerk in the drug store, whom the police have looked on from the beginning, is not in any trouble. Angermeier is a slender young man, with abundant light hair and a scarcely discernible mustache.

"I suppose you know what I want you for?" said the detective. "I have read that I am suspected of murder," said Angermeier. "I was waiting here to be arrested." At the coroner's office Coroner Martin permitted the reporters to talk to him. Angermeier said:

I am 24 years old and have been a drug clerk all my life. After leaving Mr. Crawford's store last January, I remained idle until the next month, when I was employed with Mr. Hands at Greenpoint. I worked for him until May 15, and since then I have been looking out for another place. I haven't been in the neighborhood of Crawford's drug store since last Wednesday evening. I called then on a friend living on Beach street. I expected to be in Port Jervis on Decoration day to visit my father and father's grave, but I was taken sick with neuralgia and my mother persuaded me not to make the trip. On Saturday forenoon I went to Tousey's office to see the boys, but the crowd was so great I gave it up and returned home. I stayed in the house the rest of the day. In the evening I played cards with my sister and mother from 7 to 10 p. m. my brother-in-law, Mr. Winkler, came home, and we went to the bedroom where we slept together. My brother-in-law, me, and he had a headache. I prescribed a quinine pill and bromide of potassium for both of us. We went immediately to sleep. At 7 o'clock Sunday morning my sister called me to get up. I still felt sleepy, and dozed off again, and did not get up until 11 o'clock. My brother-in-law left the house to go to his work. I remained at home all day.

Early I was awakened by the door bell ringing, and heard my brother-in-law, William Stuhlinger, say that Mr. Tousey was my sister. I called my brother-in-law into my bedroom. He gave me a morning newspaper, and pointed to the story of the murder. When I read that I was suspected of killing Hands, I said that I would go to Crawford's and have the mistake settled. My family thought that I was crazy, that I would be arrested, and that I ought to have a lawyer first. They advised me to see my brother-in-law, Mr. Winkler, about it, and he told me to wait till the police came for me. If they had not arrested me in the barber shop I would have gone down town in a car by myself.

Hands and I were always on good terms. We never quarreled in the store, but sometimes I disputed with him about the way he did his work. He had careless habits, and was not very thorough. If he rubbed off a mustache for a customer with a towel, and one of us had to go over it with the cloth again. But these were trivial things, and we were on friendly terms.

In the afternoon Angermeier was taken to the Tombs and remanded to the Leonard street police station. He was put in a cell and nobody was allowed to see him, though his sister, Mrs. Winkler, and Wm. Stuhlinger, his brother-in-law, called. They said his arrest was a mistake that would be rectified soon. Mrs. Winkler also corroborated Angermeier's account of his whereabouts on Saturday night, when the murder was committed, and did Angermeier's aged mother. She said that Angermeier had given up his place in Greenpoint to find employment in New York, where he could be free nights, and could make visits to Miss Annie Fields, a school teacher, of 58 Beach street. He wanted to marry in the fall. Miss Fields told a reporter that she had known Angermeier all the time she had lived near Crawford's drug store, which was about three years. She said that she saw him was on Wednesday afternoon, when he called at her house. She was certain he had not been in the neighborhood since, or he would have called. Miss Fields said that she was sure that Mr. Angermeier would never murder anybody. He doesn't look as if he would do such a thing. Hands' story that there had been a quarrel between Angermeier and her husband, and that Hands had said he didn't feel safe, if the police have any evidence to implicate the arrest of Angermeier they keep it to themselves.

Watchman Jennings has not seen Angermeier yet, but it is not expected that Angermeier will escape him, as the sleepless young man of the covered wagon.

Inspector Byrnes viewed the premises of the murder with Druggist Crawford. A policeman is brought the arrest that he thought night furnish a clue. It was an ivory-handled pocket knife, with a sharp ground down somewhat at the end. There was rust on the blade. The knife was picked up on the northwest corner of North Moore and Hudson streets on Sunday morning by two small boys who sold it to a junk dealer for two cents. It would not be worth so much money as a weapon for inflicting the great gash that nearly cut Hands's head off after he was dead.

The autopsy on Hand's body was made in Stephen Merritt's undertaking shop. The doctors found four lacerated wounds on the head, and a fifth wound in the neck. The last gash two and a half inches from the hair, and extended diagonally back three and a quarter inches. The wounds on the head, four in number, were parallel with it. The second was an inch below the first, and was two inches long. The third was three-quarters of an inch below the second, and was the same length. The fourth was three-quarters of an inch below the third, and extended one inch. The wound on the forehead was half an inch above the eyebrow, and was an inch long, and to the right eye. On the right cheek was a contusion. The cut in the throat was a skilfully made one. It severed the windpipe, and cut to the spinal column. The doctors said that the cut was made by a person who understood perfectly how to do it, and was nobody's butcher's assistant. The skull was fractured into sixteen or seventeen fragments. The doctors think it likely that the druggist's iron pestle was the weapon used. The blood on the pestle, and on the left sleeve of Hands or behind him. A chair was found at the right side of Hand's chair, and a few feet from it when the room was first entered on Sunday. It looked as if the murderer had been sitting and talking with Hands before he struck him.

The food in the stomach, the doctors said, had apparently been in the stomach an hour or more. It was cheese, rhubarb, potatoes and beer, the lunch Hands's wife had brought to the store at 11 o'clock on Saturday. The doctors would not venture to say more closely how long it had been eaten, but it looks as though it had been killed much sooner after midnight than was supposed.

Druggist Crawford thinks that the man who murdered his drug clerk was let into the store by Hands, for the young man Havey left at 12:05. He must have been a person well known to Hands, the druggist says, because the rule of the store is to allow strangers to enter the room Hands occupied. While Hands talked with the person, the druggist puts the cash drawer down and got behind the pestle, which was sticking in the mortar close to his chair, and hit Hands unawares, or when Hands' eyes were closed from sleepiness.

Butcher Jurgensen says that a brother of Mrs. Hands is a lunatic and is at large, having recently been discharged from an asylum for the insane. Jurgensen asserts that Mrs. Hands told him of her brother, who, she said, she still believed was insane, though he had been discharged as cured.

THE NATIONAL FINANCES.

Reduction of the Debt for May—Customs Receipts Falling Off.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The reduction in the public debt during the month of May, according to the regular form of statement, amounted to $6,353,833. The total debt, less cash in the treasury, is $1,494,391,011, of which $1,250,770,020 is interest bearing debt. The treasury now holds a balance of $135,-810,533 in gold and bullion, and $61,357,817 in silver, against $118,033,040 gold, and $54,-000,000 silver on the 1st inst. The cash in the treasury is $30,063,021, against $23,957,421 reported a month ago. Customs receipts for May amounted to $14,312,773, or nearly as much as May a year ago.

Internal revenue receipts, $12,860,681, a falling off of nearly $2,000,000 compared with last May. The receipts for eight months of the current year aggregated $295,483,760, or about $26,000,000 less than for the corresponding months of last year. Indications now point to a total revenue during the present fiscal year of $318,000,000, or perhaps $320,000,000, which would be $50,000,000 or $52,000,000 more than Secretary McCulloch's estimates sent to congress last December. Mr. McCulloch estimated a revenue from customs of $185,000,000 from internal revenue, and $50,000,000 from miscellaneous sources. It now looks as though customs receipts for the year will reach about $180,000,000, internal revenue about 117,000,000, and miscellaneous about $27,000,000.

How Gladstone was Played With.

LONDON, June 1.—The official papers concerning the Penjdeh incident have been published. A blue book has been issued which public is a telegram from Sir Peter Lumsden, dated on the day before the battle, announcing the movements that Gen. Komaroff was moving heaven and earth to get the Afghans to fight; that a battle was certain to occur, and that the Afghans could not avoid fighting. On the day after the battle, forwarded April 31, Sir Peter repeated this declaration that Komaroff had planned his attack beforehand. The papers show that arbitration was first proposed by Lord Granville. M. de Giers objected to it, saying that the only person fully situated to adjudicate was the Emperor William, who would refuse to act. Lord Granville's reply to this was that the Emperor William could not avoid acting if asked to do so.

Sir Peter is not Sanguine.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 2.—Sir Peter Lumsden, the British commissioner, said that the present semi-peaceful state of affairs between England and Russia may exist for weeks and perhaps for months, but the two powers are certain to be at war against each other before long. The old frontier line, which interposed eighty miles of desert between the disputants, is the best that can be decided upon.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Assistant Secretary. Coon has returned from Fortress Monroe where he has been for the benefit of his health.

Postmaster Hibbs, of Lewiston, Idaho, has been removed after having issued fraudulent money orders on various offices for $15,000. How many of the orders have been cashed cannot be learned at present.

The Treasury Committee on distinctive paper has reported that the only contract open for supplying paper is the lowest bidder, but that it is deemed inadvisable to continue the present contract with this firm. Secretary Manning has continued the committee and extended its powers.

The President has appointed A. Hancock collector of customs at Portsmouth, N. H., vice A. F. Howard, resigned. A. F. Howard conveyed his resignation in a letter in which he says that he is an active Republican partisan and a believer in the doctrines that "To the victor belongs the spoils."

D. W. Rhodes, of Ohio, chief of the division of postoffice supplies, has been removed by Postmaster General Vilas and Marsillo Noyes, of Vermont, appointed to fill the vacancy. Postmaster General Vilas a few days ago directed an investigation of the affairs of the office, and the result is reported in the committee, while not condemnatory of the chief of the division, was not satisfactory to the postmaster general and hence the removal.

Ex-Minister Cramer, of Iowa, has been visiting General Grant at Mount McGregor. He arrived yesterday from that state, and will remain at Fort Vancouver for several weeks, the guest of Gen. Miles.

LITERARY PERSECUTION.

John Ruskin Made the Victim of a Police Raid on Fleet Street.

LONDON, June 2.—A new method of literary persecution has come to light. It has been published that Mrs. Cook, having the signatures of John Ruskin, the famous writer of art, have recently appeared on a card now here in the newspapers. The letters have headed "Letters of real value to the public," and all have contained certain character istics of the great critic, but most of them have displayed a tone of unjustly peculiar and arrogant criticism. It is now found to be a fact that the author was getting querulous with advancing age. The flood of letters on all conceivable subjects has attracted considerable attention, and it has been uncharitably suggested that their appearance at this time was intended to boom Mr. Ruskin's autobiography, the first number of which has just been published. The mystery was solved by a letter from Mr. Ruskin's solicitors, who state that the letters are all forgeries. The forgeries were discovered by the manufactory from which they have emanated. They have traced no less than 200 of these forgeries, including scores of letters to newspapers, to publishers and friends, orders to tradesmen and florists for goods, and even letters of introduction to persons whom Mr. Ruskin has never met. It appears to have been pure mischief, as it cannot be learned that they have ever obtained a shilling's worth of goods or credit on the strength of them. The police are now while, on the other hand, their expenditures for monogram paper, printed letter heads, postage, etc., have been considerable.

BAD FOR BOOKMAKING.

No Pools Allowed to be Sold on Brighton Beach Track.

BRIGHTON BEACH, June 2.—First race—Four furlongs; all ages; selling; one mile and a mile: Bart Warren first, Puritan second, Mentor third. Time, 1:23.

Second race—Same description and distances: Jack first, Lours second, Miss Walton third. Time, 1:21.

Third race—Selling race, seven furlongs: Eva B. first, Johnny Jim second, Manitoba third. Time, 1:33½.

Fourth race—Selling race, one mile and an eighth: Lignan first, Emma Manley second, Little Dan third. Time, 1:58¼.

Fifth race—For all ages, one mile and an eighth: Lignan first, Tony Foster second, Arsenic third. Time, 2:18¾.

No pools will be sold on the track.

The Latonia Meeting.

CINCINNATI, June 2.—There was the usual attendance at the Latonia races. The track was in excellent condition.

First race—Club purse, one mile and an eighth: Bateman first, Billy Gilmore second, Little Dan third. Time, 1:58¾.

Second race—Club purse, one mile and an eighth: Lignan first, Buchanan second, Leaman third. Time, 2:23½.

Third race—Ripple stakes, one mile and a quarter: Ten Booker first, Volo second, Shady third. Time, 2:14.

Fourth race—Handicap, one mile and five eighths: Arbitro first, Troubadour second, Sovereign Pat third. Time, 2:54½.

Fifth race—Selling race, three-quarters of a mile: Away first, Col. Cook second, Bangie third. Time, 1:17.

Baseball.

At Detroit:

Chicago	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	x	—6
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

At Indianapolis:

Indianapolis	0	4	0	0	2	3	0	0	4—12
Cleveland	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

At Philadelphia:

New York	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2
Philadelphia	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	—2

At Cincinnati:

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	1	0—7
Athletic	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	0—6

At Buffalo:

Buffalo	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	0—8
St. Louis	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0—4

At Brooklyn:

Brooklyn	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	2—9
Louisville	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	0	1—7

At Baltimore:

Baltimore	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	—4
St. Louis	0	4	1	1	0	3	0	x	—10

Why He Gets no Appointment.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The statement that Cuthbert B. Jones, of Louisiana, has been appointed consul to Callao is without foundation. Mr. Jones is a member of the Louisiana bar. The history of the Jones case is, that previous to the murder of Gen. Liddell there had been an old feud between Jones and other of the lynching of the father and son for the murder of Liddell, Cuthbert, the last of the Jones boys, fled to escape the fate of his father and brother. Upon the change of parties was given an appointment abroad. Upon finding out the part he played in the Liddell affair the Louisiana delegation in congress which he was appointed dropped him. The appointment for the Callao consulate was signed by some of the Louisiana congressional delegation, while others refused to indorse him.

Destructive Fire in Jersey City.

JERSEY CITY, June 2.—A fire broke out shortly after 2 o'clock in the boiling room of Hecker's mill, on Henderson street, corner of Eleventh and Henderson streets. The works were opened for the first time, and the machinery had been running only a few hours when one of the workmen upset a pot of tar, which, running over the floor, became ignited. The flames spread rapidly and soon communicated with the store-house adjoining, owned by the roofing company, and Cassidy's grain mill, containing 20,000 bushels of grain. A general alarm brought the entire fire department to the scene, and they succeeded in confining the flames to the structures named. The total loss is estimated at $75,000, partly covered by insurance. Two firemen were slightly injured by falling timbers.

Pension Clerks to be Dismissed.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—It is said that upward of two hundred clerks are to be dismissed from the pension office. The official list of names of those who are to be invited to step out is nearly completed. The immediate appointees of Commissioner Dudley, which will reduce the force for the next fiscal year about 150. Whether the 200 mentioned as being booked for dismissal are in addition to the 150 cannot be definitely ascertained. Officers of the department admit that a large number of changes are to be made, and do not deny that the lists are nearly completed, but decline direct answers to questions by saying that the matter will be made public at the proper time. Gen. Black is in conference with the president on the subject.

The Latest Fire at Ensdorf.

FORTSMOUTH, N. H., June 2.—Edward C. Stickney, who on memorial day, at Lyme, Mass., put up a four-pound dumb bell from his shoulder to arm's length above his head 6,000 times in 24 hours, breaking the heaviest all previous records, challenges any dumb bell lifter, for from $500 to $5,000 a side, to compete in putting up a 4-pound, 12-pound, 14½-pound, 25-pound, 30-pound or 50-pound dumb bell the greatest number of times in one hour or up to twenty-four hours, the match to take place in Boston, New York, Philadelphia or Chicago. This challenge to remain open three months.

HUGO'S APOTHEOSIS.

A FUNERAL THAT KINGS MIGHT HAVE ENVIED.

Rich and Poor Unite in Paying Their Tribute to the Great Poet—Hundreds of Wreaths Placed Upon the Coffin.

PARIS, June 2.—Although rain fell during the night, and there was every indication in the early morning of more rain, hundreds of thousands of people were abroad at daybreak, already crowding the streets and boulevards through which the funeral procession was to move that accompanied the remains of Victor Hugo to his last resting place in the Pantheon. On account of the crowded condition of the hotels thousands were compelled to bivouac in the open air all night. By 10 o'clock the space around the Arc de Triomphe, filled by the troops and the chief officers of the state, members of the diplomatic corps, senators and deputies. From all directions came deputations with immense wreaths, all moving in the direction of the Arc de Triomphe, the Mecca of France to-day. Never did Paris present such a scene.

The chestnut trees in the Champs Elysees are in full bloom, and formed a strange contrast to the glittering lights, the gay banners and the vast sea of spectators, all in the habiliments of mourning, which filled either side of the immense field, and the brilliant uniform of the soldiery. Large bodies of cavalry occupied the streets leading to the palace of the Elysee, the residence of President Grevy. Every building was draped, from the Hotel des Invalides and from Fort Valerien. The crowd was very orderly, and at that hour, 10 o'clock, there was not a sign of the gaiety usually to be found in Paris. The deputations of workmen, students and artists from the provinces and from abroad were constantly arriving, increasing the enormous crowd already present.

The funeral procession started punctually at noon. The threatening cloud of the morning had passed away, and the rain was and the sun shone forth brilliantly. Many chariots, draped up with the offerings of the people of France, followed each hearse, and the procession. Enormous crowds of people lined the streets that formed the route of the procession, while other masses of people poured in from every direction, filling the open distance on either side. The buildings were black with people, as was indeed every point from which might be had a view of the unparalleled procession.

The procession moved without switch in the prescribed programme. The police arranged several squares of red flags, which were unfurled at the starting points or headquarters of the several revolutionary societies.

Six orations were delivered under the Arc de Triomphe in the presence of nearly all the illustrious men of and in France. M. Le Royer, president of the senate, said: Victor Hugo constantly pursued the higher ideal of justice and humanity, and this exercised an immense influence over the moral feeling of France.

M. Finquet said that the ceremony was not a funeral. It was an apotheosis. He said: Victor Hugo is an immortal spirit, who who bequeathed to humanity that gospel which could lead the people to the definitive conquest of "Liberty, equality, fraternity." Victor Hugo, he said, was the poet of the luxury, elaborated the fact, made evident: "To the sovereign poet France renders sovereign honors."

M. Goblet, president of the chamber of deputies, declared that Victor Hugo will remain the highest personification of the epic, the lyric and the drama, and he included in his contradictions, doubts, ideas and aspirations—was best reflected in his works. The character of Victor Hugo, he said, was a human and represented the spirit of toleration and of peace.

The head of the procession escorting the body to the Pantheon reached the Pantheon of the illustrious dead at 1:45 p.m. The procession, as it left the Arc de Triomphe, moved in the following order: A large squadron of the Republican guards, then the general commanding with his staff. After these came a regiment of cuirassiers, headed by its band and the drum corps of three regiments. These formed the escort proper for the funeral procession, while along its line on both sides were constantly heard the dull yet muffled drums. Care laden with wreaths and flowers followed, accompanied by the boys of the public schools. The band of the Republican Guard here headed the deputation from Besancon, the representatives of foreign newspapers, members of the Dramatic society and deputations from the National and other theatres. Following the hearse were the relatives and immediate friends of the family of Victor Hugo, the representatives of the President Grevy, the presidents of the senate and chamber of deputies, foreign ambassadors, the chancellor of the Legion of Honor, the military governor of Paris, senators and deputies, the prefect of the Seine, the police and military and naval authorities, a contingent of the Arts Guards and a squadron of the Republican Guards.

The procession followed the route from the Arc de Triomphe to the Place de la Concorde, the Boulevards St. Germain and St. Michael, the Rus Sauffiot to the Place du Pantheon. At the time the head of the procession had reached the Pantheon the rear had not yet left the Arc de Triomphe. All in the procession seemed to appreciate the fact that they were in the illustrious post. All were quiet, and observed a most becoming demeanor.

The funeral ceremonies were completed and the remains of Victor Hugo were interred somewhat the unity of the cortege, but beyond this there was nothing to mar the solemnity derived from the impressiveness of the occasion.

The pressure of the packed masses of people was dispelled to contemplate, and many of them who were "in the packs" were positively crushed.

A souvenir selection of passages from M. Hugo's writings, published by the police from the sale will be devoted to the erection of a national monument to the poet. Souvenir photographs and medals of the dead poet, with a medallion giving his life's are meeting with a large sale.

The obsequies surpassed everything within the memory of Paris oldest citizen. Such a concourse of people has never been witnessed in Paris. Before the start of the procession the police seized fifteen red flags, and a number of persons who had been arrested. The hearse were twelve cars laden with floral crowns. Besides these, 800 wreaths were carried by the various deputations. The funeral car was escorted by a large force of police.

John Sherman in Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 2.—Ex-Secretary Sherman and party, now visiting California, arrived overland from that state, and will remain at Fort Vancouver for several weeks, the guest of Gen. Miles.

MILLS SHUT DOWN.

THOUSANDS OF IRON WORKERS DOING NOTHING.

The Manufacturers Draw Their Fires Rather than Sign the New Scale—One Hundred Thousand Men Involved in the Strike.

PITTSBURGH, June 2.—Daylight disappeared much less rapidly last evening than on any previous night for the past three or four years. Instead of the solid wall of black smoke which Pittsburgers have been accustomed to see rise along the south banks of the Monongahela and Allegheny during afternoon and hasten the coming of night, there were only a few clouds so insignificant in size as to be almost indistinguishable. The change may have been very pleasant to visitors, but it called forth no expressions of joy from residents of the city. In its latest save positive evidence that there is to be a trial of strength between the iron manufacturers and the Amalgamated association, and discussions of its probable outcome found much more attention than the best pulpit orators.

The outlook is not quite so pleasant as it was this day one year ago, when the mills were signs of conference; but we do not feel gloomy, and there is no good reason to believe there will be a long suspension of operations in the mills of the west," said President Wicks, of the Amalgamated association, after a long and careful look over the iron trade situation, and with full knowledge of the fires that have had been lighted in comparatively few mills.

One iron firm, Long & Co., and two steel firms, Schoenberger, Nimick & Co. of the East End, and Smith, Sutton & Co. of the Soho steel works, Allegheny—signed the scale. Each firm employs a small number of men, and belongs to the manufacturers' association. Only about half the fact as good news. On the other hand, the manufacturers say that steel mills signing the scale has no effect upon the question of a strike.

The firms of the city who have signed are Carnegie Bros. & Co. of the Union mills; Dilworth, Porter & Co., of the Sligo mills; Wayne Iron and Steel works, and the Solar Iron works of William Clark & Co., Long & Co., the National Tube works company, and R. D. Wood & Co. This is all the mills of the thirty-eight mills in this city. The other manufacturers say they will remain closed indefinitely unless the workmen accept their terms.

In all parts of the city, and on the south side particularly, the effect of the non-signing of the scale was to be worked by the scores were standing upon the street corners discussing the situation. All who were spoken to were hopeful that they would yet gain their point, and that the strike would be of short duration. The amalgamated officers are watching closely, and manifest a determination to fight.

Joseph D. Weeks, secretary of the West ern Iron association, says the reports received from different parts of the country are very encouraging. He says the Scranton Iron company, of Niles, O., was the only firm outside of Pittsburg that had signed the scale. The United Nailers are making determined fight. The mills here are all closed.

In this district a careful estimate shows that 13,000 men are idle and 4,200 working. In the mills now running Allegheny has about 95,000 men, averaging in wages $3 per day each, have been thrown out of work by the strike.

YOUNGTOWN, June 1.—The mills located in the Mahoning valley are all idle, the strike having begun. Inquiry from every manufacturer in the valley elicited information that they have no intention of signing the Amalgamated association scale as presented. Andrew Carnegie, Russia iron mill at Niles, which has signed the scale, is being run under a co-operative arrangement with the men.

CHICAGO, June 2.—The old scale of the amalgamated iron and steel workers having expired the Calumet Iron and Steel company concluded to shut down their mills, and accordingly posted notices to that effect. The mills will probably be closed until August. The new scale for puddling is fixed at 3½ cents a ton more. The company thought they could not afford to pay the advance and shut down to avoid a strike.

CLEVELAND, June 2.—In consequence of the Union rolling mills refusing to sign the scale presented by the Amalgamated Iron and Steel association, the men to the number of 700 went on a strike. The union is the only association mill in the city.

Sullivan Not a Drawing Card.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., June 2.—Five hundred people paid $1 each to witness the glove contests by John L. Sullivan and his combination. As the projectors of the show paid Sullivan $1,000 and bore all risks of pocket, in addition to the expenses. After seconds of the lesser lights had displayed their deftic proficiency, Patsy Shepard, of Boston, and Prof. Cahoon, of Yarmouth, entered the ring. This was followed by a ten minutes encounter between the champion and Steve Taylor, of New York, which was equally harmless. Sullivan then sparred with Cahoon, who greatly admired, but his sparring exhibition was a disappointment. The party will return to Boston in a day or two.

Charged with Wrecking His Ship.

BOSTON, June 2.—Capt. Gilman C. Parker and engineer Jeremiah Long, of the brig Mary Celeste, and he and the owners of the cargo, Abram C. Wendell, George W. Miller, Sullivan A. and Knowles Preston, were arraigned for conspiracy to wreck. They were held in $5,000 apiece for trial on July 13.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Atlanta, Ga., is undergoing a remarkable religious revival.

Reported by John Kelly's serious illness. The New York World denies that he is ill a critical condition.

The trial of William M. Riddle, ex-president of the Lafayette bank, has been postponed for two weeks.

Patroleum V. Nasby thinks there is a strong majority in Ohio for Prohibition, and that Republicans and Democrats alike favor it.

A San Francisco special says Dion Boucicault is contemplating marrying a member of his company, despite the strong opposition of his children.

The fall of a ceiling in one of the Jersey City public schools threatened a panic, which was prevented through the presence of mind of one of the teachers.

Dominick McCaffrey's manager intimates very strongly that John L. Sullivan is afraid to fight Jake Kilrain, and challenges him to be anxious to try conclusions with the champion.

The subject of changing the removals in the departments is not affecting business in Washington that merchants and others are beginning to feel anxious about the consequences.

"Oath," the New York correspondent

THE "WOLSELEY GANG."

A War Correspondent Explains the "Inwardness" of the Devoted Group.

[Archibald Forbes.]

The key note to the constitution of that group of devoted adherents who have come to be designated as the "Wolseley gang," I take to be its completeness for the functions which it has to perform whole. In each of its constituent elements, its compounder—if I may use the expression—has discerned some specific attribute, of which, when the occasion calls it into requisition, he shall take astute and purposeful avail. As a whole, then, it is an engine effectively adapted to a wide range of poetical uses. The individual units of that whole do not strike one as by any means, one and all, men of exceptional general military ability.

Some of them, indeed, may be called dull men. But never a one of them but has his speciality. One has a genius for prompt organization; another a rare faculty for administration. A third has a winning manner and a good address, a fourth is the scout of scouts. You may wonder what Wolseley can see in so-and-so that he has them always with him. Watch events long enough, and time will furnish you with the answer. The man, perhaps of no great account for ordinary purposes, has a strange gift, when there is doubt in regard to some line of action, of defining the right course in a single rugged, trenchant, pithy sentence that carries conviction; him, one may see, Wolseley keeps just to help him to make up his mind.

This other man has seemingly no attributes at all, save inertness, a love for gazing on the wine when it is red, and the cultivation of strong language. But he too has his gift. Arrange for him a plan of attack, set everything in order, tell him that all is ready, and that he may go to work. Then you can discern for what Wolseley has enrolled him in the gang. He draws his sword, he lets a roar out of him fit to wake the dead; he becomes a veritable gun of battle—a lambent thunderbolt of war; he radiates from him the mysterious, irresistible magnetism that inspires men to follow him, aye, to pass the rough soldier phrase, "through hell and out at the farther side." The dead done, the conqueror wipes and sheathes his sword, mops his forehead, sighs for a big drink, and is conspicuous no more till he shall be wanted again.

The Noted Perique Tobacco.

[Our Rural New Yorker.]

There are many peculiarities concerning the growth and curing of this noted tobacco, which are not generally understood, and one or two points are not readily accounted for. In the first place, it has been repeatedly demonstrated that genuine Perique tobacco cannot be produced outside of St. James parish, Louisiana. It is there grown on a peculiar ridge known as Grand Point ridge, situated about one mile north of the Mississippi river, and running parallel with it. This ridge is about seven miles long and from one-half to two miles wide. On a portion of it is now a settlement of about 200 persons, and most of the Perique factories are here.

Tradition has it that many years ago, when the whites first began to settle in this locality, an Indian child of French parentage named Pierre Chenet, came to live somewhere in the vicinity of this ridge. He soon acquired the leadership of the Indian chief, whose tribe dwelt and hunted on the shores of Lake Maurepas near this ridge. These Indians cultivated small patches here and there, and among other things they raised tobacco. Mr Chenet found they had a peculiar method of curing tobacco, which made a very superior article, and he learned all the details of the process. They gave him the sobriquet of "Perique." In quest of more game and less white men, the Indians gradually left for other regions.

Mr. Chenet continued to raise tobacco and cure it by the secret Indian method, first for himself, then for his friends and neighbors, to whom he afterward sold the surplus. The exquisite fragrance and flavor of this tobacco finally attracted attention abroad. It was named "Perique" after Mr. Chenet, who introduced it, and ever since that time its cultivation and manufacture have been continued in that locality.

A Foolish Father.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"My dear," said a rich father to his only daughter, a very fashionable girl, "you are about to be married and I want to talk to you seriously."

"Yes, papa," she said, setting herself on his knee.

"George is a very worthy young man and abundantly able to take care of you; but this is a very uncertain world. Misfortunes may come when we least expect them, and it behooves us to be ready at all times to meet them with a brave and cheerful heart. If, through some chance, your husband should lose his fortune and be reduced to very humble circumstances, do you think that you could accept the new order of things and help him as a true wife should?"

"How can you ask me such a question, you foolish pa, when you know how I adore George?"

"This is all very well," the old man continued; "but could you, educated to a life of luxury, as you have been, resolutely put aside the past and devote yourself to household duties, such as cooking, and mending, and marketing, and—and sweeping, and all that sort of thing?"

"What a foolish, silly papa you are, to be sure," replied the girl, playfully tapping the bald spot on his head, "and how ridiculously you talk. Why, the servants would tend to all the—a masters."

A Fruit Piece in Zephyr.

[New Orleans Cor. Inter Ocean.]

A novel line of work is called zephyr painting and sculpture. There is a fruit-piece in which all the tints and shading of the peaches and its foliage are produced by layers of zephyrs pulled into fibers. The sculpture includes numerous animals, horses, dogs, cats, chickens, even the human face, true to life in outline, build and color, and is made after the familiar zephyr balls. This is the work of Mrs. H. Perrior, Des Moines, and is the only work of the kind in the exposition with the exception of an inferior piece in the Russian exhibit.

Lowering His Dignity.

[Tid-Bits.]

He was wrapped in dignity and an enormous frock coat, and he sailed along with the mayoy of a line-of-battle ship under full canvas. Somehow all his dignity and majesty fell from him, as hailstones do from a bald head, when a bootblack went up to him and said, "Mister, you forgot to take off the pawn-ticket often the collar of your coat." The boy didn't wait to be thanked for his information.

At 2 in the Morning.

[Yonkers Statesman.]

"Whew!" exclaimed Crimmins, surprised on entering his sleeping-apartment to find his wife waiting for him the other morning at 2 o'clock, "those stairs almost take my breath away."

"Well, I wish they would," replied his displeased wife, catching the odor of the club-man's evening beverage.

Odor is called by a new synonyic, "what with the bar sinister."

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

AN EARTHQUAKE IN ASIA.

A Large Loss of Life and Much Suffering.

By United Press to THE NEWS.

CALCUTTA, June 2.—Reports of a fearful earthquake in Cashmere have just been received. Since Sunday, terrible destructive shocks have occurred at intervals of about ten minutes. The loss of life is enormous, but at present unknown.

The cavalry barracks at Shrinugger, the capital of Cashmere, have been destroyed. Fifty of the inmates were killed outright, and a great number wounded. One part of the city has been entirely demolished, and many hundreds of people are supposed to be buried in the ruins. Definite information is unobtainable as the place is almost deserted, the citizens having become panic stricken and fled.

The river which flows through Shrinugger as well as the Lake of Cashmere are crowded with boats which are packed with refugees. Many others have sought shelter in hastily erected huts and tents outside the walls. Hundreds of animals have been killed and the destruction of property is enormous.

The distress which prevails is appalling and the dispatches which brought the first intelligence of the disaster contained urgent appeals for assistance.

At last accounts the seismic disturbances continued unabated, and the complete destruction of the city of Shrinugar was imminent.

An Assassin Lynched.

WESTMINSTER, Md., June 2.—The neighborhood of Mount Airey, Carroll County, was thrown into excitement on Saturday afternoon by the intelligence of a criminal assault having been perpetrated upon Mrs. Carrie Knott, wife of John Knott, by a colored man named Townsend Cook. Cook was arrested and incarcerated in Westminster jail.

Last evening the jail, which stands in the environs of the town, was besieged by about 50 men. Cook was taken therefrom and escorted to a dense woods about a mile distant from town and hanged. The lynchers then quietly dispersed, and as yet the majority of Westminster's population is not aware of the affair.

A Sad Domestic Tragedy.

CINCINNATI, June 2.—One of the saddest domestic tragedies that ever occurred in this city was witnessed at the elegant residence of Mrs. Nettie Champlin, 377 West Seventh street, shortly before two o'clock this morning. The principal parties were Harry Champlin, a young man well known about town, and Dr. E. E. Loy, his brother-in-law, a well-known practicing physician. The former received his death wound from a thirty-two caliber Smith and Wesson revolver in the hands of Loy. The trouble was probably brought about by the conduct of Champlin, who was quick-tempered, and easily offended when in liquor.

A Chinaman Assassinated.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 2.—A case of assassination was discovered in a Chinese lodging house in this city last night. For two months past two chinese colonies, made up of Canterese and Hong Kongites have been at swords points over an issue which arose regarding gambling. Joe Goog was arrested and fined several times for running a gambling house on evidence furnished by Lou Johnson, a Chinese detective from Denver. Last night the body of Johnson, stabbed in twelve places, was found packed in a closet of Gong's place, 715 Washington St.

A Saratoga Hotel Burned.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 2.—Truax's hotel, known as "Interlaken", at Saratoga Lake, was totally destroyed by fire this morning together with its contents. The hotel barn was also burned. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin. This property formerly belonged to the late Frank Leslie of New York City.

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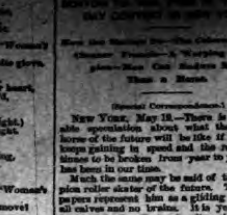

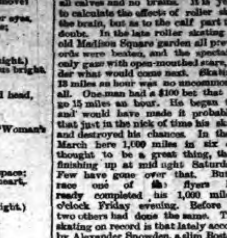

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But by Saturday morning even the roller skaters looked forlorn enough. Of the eight men left on the track, five were from Boston. The gay lights were soiled and discolored from dust and perspiration. At intervals the floor of the rink was sanded with pulverized pumice stone. This was stirred up by the rollers, and filled the air with a thin cloud like smoke. To catch this, and keep it out of their lungs, several of the men carried wet sponges in their mouths. The red and yellow silk caps were mostly thrown aside. Several of the skaters were bareheaded, with ordinary pasteboard shades over their eyes to protect them from the painful glare of the electric lights. As they passed their bunks, occasionally an attendant would shoot out and run beside them a few steps, handing them a wet towel or two with to mop their heads; or perhaps it was a tiny tea-pot, out of the spout of which they drank as they went around, looking neither to the right nor left. This was a serious business. The erect, beautiful forms that entered the race were painfully bent forward. Their arms swung free. Whether his arms rose side to side with a pendulum-like motion that became monotonous. They seemed to use their arms as wings to propel them along.

The arms of Snowden, the leader, appeared almost skeleton-like, as he flung them this way and that. Boynt and Smith, who were covered with fever blisters, but he paid on and on. He gave you somehow an impression of a big, bright fall fair, and this if he lost that time. He entered the race for the coin plant all the week. His trainers say it had a wonderfully sustaining effect. Up to Thursday morning Boynt was only a little over five hours all the week. William Boynt, of Fort Jarvis, was a few miles behind. Boynt was emphatically the enter of the picnic. Boynt and Snowden waved whole beefsteaks on the run if he had been permitted. The racers were largely obliged to grab their food and eat it upon the track. Boynt had worn thin a pair of shoes during the week, but that wasn't his fault. Fever and ague he shot by the scorers' stand somewhere. He dropped out only after

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Sterling drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	57	6 a. m.	51
9 a. m.	67	9 a. m.	62
12 m	70	12 m.	73
3 p m.	75	p. m	82

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise.....4 30 a.m	Sunrise.....4 30 a.m.
Sun Sets.....7 25 p.m.	Sun Sets.....7 25 p.m.
Moon Rises 10. 14 a.m.	Moon Rises.... p.m.

Chronological Events.

Transit Venus, 1769.—Jefferson, Davis born 1808.

Signal Office Prediction.

Slightly warmer.

For Thursday—Fair weather is indicated for New England and the middle Atlantic States, with slight changes in temperature except in New England where the temperature will rise slightly.

JOTTINGS.

—The jurors of the May term of the Union County Courts were discharged on Monday.

—At the Reform Club meeting to-morrow evening Miss Maggie Roeap will read several selections.

—Park avenue between Front and Second streets is receiving a second layer of crushed stone to even off the surface.

—A parlor car on the Bound Brook division of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, which cost $11,000, made $12,500 the first year it was run.

—A meeting was held on Monday afternoon of Classes '83 and '84 of the High School to arrange for the annual reception to the graduating class.

—Schwed Brothers propose to give all purchasers at their establishment to the amount of $5 and upward, next Saturday, a free ticket to O'Brien's circus.

—An act passed by the late Legislature directs Overseers of Roads to remove briers, thistles and weeds growing on the highways, during the months of August and September.

—North Plainfielders anxious to have the community incorporated as a borough are working to secure a majority of the votes to be cast on Tuesday, when the election takes place.

—Next week the final examinations of the members of the Senior Class of the High School will take place, and during the following week the Commencement appointments will be made.

—Look out for plant thieves. Persons have been detected on Grove street, after dark, digging up and stealing choice plants. A good watch dog would be useful in such emergencies, but one individual has a shot gun.

—Samuel J. Neal, of East Front street, has finished the foundation of a two story *frame building at Evona. The house is being* built on a valuable piece of ground and sets sixty feet from the road. It will have all the modern improvements.

—Reading Gordon, of Phillipsburg, a brakeman on the freight train that passes through Somerville in the evening, was fatally injured by the run of the cars on Saturday night, when the wheel slipped, and he was thrown violently to the ground. Two of *his ribs* were broken, and his shoulder severely bruised.

—In the libel case brought by ex-State Senator H. A. Vail, of Rahway, who was a candidate for re-election in this county last November, against Street Commissioner Hughes and others for distributing a circular on the eve of election last November, charging him with defrauding a German out of his property, the indictment against Hughes has been quashed and a nolle prosequi entered as to the others.

Semi-Annual Convention of Temperance Teachers.

The semi-annual convention of the New Jersey Temperance Teachers' Association will be held at Montclair on Thursday and Friday. The Women's Christian Temperance Union of this city is largely engaged in the work of teaching, and a number of ladies from this city will participate in the proceedings of the convention. On Thursday morning Mrs Dunbar, of this city, will lead in the devotional exercises, and Mrs. J. Coard will conduct the Normal Class exercises. On Friday afternoon Mrs. George Opdyke, the superintendent of the kitchen garden work in this city, will make a report, and will illustrate the work by means of a number of pupils which she has arranged to take with her.

Presentation.

Last evening the parlor of Plainfield Engine Co., No. 2, was filled with members of the company, and made to present a festive appearance, the occasion being the presentation by Thomas Keller, the foreman, on behalf of the company, of a fire-hat, a blue beaver overcoat, a rubber coat and a belt to the new chief of the Fire Department, Andrew Jennings, who appropriately responded to the presentation speech, thanking his friends.

Personal.

Dr. I. R. Glen, of East Front street, has returned from North Carolina after an absence of seven months.

The leading business person of Estellville, Cape May County, is Miss Estell Leaming, of the founder of the place. She is superintendent of a saw mill, manages a store and deals extensively in lumber, having many men and teams engaged in the different work of chopping, hauling, etc. She is about thirty years of age and of prepossessing appearance.

THE FEININGER CONCERT.

A Large and Brilliant Audience at Reform Hall.

The occasion of the first annual concert given by the pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Feininger called together a large and brilliant audience at Reform Hall last evening. Many of the leading musical and social lights of the city were present in addition to the personal friends of the performers. The Hall began to fill up early and by eight o'clock nearly all the seats were taken. The program announced that the exercises would commence "at eight o'clock precisely." The "precisely," however, held itself in abeyance for a quarter of an hour.

The program was as follows:

PART I.

Overgure—Piano, Six Hands, "Massaniello" Auber
Misses E. Simonetti, Florence and Mabel Potter, Sophie Feininger and Mrs. Feininger.

Soprano Solo, "O mio Fernando" (La Favorita).....Donnetti
Miss May Tomlinson

Piano Solos
a. Impromptu No. 4 Op. 90.....F. Schubert
Miss Carrie C. Dewey
b. Third Meditation.....A. Jaell
Miss Emma L. M. Rogers

Violin Solo, "Souh Air Varie".....Chas. D. Bertot
Master Eli Long

Piano Solo, "Polka de la Reine".....J. Raff
Miss Alice Holmes

Alto Solo, "Awake, Awake, Beloved".....G Handel
Miss Julia Ketcham

Piano Solos.....C. Feininger
a. "A Leaf from Memory"
Miss Minerva S. Hasdren
b. "Grazioso"
Miss Lida Falkinburgh

PART II.

Violin Solo, "Hohemienne".....H. Vieuxtemps
Master Leonell Feininger

Piano Solo—Fantasie, "Don Juan".....W. A. Mozart
Miss Minerva Worden

Trio, "Lift Thine Eyes" (from Elijah). Mendelssohn
Mrs. Feininger, Miss Tomlinson, and Miss Julia Ketcham

Piano Solo, "Second Rhapsodie".....F. Liszt
Miss Carrie L. Jackson

Songs for Soprano, a. "Heart Throbs,".....F. Beedel
b. "Carpet Song".....C Feininger
Mrs. Carl Feininger

Carnival of Venice, for Four Violins. Chas. Danela
Masters Leonell Feininger and Eli Long, and Messrs. Carl Feininger and E. C. M. Bruce.

The various selections were rendered in a manner highly creditable to the performers and evinced a pains-taking care in preparation. The applause and the flowers were abundant.

To attempt a criticism of the concert would be manifestly out of place, inasmuch as the performers were pupils and not finished artists. The work of Mr. and Mrs. *Feininger in the musical line in this city is* well known, and justly appreciated by the public.

About Mr. Daft's Motor.

Plainfield is the home of several electricians of note, among the most noted being Leo Daft, of Putnam avenue. Concerning one of Mr. Daft's inventions, the Scientific American of May 23, has the following:

The Daft Electric Light Company are building some motors for testing the merits of their invention in a practical manner on some of our main lines. The Electric Record records the fact that two motors are being built for the Baltimore Union Passenger Railway Company, and one for the trial on the Ninth Avenue Elevated, New York city. On both roads work is rapidly being pushed. On the latter the portion chosen for the trial lies between Fourteenth and Fifty-fourth streets, a distance of two miles. As both up-town and down-town tracks will be equipped, there is needed four miles of center rail. This is a 30 foot, 56 pound standard rail. A portion, however, is laid with a smaller rail, 30 pounds to the yard. It has already been put on the entire length, and now only the laying is needed for completion. The rail is specially insulated with Mr. Daft's own admirable fastenings, four of which are placed to each rail. Already the laying is finished from Fourteenth to Thirty-fourth street, on the up-town track. The trackman finding it a little novel at *first, slow progress was made. The complet*ion will be noted within about 10 days or a fortnight. It is proposed to use the two center rails parallel for the out-going current and the outer rails for the return. By this return current. By this means the calculated resistance of such a system is very slight indeed. The frame work of the motor is completed, and now only the work of assembling is need to finish it. Its estimated weight is about seven tons. On Sixteenth street, in an old sugar house—No. 458—one of Mr. Wright's 150 horse power stationary engines and the dynamos will be placed. The foundations are nearly completed, and within a few weeks the primary station will be in readiness.

Thousands of miles, the writer says, have been traveled by these motors, and heavy machinery has been driven for fifteen months or more, thousands of feet from the primal source of energy. The results of the experiments about to be made will go far toward solving the practical and financial problem of utilizing electricity for propelling purposes.

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Dedication Exercises.

The Plainfield Saengerbund dedicated their new hall, on Second street, in the rear of Caspar's saloon, with appropriate exercises, last evening. The hall is handsomely fitted up with furniture. The Band, under the direction of their new leader, George Braun, sang several selections in their native tongue, which were highly appreciated by all. About ten o'clock all present partook of a bountiful repast, prepared for them by mine host Caspar. After satisfying them by mine host Caspar. After satisfying their appetites speech making was in order. Several responded to the call, among them Messrs. Casper and Mass.

SWINDLES ON LOCAL BUSINESS MEN.

A few months ago it was attempted to make a popular hotel man of this city the victim in a note transaction. He was visited by a drummer who had sold him cigars for years, and offered him a fine lot at a very low price, if he would buy them, offering to take a note for three months in payment. The hotel man did not need the cigars but bought them to help the drummer along, giving the note, and taking a receipt therefor.

Then the drummer stated that his home, which is one of the largest in New York, would not allow him to sell to small dealers, and asked permission to have another smaller lot sent in the hotel man's name for the benefit of a friend of the drummer, a small dealer, whom the kind-hearted drummer wanted to help along. The obliging hotel man assented, and in due time the cigars arrived, likewise the bill, the drummer having meanwhile left for parts unknown.

The hotel man promptly sent word of his having given his note in payment, and was promptly visited by a member of the firm and informed that they had not received the note, and that he would have to pay, which he refused to do. No lawyer in town could be found willing to bring suit in the matter, but a lawyer in Elizabeth took hold of it, but it has been decided in favor of the hotel man. Meanwhile the note had become due, and payment was refused on this also, because the firm had promised the endorsement a forgery, before knowing what the result of the other action would be, and in this action the hotel man is also sustained, and instead of being the victim, is ahead by the complication resulting from the attempt to swindle him.

Still another affair has occurred, in which it appears to us, that it is another attempt to make the same hotel man the victim.

An individual who gave his name as Sheppard called at this office and secured the insertion of an advertisement in THE NEWS, stating that he had provided sufficient money to pay just bills, but would settle next day. We departed from our invariable rule of cash with all orders from strangers, because the fellow satisfied us us that he and Mayor Rockfellow had been schoolmates, and, of course, such an excellent mayor must have a high-toned company even in childhood. Why not. Result—we got bit. The fellow had the cheek a week or so afterward to call with a man whom he introduced as his partner, Mr. O'Brien, and both desired us to fill an order for job printing. The order was given and signed them up and declined to have anything to do with them. Meanwhile Sheppard put up at one of the hotels, and secured a loan of $5 out of Mayor Rockfellow, which the mayor has charged to old acquaintanceship sake. The hotel bill we understand has not been paid.

The man O'Brien disappeared, and a few days afterward goods to the alleged value of $200 were shipped to this city, addressed to O'Brien at Mill-r's Hotel, although no such person was stopping there. The goods arrived in the morning by express, and were received by Sheppard, who with Mr. Miller's permission had them left at the hotel for a few hours, taking them away in the afternoon.

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WHAT PEOPLE SAY.

Bob's Composition on Boots.

[By a Front Street Merchant.]

There is 2 kinds of boots. I may think of more. I kind kontains sugar Tother don't kontains nobbin much. I kind grows in the garden, Tother grows regardless. I kind is plenty, Tother is gettin plentier. I kind is sweet, Tother kind is sweet too, on merchants, in fact so sweet that it sticks right to 'em, to the merchants I mean. I kind promises well if the weather is right, Tother keeps on promisin weth-r it is right or not. It is the promisenest kind you ever seen, promises all the time, last of the month, middle of the month, first of the month, next week, day after to-morrow, to-morrow, this eve, some other eve. Plainfield is got tin' beat all around with the kind that Beats all.

A Good Suggestion.

(From an Observer.)

EDITOR EVENING NEWS.—Would it not be a most appropriate act for the Board of Directors of Stillman Music Hall to place at the disposal of the Board of Education, free of charge, the use of the hall for the annual Commencement exercises of the High School? The hall was built as a memorial to the founder of our public schools, and what could be more appropriate than that the Directors should thus show their appreciation, and that of the public at large, of the work of the late Dr. Stillman.

Double Cross-Walks Wanted.

[From Turkey.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS.—*Might I suggest* that all crossings of streets in the neighborhood of the depot and post office ought to be double tracked. I would refer especially to the crossings between Rockfellow's and Reynolds's stores on North avenue and the one at the head of Somerset street, both of which are much crowded and do not allow of any two people crossing in opposite directions at the same time without one stepping into the mud or the dust to allow the other to pass.

Who Would Be Responsible?

[From Visitor.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—Who would be responsible for any accident resulting from the disgraceful state of the pavements of Plainfield? At not the city board to see that they are not left in their present dangerous condition, and would the city not have to pay damages for any accident occurring, especially at night?

Specify the Trees.

[From a Lover of Trees.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS.—By whose authority are our beautiful trees used as advertising boards? Does the city derive any revenue from the source or is this a piece of carelessness or collusion on the part of our overworked police? I think the three newspapers of Plainfield can furnish all the advertising space we want without mutilating the public property.

Mayor Rockfellow says that he does not know of any trees used for the purpose named. He would like our correspondent to specify the places where such use is made of them.

The Cost of Gas.

[From Consolidate.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS.—The price of coal is now down some 30 per cent. How much has the cost of gas been reduced?

The above calling for a reply we sent the proof to an officer of the Gas Company, who replies as follows:

The price of gas coal has gone down about 6 per cent, within the last two years. The price of gas has been reduced within two years 16 2-3 per cent., and now compares favorably with the price card in New York, where the amount consumed and length of mains is taken in consideration.

The Liquor Trial.

The adjourned trial of Maurice Daly for selling liquor on Sunday came up before Judge Ulrich this morning. Four witnesses testified to obtaining liquor at Daly's on Sunday, May 24. Two other witnesses testified to having been at the place on other Sundays and seeing liquor sold. For the defence four witnesses were put on the stand. Mr. Daly testified that he was at church at the time the offence was alleged to have been committed, and that he did not sell liquor on Sundays. Mr. Kelly, the bartender, testified that he had gone to New York for the day. The jury was out but a short time. They found Mr. Daly and Mr. Kelly guilty. The court fined Mr. Daly thirty dollars, or thirty days in the county jail, and Mr. Kelly twenty dollars, or twenty days in the county jail. An appeal was immediately filed and bonds given. The complaint was made by Chief Dodd, and the prosecution was conducted by Corporation Counsel Marsh.

State Notes.

The Gloucester Iron Works are overcrowded with work, and are employing a force of 275 men.

John Horne, a farm hand, living near New Brunswick, was attacked by a bear and badly injured last week.

Seton Hall College will hold its Commencement on June 17th. Archbishop Corrigan, Bishop McQuaid, of Rochester, and Mgr. Doane, of Newark, are to be present.

Work was resumed last week at the iron mines at Ogdensburg, Sussex county, after being idle since last autumn. The mines have been idle a long time, and many of the old employes having left the place, the company had to advertise for 100 men.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, viz., 50c. and $1.00, as other unprincipled and inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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TRACKS OF CRIME.

ALL CRIMINALS VIOLATE LAW ACCORDING TO CERTAIN RULES.

No Original Ideas Among the Law-Breaking Class—The Certainty With Which Crime Averages Up—Short-Sightedness of Rogues.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"The study of crime brings forth some curious facts," observed an old detective the other day. "While you may know just how a certain shot in billiards ought to be made, it may not be possible to make it successfully. So with our business. We may be able to pick up all the clews in a murder case, but the next thing is to catch the murderer.

"What are your curious facts?"

"One of them is that all criminals commit crime after certain rules. It is rarely, indeed, that you find a crook working on an original idea. The burglar works after the style of 100 years ago. The thief has no new ideas. All our murders are committed after what might be called the old-fashioned way. I sometimes wish some offender would develop something new in law-breaking. For instance, I can point you to a case where as many as thirteen attempts have been made to enter a certain residence within the last two years, and each attempt at the same window with the same tools. Isn't that monotonous?

"Another of the curious facts is that crime averages up with as much certainty as the weather or the rise in wheat. If it gains one month it will lose the next. If it falls off in one season it will pick up at another, so that your figuring for one year will not vary greatly from another, except there are special reasons for it. We send about as many criminals to prison each year; about so many give us the slip; about as many commit their first offense, have a close shave from state prison and are frightened into leading honest lives.

"A third curious fact is the shortsightedness of criminals, even when crime is deliberately planned. In a murder case in the interior of the state last year you remember the murderer claimed that some one reached into the bedroom window and hit his wife with a club, the blow causing her death. In his confession, made in the cell, he told that he acknowledged that he had been planning the crime for weeks. Now see how blind he was. The window-sash was raised down at each corner. He broke one nail and left the other! He was made to see that no man, no matter what his height, could have reached into the window far enough to strike any one on the bed, even with a hoe-handle. In planning his perfect safety, he committed half a dozen of the stupidest blunders ever read of.

"Take the case of the average burglar. It seems to be known around his usual haunts that he is ready for cash. Indeed, he volunteers the information himself, makes a haul and returns to give himself dead away by his reckless extravagance.

It is the same with the common thief. If he would steal and hide his plunder for awhile he would give us more hard work, but the idea with him seems to be that if he is not nabbed in the very act he has nothing to fear. He can't wait to dispose of his plunder, and his manner of offering it for sale is a give-away in itself. One will find the fingers caution, of course, but the oldest of them drop foot-prints here and there.

"Size your self it to be after a war map of crime! The bond robber will sooner or later seek to negotiate with bankers or brokers. The stock robber will work his silks and velvets off on friends. He or his wife, not personally, but his 'fence' will. The clerk or cashier, who is embezzling from $1,000 to $5,000 per year, will spend it in wine, suits, horses, and with evil company. When he makes a grab of $10,000 you can depend upon his going to Canada or Mexico. The thief who steals a harness, silver plate, a horse, house or other article, wants the cash for it right away, and you may figure on turning him up at some second-hand store or the pawnbroker's.

"The rule of crime are as plain as the iron tracks of a railroad. You can figure to a moral certainty what a criminal should do and will do, but that isn't catching him. There hasn't been a murder committed in Michigan for twenty years without my feeling morally certain as to the murderer, but what I feel and proofs to convict are two different matters.

"And one of the curious facts is that so many criminals give themselves away. Not one man in thirty can commit murder without eventually sharing his secret with some one. The burden of guilt seems too great for one pair of shoulders. Some criminals will overdo the thing, and by the vehemence of their protestations excite suspicion. Others show guilt by timidity. Others by others by their show of indifference or cheek. I have picked up an offender on the street with no other clew than his manner of pleading as his fellow pedestrians. I have arrested others who looked everybody in the face as frankly as if they felt it a crime to steal a strawberry. They were overdoing the thing by too much frankness.

"Tell me to-day the name of a man in any certain business which you have reason to believe is hard up and cannot pull through his financial straits, and I can tell pretty closely as to what will result. If he belongs to a certain class there will be an honest assignment. If to another certain class there will be a bogus chattel mortgage, or some of the stock will be smuggled away. If to a third, there will be an incendiary fire to secure the insurance. You can count on these runs in crime as certainly as upon the seasons, but the criminal who follows them very often gets to the end of the furrow and takes a new departure before he can be overtaken.

Rather Personal.

[Texas Siftings.]

"I knew your father very well," said an Austin lawyer to Gilhooly. "He was a short, thick-set man, and had little arms."

"If my father had had your fingers at the end of his arms he would have left a bigger estate than he did," replied Gilhooly.

And now that lawyer says if Gilhooly and a yeller dog were to run for congress the dog would capture the vote.

Collecting Damages.

[New York Times.]

A western citizen who had been worsted in a fight was told that he could collect damages. "I did collect damages," he replied mournfully. "I collected everything but a piece of my left ear and two front teeth; I couldn't find them."

Wanted That Particular Kind.

[Tid-Bits.]

It was a feminine disciple of Oscar Wilde who, inquiring for furniture covers, wanted "something with a distinct individuality, but rather subdued—and—pinaive—with a touch of pathos, and faint suggestions of infinite tenderness."

Jul Lafagan! When there are no storms, everybody is a good mariner.

Chicago Lodger: Never trade mules with a man who can't whistle.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

Poisoned by Arsenic in Their Coffee.

By United Press to THE NEWS.

CIRCLEVILLE, O., June 3.—A fatal case of poisoning occurred at the residence of Samuel Bowman yesterday while eating dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Bowman partook of some coffee which afterward proved to contain arsenic. Mrs. Bowman died at three a. m. in convulsions and great agony. Mr. Bowman still lingers, but his case is pronounced hopeless. What motive actuated any one to commit so foul a deed is not known and cannot be conjectured. Suspicion points to a certain person employed on the premises who has always taken his dinner with the family but on this occasion was absent.

A Rejected Lover Shoots Himself.

BOZEMAN, Mont., June 3.—On Monday night, W. H. McMurtry, of Gallatin, went to the residence of Mrs. Kate Allen, a highly respected widow, and earnestly importuned her to become his wife. Mrs. Allen refused him, whereupon McMurtry drew a revolver and fired, wounding Mrs. Allen in the hand and shoulder. The lady ran from the house toward a neighbor's, McMurtry following with a fusillade of pistol shots. Finding his victim had escaped he returned to her, pouge and shot himself through the heart. He had frequently remarked that life without Mrs. Allen wasn't worth the living.

A Mine on Fire.

DURHAM, England, June 3.—The Philadelphia colliery caught fire at noon to-day. There are 600 miners now in the pit at the time. Rescuing parties have succeeded in getting all but 22 of the imprisoned miners out. The missing men are believed to have been burned to death. The mine is still burning, and the loss will be heavy.

A Suicide At Sea.

LIVERPOOL, June 3.—The Steamship Captain of the Allan line, plying between Baltimore and this port arrived here this morning. The Captain reports that during the voyage Chief Engineer Browne suddenly disappeared, and expressed the belief that he had committed suicide by jumping overboard.

[Toronto Globe.]

Melton Wins the Derby.

LONDON, June 3.—The race for the Derby was run to-day. Melton won, with Paradox second and Royal Hampton third.

A Sketch of Chief Poundmaker.

Poundmaker, one of the Cree chiefs, and beyond comparison the ablest Indian in the north-west, is a particularly fine-looking specimen of his race, being over six feet high, of rather slight build, and singularly erect. He has an intelligent and rather refined looking face, with a high, prominent forehead, and a nose of the purely Grecian type, while there is nothing coarse or sensual about the lower portion of his face. His hands are small and delicate in appearance, his fingers being long and faultlessly tapered.

Though a pagan, he has more than once betrayed a strong inclination to embrace Catholicism. His father was a Cree, and his mother a half-sister to the great Blackfoot chief, Crowfoot. His grandmother, on the side of his mother, is said to have been a Stoney, and this is corroborated by the great chief's peculiar cast of countenance. Poundmaker never professed to be a warrior, respects a remarkable one. It was he who accomplished peace between the Blackfeet and Crees, hitherto hereditary enemies. He had trouble with the Indian department last winter, and he is not a man to quickly forget any indignity offered to himself or his people.

There is not an Indian in the northwest who knows the country better than Poundmaker, in fact, Lord Lorne's recent wind across the plains, Poundmaker joined the party for the purpose of interpreting the language of the Blackfeet into Cree, as the interpreter accompanying the party did not understand Blackfoot. Johnny Saskatchewan was taken along to act as guide, but between Battleford and the crossings of the Red Deer, the half-breed lost himself, and for the last two days Poundmaker was "guiding the guide." After crossing the Red Deer, Poundmaker took the lead and traveled in almost an air-line to Blackfoot crossing, though there was no trail, and what was even more remarkable, arranged his "time table" so as to hit the best grass and water to be had, just about camping time on every occasion.

Sea Crabs Three Feet Across.

[Scientific Journal.]

Professor Verrill of the United States fish commission, reports that the zoological results of the deep sea explorations last year were of great interest. Many additions to the fauna of great depth were made, and a large proportion of them are undescribed forms. Some of the fishes were of great interest. Huge spiny spider-crabs over three feet across were taken in 1,000 to 1,200 fathoms, and another very large crab occurred in great abundance in 500 to 1,000 fathoms, while in 2,575 fathoms a large and strong crab-like creature was taken. Many curious shrimp, some of them of large size and brightly colored, and often with perfect eyes, occurred in most of the deepest dredgings. Several very interesting new forms of starfishes, ophiuras and holothurians were dredged, some of them in large quantities, even in the deepest localities. Several interesting new forms of corals, gorgonians, sea-pens, and allied forms also occurred.

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["Gerda" in New Orleans Times-Democrat.]

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One seldom sees a plain-looking member of the fair sex described under 25. After that the whole beautiful structure is apt to be a veritable "Rose of Sharon" for beauty and brightness the American girl of the south is an unparalleled example of beautiful women. Her success for the first time visit, and much prettier the acquirement of the knowledge which is the practice of medicine. She has numberless cousins, all deeply in love with her, and naturally so, for she is the position to a limited and discriminating degree, but doesn't take it seriously. In fact nothing is taken seriously here but coffee.

Coffee is a matter of great anxiety, of profound speculation, the key to domestic fidelity, and the cement of many a family tie. Of their coffee you shall know them, is the popular maxim concerning the grocers, and dismal is the fate of the man of blighted coffee who is weighed in the balance and found wanting in the quality of Mocha. The cousinly affection of the fair Louisianian is by no means to be compared to her devotion to her tiny after-dinner cup of the inspiring brown fluid, and she is delightfully candid in avowing it. The society girl here has no more to say than a northern belle, but she says it better. Conversationally, as in every other way, she is graceful, terse and in excellent taste. She is not eloquent, but her words are, and with a quick play of light and shadow in her face, the instructive action of her suggestive little hands, and the ever-changing emphasis and inflection of her voice, she can make a world of meaning into her most ordinary remarks. The only respect in which her taste is questionable is her fondness for cosmetics. I hope yet to meet a pretty girl who does not endeavor to enhance her beauty, and succeed in hastening its destruction, by the application of the powder puff—or a married woman, or an old maid! They all do it. If you keep your face clean you are a northerner and a barbarian.

Feminine Diagnosis.

[Popular Science News.]

There is a fund of shrewd insight into human nature, and especially woman nature, in the following extract from Oliver Wendell Holmes' address at the centennial of the Harvard medical school:

"I have often wished that disease could be hunted by its professional antagonists in couple—the husband in male form and the wife making a joint visit and attacking the patient—I mean the patient's malady, of course—with their united capacities. For I am quite sure that there is a natural divergence in a woman which would make her no much the superior of man in some particulars of diagnosis as she certainly is in distinguishing shades of color. Many a suicide would have been prevented if the doctor's wife had visited his victim the day before. It is, search. She would have seen in the merchant's face his impending bankruptcy, while her stupid husband was prescribing for his dyspepsia, and indorsing his note. She would recognize the lovelorn maiden by an ill-adjusted ribbon, a line in the features, a droop in the attitude, a tone in the voice, which mean nothing to him, and she the brook could be forged with sorrows. The dual arrangement of which I have spoken is, I suppose, impracticable; but it would be a glorious thing if each detected unless her husband's prescription. Instead of a curtain-lecture, on his own failings, he gets a clinical lecture, on the painting case. It may be, of a neighbor suffering from a complaint known to village sociology as 'a complication of diseases,' which her keen eyes see better than any medical book, as they would through the eye of a small-sized needle. She will find the right end of a case to get hold of, and take the snarls out as she would out of a skein of thread or a ball of worsted, which he would speedily have reduced to a hopeless tangle."

A Crescent City Lady.

[Special to Millers's New Orleans Letter.]

I have found in the city the loveliest lady I know; and I have seen the world well. Her father was rich, traveled Europe with her, she should her in a convent, had her taught all things. Then he became poor. To-day she is in a little shop on Royal street with her old father and little sister, making and selling dainty baby clothes for her neighbors, disguised, and plain. On the contrary, she is as bright as a bird. I believe she is heartwhole; and I know she is hand-free. No, I will not tell you her name, my country; nor for gold. She has honest pride. Besides, she does not need your patronage.

Perhaps you can admire her. I only point to this case as an expression of what I have been trying to teach my people in these papers. I want the women of this country to go to work. Let the men do all the work and the dude will leave his companion on the corner, the lamp-post, to stand alone. We must go to work or go to the devil at once. The women of Orleans are at work; the element of them. Those of New York are idle; so many of them. Get out of your grave a few years more to further on and see which of these cities is ahead.

Go to work at something, I say, before you are compelled to, and it will not seem half so hard. Why, I know a boy in the little maker referred to took me back into a little parlor to see her old father at work. Why, he was in a little palace. And all the walls of this little palace were hung with pictures of her painting, tapestry, and curtains of her handiwork! And then the old shoemaker laid down his pegs and hammer and wax, and all sons and daughters who sat at her piano and played the last opera, and sang it, too, perfectly.

Another View of the Question.

[Detroit Free Press.]

A good deal of outcry is raised in New York about the immorality of women in that city who are paid only 30 cents for making a dress shirt. A society is forming for the purpose of rescuing the souls of these girls, and a correspondent of The Evening Post is not altogether wrong in putting forward another view of it, and that is that women who get 15% a week for making shirts at 30 cents a piece have at own table, or a plain cook, and the girl had no expenses. Shirts at 30 cents a dozen can be made by three in a day; a good, steady girl can do very well at that, and a dozen a week "goods with" would be willing to have, and pay $18 a month. Usually those women who make shirts at 30 cents a dozen do it because they don't know how to do anything else.

Tight Shoes and Looks.

[New York Graphic.]

"As a rule, the first instance after marriage where marital authority is exercised is on the shoe question," said a wise young matron the other day. "You may be wearing the easiest and most sensible of shoes. It does not signify. Two actions are infallibly imposed upon the masculine mind, from birth, I fancy. One, woman is vain; the other, woman's vanity is most pronounced in her foot approval. So the young husband, feeling that all that he is in a position to regulate one woman's vanity, at least in this respect, begins the shoe reform at once. Before we had been married a week my husband had informed me that I wore my shoes two sizes to short and one size too narrow, which was really a remarkable piece of news, for I had never had any sort of trouble with my feet, and took my daily tramp with the greatest comfort. The first time I needed shoes he accompanied me to the shoemaker's and, with his valuable assistance, I procured a pair of shoes so large and easy that they chafed my feet, and at the end of a fortnight I was obliged to discard them, being foot-sore for the first time in my life. It is just as great an error to have a shoe too large as too small. It should fit the foot—no more, no less. Having had our experience," finished madame decisively, "I buy my own shoes. I think my husband exploded his theory at the first test."

The Seal-Skin Sacque Going.

[New York Star.]

"Sealskin sanguas are getting so common that fashionable people are discarding them entirely," said a lady friend of mine the other day, whose husband allows her $5,000 a year for her wardrobe. "You know," she continued, "there are cheap furs which look nearly as well as the best for one season, and so low-priced as to place them in reach of almost every body. My cook, for instance, wears a sealskin she bought for $60. Then the plush imitations are so good as to be deceptive at a short distance. Consequently, one sees sealskin and seal plush everywhere. I've given my cook to my maid, and for cold weather have a black velvet brocade wrap trimmed with silver fox fur, which is quite too lovely for anything.

"I am glad the fashion is going out," she went on. "Seal sacques and circulars are ugly at best, and uncomfortable indoors. They're ungraceful and unhealthy. They can be worn any style of sleeve. Which, though it is a good thing for people with only one wrap, is exceedingly poor form, and deprives the garment of character and tone. Smaller furs, with warm wraps, as elegant as you please, are the proper thing."

Care of the Teeth.

[Dr. Andrew Wilson in "Health."]

The chief points which have to be attended to and observed in connection with the care of the teeth are as follows: First, if possible, the teeth should be rinsed out after every meal. Secondly, the teeth should be brushed, night and morning, with a tooth powder; mere tooth "washes" are ineffective in keeping the teeth clean and pure. A good tooth powder is the "basis" of drug-gists, well made, and having a little camphor added. This preparation is sold under the name of "camphorated chalk." The use of camphor has a stimulating and healthy influence on the gums. Thirdly, use a medium tooth brush, neither too hard nor too soft, and use it with the chill taken off, wherewith to brush the teeth.

By attention to these simple rules, not merely will a notable loss in personal appearance be preserved, but health will be secured and pain avoided. Many a bad attack of toothache disappears if the teeth are attended to, and even some slight aperient medicine has also been administered. If the gums are naturally irritable and tender, a few drops of tincture of myrrh in water should be used to rinse out the mouth twice or thrice daily.

A State Governed by Women.

[Foreign Letter.]

Among the colonial possessions, or, more correctly speaking, dependencies of Holland, there is a remarkable little state which, in its constitution and original costume of its inhabitants, presents a most striking picture of the advocates of women's rights. In the island of Java, between the cities of Batavia and Samarang, is the kingdom of Bantam, which, although wholly subject to Holland, is an independent state. The sovereign is, indeed, a man, but all the rest of the government belongs to the fair sex. The king is entirely dependent upon his state council. The highest authorities, military commanders and soldiers are, without exception, of the female sex. The amazons ride in the masculine style, wearing sharp steel points instead of spurs. They carry a pointed lance, which they wield very gracefully, and also a musket, which is discharged at full gallop. The capital of this little state lies in the most picturesque part of the island in the fruitful plain, and is defended by two well-kept fortresses.

Women Among Themselves.

[Clara Belle's Letter.]

The girls in the women's stores are treated with either tyranny or contempt by their employers whose they wait upon, and no two brother Bob carried into one of these stores the masculine custom of tipping the girl who waited on him with a quarter of a dollar tears came into her eyes.

"I have not offended you, have I?" said Bob.

"Oh, no," she said; "but in all the years I have stood behind these counters that is the first kindly attention I ever received."

"What!" said Bob, "such an experience in a life spent in the service of ladies! How can that be?"

"Oh," she said, laughing and turning to end the conversation, "the girls are one sort of creature to themselves and quite another sort among themselves. I hope you may never see them as they see themselves."

Bob told me this as a good joke. He thinks the girl was a crank. I know better. She was a philosopher.

Undue Prominence.

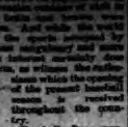
[Detroit Free Press.]

One of the greatest obstacles to the progress of womankind is the undue prominence given to matrimony. With the majority of women marriage is the aim and object of existence, and they wait for it, hopefully or despairingly according to circumstances. Even those who take up some regular employment regard it as a means of subsistence alone. They do not expect to devote more than a few years to it, and therefore there is little to stimulate their ambition. They have no purpose other than to get the necessities of life and bridge

BASE BALL.

Some of the players of the Chicago and Cincinnati clubs have been engaged during the past season in writing for the press, and their knowledge of the game has rendered their letters of more than ordinary interest. It is not necessary to say that the game has grown in favor, and the spectators are numbered by thousands. Base ball is a game of skill, and the public favorites are not disinclined to them, as witness the ovation given to Spalding when he appeared on the field after his return from England.

A. G. ANSON.



The Championship season has been a very successful one, and the public fairly revels in them, as witness the ovation given to Spalding when he appeared on the field after his return from England.

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JOB PRINTING OF ALL KINDS.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

	1885.		1884.
6 a. m.	55	6 a. m.	66
9 a. m.	68	9 a. m.	75
12 p. m.	72	12 m.	81
3 p. m.		p. m.	87

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885		1884	
Sunrise	4.20 a. m.	Sunrise	4.30 a. m.
Sun Sets	7.25 p. m.	Sun Sets	7.23 p. m.
Moon Rises	10. 14 p. m.	Moon Rises	p. m.

Chronological Events.

George III born 1738.—New Orleans inundated 1849.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair, warmer weather, followed by local rains.

For Friday—Local rains are indicated for New England, the northern portion of the Middle Atlantic, and the lower lake region and fair weather in the Southern portion of the Middle Atlantic and Gulf States.

JOTTINGS.

—The game room at the Young Men's Christian Association Rooms have been partially fitted up.

—Owing to illness Miss Roemp will be unable to appear at Reform Hall this evening. Miss Kinney will probably recite instead.

—The Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association meet this evening in the Association rooms on East Front street.

—The Casino will be open to-morrow evening. A full band will be in attendance. On account of the circus there will be no session on Saturday.

—There 1776 school children in Rahway, of whom 889 are males and 887 females. The nearly equal distribution of the sexes is something unusual.

—*The gold medal which was won by Fred* Moore at the recent six hour skating contest at the Casino rink was presented to him last evening by the manager, Heath and Foster.

—There is much complaint on the part of the Rahway patrons of the Pennsylvania *R. R. at the dilatory action of the company* in not beginning the erection of the new depot at that place.

—Mrs. James C. Pope, who has presided at the organ for some time past at the Reform Church music meeting and also has assisted *Freeholder Vanderbeck, the leader*, in the singing, has resigned.

—On the last Friday of this month the Junior Boys' Society of the Y. M. C. A. will give an entertainment to which the parents and friends of the members and the Senior *Society will be invited.*

—About forty members of the Senior Boys' Society of the Y. M. C. A. were out playing base ball yesterday afternoon. At the meeting of the Society on Tuesday evening one or two times will probably be formed from the best players.

—The following officers of the Senior Society of the Boys' Branch of the Y. M. C. A. have been elected: President, Fred Cuthbert; Vice-President, Charles Schermerhorn; Chaplain, Frank Newman; Secretary, Edward Perrine; Treasurer, John Polak; Sergeant-at-Arms, Frank Smith.

—The Almanacs of Rahway have finished the enumerating, and the population is within a fraction of 6800. This is an increase of about six per cent. over the population in 1880. It is said there are at least 200 mechanics absent in consequence of the depression in trade, most of whom will return on the revival of business.

—The complaint, yesterday, of West Fourth street, was brought before Judge Ulrich this morning on complaint of Mrs. Mary Reed for using obscene language. The Judge fined her five dollars, or ten days in the county jail. Mrs. Dashays said that she would go to jail for thirty days before paying the fine.

—George R. McKenzie, President of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, has paid all the remaining debt of the Third Presbyterian Church of Elizabeth, and presented a deed of the property to the trustees. The gift is conditional on the church retaining forever the name of the Scotch Presbyterian Church, never having any instrumental music in it, and remaining in connection with the Jersey City Presbytery.

—Mr. J. R. Gibbs, the President of the Manhattan Temperance Association of New York, which holds large Sunday evening meetings in the magnificent Masonic Temple of that city, is to address, by invitation of President French, the Plainfield Reform Club, next Sunday evening. As already noted in these columns, Mr. Gibbs has rented a house in the heart of this city. Rev. Dr. Ketchum and Judge Ulrich will also speak.

—Now that the State Capital Rebuilding Commission has decided not to proceed with its work of rebuilding the capitol Bound Brook will have plenty of time to set forth the claims of this place to be the proper location for the State Capital. Bound Brook is the railroad center of the State and its girls are the prettiest in the country. What further inducements can legislators want? The capitol must come to Bound Brook.—Bound Brook Chronicle.

—Health Inspector Plant and the Board of Health are considering means whereby Green Brook and the race adjacent may be cleaned from the filth which has been emptied into those places from time to time, and are devising plans to prevent a continuance of the nuisance. Some of the sewers of the city necessary to have, empty into Green Brook or the race, and the committee is thus handicapped in their endeavors to keep the water course clean.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY.

Home Stabs from a Medical Authority.

(From E. W. G.)

As some countries have recently been visited by cholera, and misgivings are felt that it may be an unwelcome visitor to our shores long, would it not be well to publish a few hygienic hints that may prove useful to the community at large, whether it makes its appearance or not;

Allow no dirt nor rubbish of any kind to accumulate about the premises, especially in the cellar, also see to it closely that no decaying vegetable matter, such as potatoes or cabbage, is left there to breed disease.

An application of lime in the shape of white-wash to the cellar walls is healthy *and cleanly.*

Permit the cellar windows to be frequently opened in order to admit fresh air, as this avoids dampness and mould.

Avoid sudden cool changes in the weather by putting on, temporarily, extra clothing.

Avoid taking cold or becoming chilled, or on the other hand, becoming over-heated.

Use that diet which is most healthy, avoiding young meats, all indigestible food, canned meats, rich pastries and dessert.

Do not overload the stomach, even with healthy food.

Observe regularity in eating, and masticate the food thoroughly before permitting it to pass into the stomach.

Avoid late suppers, and let the evening meal be light.

Avoid all stimulants and alcoholic beverages.

Do not drink freely of ice water.

Have all drinking water boiled twenty minutes and put away to cool, before using.

Use neither hot nor cold baths, but of such temperature as is pleasant to the body, say 75 to 85 degrees Fahrenheit. Let them be quickly taken and not too frequent.

Encourage good temper, hope and cheerfulness and avoid excesses of all kinds.

An occasional outing of a few pennies for a quart of chloride of lime to be sprinkled around, and in sinks, water-pipes and outhouses will frequently save dollars in doctor's bills, and prevent disease and perhaps death.

One of the best prophylactics against cholera is a small quantity of flour of sulphur sprinkled inside the cooking twice a week, and worn next the foot, during its prevalence or apprehended approach.

A Brave Plainfield Boy.

*Yesterday afternoon the driver of Plain*field Engine Co., No. 2, was engaged with the team in moving a family into the Van Kandt house on 7th street. The horses were left standing in the yard with a child not over five years old on the seat of the truck. They became frightened and started on a run out of the yard, striking the gate as they went, and breaking it down. It still swung, and threw the child off the seat backward on the truck. The horses then turned towards Ninth street and got under good headway, when Fenton Haynes, a boy not over twelve years of age, a son of Charles Haynes, of 19 First Place, heard the child scream and saw the horses running from the next yard where he was playing croquet. In less time than it takes to write it, the boy had jumped the fence and caught one of the big horses by the bit. Several of the neighbors who saw the drive set out were fearful last the lad would be trampled to death. But he pulled and jerked and finally succeeded in turning them so that they ran into a large tree which brought them to a standstill, without injury. About this time the driver came and took charge of the team, and forgot to even thank the brave lad who had jeopardized his life in stopping the horses.

The North Plainfield Public School.

There are nine members in the highest class in the North Plainfield Public School, three of whom are boys. The Board of Trustees have under consideration plans for the second annual commencement exercises of the school, which are expected to be perfected at the next meeting of the Board.

The school building is a very pleasant one, and the work of the various classes evinces the careful training of Principal Bose and his corps of assistants. In the library are samples of the work done, tastefully bound in portfolios. A map of North Plainfield, drawn by William Stahl, and other maps and drawings great credit to the blackboard work is thorough, and numerous specimens of the scholars' skill may be seen in any of the rooms.

—Mr. Page, who is at work with his consumers' arrangement for the introduction of the District Telegraph and Fire Alarm Company's system, states that he has secured over one hundred signatures to contracts for one year for their patent ball box, and is very much encouraged from various sources. He considers that these will give him a right of way, exempting to erect poles to supply with a wire. He hopes to obtain from the Common Council this privilege without obstructing the streets in any way by poles. They propose to continue their work and upon securing 500 subscribers, as they are confident they will, propose to introduce the entire fire-alarm system for the benefit of the city generally.

—The pictures for the new Jok Male Art Gallery have been placed in position, and the doors are at present being stained. It will be some days or four weeks before the library will be opened to the public, and it is suggested that the opening day be the Fourth of July, and that the admission be at popular prices. Good idea.

—One of the young ladies on a picnic party from the city to Chimney Rock on Monday last, had a fresh water bath by falling in the brook.

—The carpets of the new Council Chamber and City Court rooms which are of beautiful designs, were furnished by Pope Bros.

—Rev. J. C. Crate, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Mount Landing, has been stricken with paralysis.

The Name Not in the Directory.

The Elizabeth Journal yesterday contained the following:

"Three women sat in the Broad street depot, Newark, about two o'clock yesterday afternoon. Two of them conversed together, while the third sat by, a few seats away. At length the youngest of the two, a dark-complexioned girl, left, saying she was going to purchase tickets. Before she returned the older companion took a train for Elizabeth. The young girl then boldly attended the completion of the remaining lady. The girl said that she had been deserted by her aunt, whereupon the lady took her home and gave her some supper. Afterwards she took her to headquarters, where the charitable policeman gave her fare for Philadelphia, from where she was supposed to belong. The other lady then took to the Market street station to get the ticket, but she went away and was reconstituted. The girl then said her name was Mary Kuhn, and that she lived with her parents in Plainfield. For the last two weeks she had been boarding with her aunt in Newark. She returned the money to the Lieutenant and was locked up in the witness room for the night."

Yesterday he aunt, Ross Hazelbing, of 134 Mercer street, Newark, called at Police Headquarters and stated that while she did not believe Mary was a bad girl, still it seems impossible for her to keep a situation, her great fault being that she would not tell the truth. Mrs. Hazelbing says that after the husband refused to allow Mary to return on account of her action last night. She accompanied the girl to Broad street station and started her for Plainfield.

The name of Kuhn does not appear in the city directory. This is not very remarkable, however, as we have hundreds of subscribers on our books whose names are not in the directory.

Personal.

Miss Mary Loughlin, of this city, is summering in Vermont.

Mrs. Smillie and family, of Plainfield avenue, *will summer at Asbury Park.*

General Long, of Grove street, has returned from a trip to Barnegat Bay.

Mrs. Stephen Perrine, of this city, is visiting the family of Gen. Adam Schneider, of Chimney Rock.

John Taylor Johnston and family have taken possession of their summer residence on East Front street.

The wife of President Jones of the Fire Board is stigtily improved to-day. She has been ill for some time.

Mr. J. U. Fraley and family started today for their home in Elberon, where they will remain for the Summer.

Robert Manning, formerly of, this city, but now of the New York Fire Department, *was visiting friends here yesterday.*

The Rev. A. V. V. Raymond, of the Trinity Reformed Church, is in attendance at the national synod of his denomination at Syracuse.

Councilman Goddard has become the agent in six counties in New Jersey for the Phenix Life Insurance Co., of Hartford, and has opened an office on East Front street, over Schwed's.

Wedding Bells.

A select few were present at the Rectory of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church at half-past five o'clock yesterday afternoon to witness the marriage ceremony performed by Father Smyth, the pastor, which made Jeremiah A. Moore, Foreman of Gamelle Engine Co., and Miss Maggie Scott, man and wife. After the usual congratulations of their friends, the wedding party proceeded to the bride's home, where they partook of a tempting repast and enjoyed themselves for about an hour and a half. Mr. and Mrs. Moore left the city on the 7.35 train last evening on an extensive wedding trip. Upon their return to this city the happy couple will reside at the corner of Madison avenue and Fourth street.

State Notes.

Fort Jervis' rink, which cost $7,500, has closed, and will be sold at a sacrifice.

An east-bound freight train on the Pennsylvania Railroad struck and killed an unknown man early yesterday morning at South Elizabeth.

John Sullivan, a coal-black negro, flourished a razor in the upper portion of Jersey City early yesterday morning and was sent to prison for six months.

The N. J. Zinc and Iron Company, whose works at Franklin were burned in July, are negotiating for the Boonton Iron Works and will probably remove their works to that place shortly.

John Quackenbush, for many years confidential business agent of Jesse Hoyt, dropped dead from heart disease last evening in Hasbrouck. He left two daughters, one married.

R. S. Grumman, the Bloomfield saddlery manufacturer, whose factory was reported as shut down, because it was out of orders for repairs, and that he is now running over time to recover the time lost.

James Daine, of No. 50 South Fifth-ave., New York, fell overboard yesterday from the Dreman steamship wharf at Hoboken on the complaint of Louis A. Lehnert, of No. 38 Fulton street, who charged him with attempting to pick his pocket.

Miss Minnie Palmer's $40,000 diamond, known as the "Cleveland Gem," is in a safe at Fogg's Headquarters, Newark. The jewelry firm is making a setting for the diamond and the gem is in the custody of the police for safe keeping.

Detective Cleo yesterday arrested Annie Brown, twenty-three years old, a servant in the employ of Mr. Cryer, 31 Van Horne avenue, Jersey City. Annie disappeared on Tuesday afternoon. After she had gone it was discovered that Mrs. Cryer had lost a gold watch and chain and $24 belonging to one of the boarders. The property was recovered.

John Smith and John J. Salters have been found guilty in the Court of Sessions for conspiring to defraud the Portland Cement Company out of $1,000. They rented a store at 139 Henderson street, Jersey City, in February and sent large quantities of cement to Hoboken, Jersey Shore, whither canned goods, etc. As soon as the goods were received they were shipped off to parties.

The Solicitor of the Camden Board of Freeholders has given an opinion sustaining the Committee on Works in its stand to put the Broadway Ferry franchise forfeited by the county jail under the "disorderly act" to work. The committee made another demand on Sheriff Stanton that prisoners be put to work, under the fact in question be placed in charge, but that official declined to comply until he had a conference with the attorney.

New Jersey Ingenuity.

The following is the latest list of patents granted to residents of this State, Mr. Scott, of this city, securing another patent—for a delivery device for printing machines:

Belt driving pulley, James Stanley, Newark; spark arrester, W. Miller, Orange; pulley, R. W. Bette, Montclair; combined dynamite and safety valve, P. Clark, Rahway; exhaust mechanism for locomotive, S. F. Dunning, Paterson; safety valve, T. Keys et al., Newton; combination drawing pulley, T. F. Lamascus, Newark; delivery device for printing machines, W. Scott, Plainfield; water pipe, C. Bils, Linden; key, R. W. Britten, Newark; feed water heater, W. R. Burbeth, Camden; holder for vessels, J. F. Eustis, Newark; harness attachment, R. G. Cumford, Jr., Newark; roofing felt and its manufacture (two patents), J. Jawitz, Stanley; connecting device for switch-board, E. W. Smith, Newark; designs (four patents), C. T. Mayer, Bergen; harness, H. E. Tomkins, J. T. Goodall, Newark.

Two unknown men were found dead on the Pennsylvania Railroad near Trenton yesterday. They had been run over. One of the men, from a paper found on him, is believed to be Thomas Dillon, of Philadelphia.

Sanford Sisco, the negro who murdered Abraham Garmes some time ago, is to be hanged at Hackensack to-morrow. Much comment is excited by the fact that he is to be buried in the same cemetery in which his victim was interred.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, for the 25 and 1.00, as often times imitations of inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. R. Force is the only agent for Plainfield.

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7 23 a. m.	9 30 a. m.	4 00 p. m.	5 36 p. m.
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All trains connect for Newark and New York at 9 30 a. m., and 12 23 p. m.
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MARTIAL YOUNG WOMEN.

An Instructor Who Drills Ladies Into the Mysteries of 'Military Tactics'

[Washington Republican.]

"My experiment of instructing young ladies in military tactics has caused more interest in the matter than I thought it would," remarked Sergt. Maj. Dunn, of the marine corps, last night, to a reporter.

"What led you to undertake the experiment?" asked the reporter.

"A mere freak of fancy. For many years I have attended the evening drills of the marine corps, and also the Washington light infantry and the National rifles and their entertainments, and with such success in these undertakings that the thought occurred to me to turn my attention to making militiamen of fair maidens. I judge, though, that I unpremeditatedly forced self upon strings on my mind by watching the waxy drills of the ladies in various plays of the kind. I am more than satisfied with the results of my initiative, and Amazonian Manipulators. A curious name this to take, but if you could see the way they handle the broom as a rifle you would say that they were a success.

"Have you much trouble in instructing the girls?

"None at all. I find that they enter into the spirit of the drill with more earnestness and zeal than men do. They are quicker to learn, too, and I do not see why they cannot stand better the instructions given to them than the average male recruit. It is the best exercise possible for ladies. It gives them an erect position, develops the chest, and gives free motion to the body and limbs. In the foot movement, such as marching and wheeling, it is graceful, yet regular movement, and the cadence is perfectly kept in the order of the in tructor. When the manual of arms, or rather the manual of the broom, is gone through with the steps are kept in perpetual motion. There is also to be added that the eye and ear are trained to be quick and sharp, and the mind disciplined, for I venture to say, from my experience in drilling young ladies, that it is not impossible to train them to march and drill with a readiness of action that would startle the male arms. I would not be surprised to hear added some day the name of some female corps entering in competition with male companies for prizes. Ladies have the ambition to excel and the patience to succeed. There will be a big boom in this direction before long, or my guesses have gone wide of the mark."

Alsbee Indians.

[Arkansaw Traveler.]

Several cases of natives of India, having a white skin, have been reported. Mr. A. Y. Peterson, of Alsbee, Ark., has a family in which several white persons, resembling Hindoos, had appeared, the parents having the ordinary features of the natives. They have not the appearance of albinos. The skin of the albinos is much more sensitive to the sun's rays than that of other persons, and even of Hindoos. The contrast between white and dark relatives having a striking resemblance of feature is said to be most remarkable.

A Good Illustration.

[Exchange.]

An ostrich egg weighs nearly thirty times as much as an average hen's egg; but to hear the hen's remarks after laying an egg one would suppose she had beat the ostrich out of sight. It is a good deal the same way with human beings. Some will make more fuss and brag over their little thin-shelled mind — mean they often do over a big, inventive or work that becomes historical.

Beautiful Was the Night.

[Exchange.]

"Oh, George! How superlatively still, solemn and beautiful is the night!" she whispered, hanging her finely veined temple against his coat collar, "how soothing, how restful!"

"Yes," he replied, toying with her cheek and shoulder of hair. "What a night to stock cattle!"

THEY MUST ALL GO.

CLUVERIUS' AGONY.

A Short Time to Decide Whether He Shall be Free.

Recorder Jones yesterday T. Cooper, junior counsel for the defense in the Cluverius murder trial, addressed the court and jury for nearly two hours. The strength of his argument lay in his efforts to show from the evidence of the witnesses for the State that it had been negligent in duty in trying to force a conclusion of guilt by making the testimony of witnesses who opposed the theory of murder, and that the murder was committed by the accused. The suicide theory was advanced by the speaker.

The speaker reviewed the evidence of the prosecution in pieces and showed many discrepancies and improbabilities. He asserted that the testimony for the prosecution was frightfully muddled and incredible.

Judge W. W. Crump, senior counsel, began the closing argument for the defense. There were two conditional points upon which the common wealth relied for a conviction. The first was that the accused took the deceased to the reservoir and slew her, and the second was that there was a piece of property (a watch-key) belonging to the accused found there. There was not a particle of evidence to prove that the accused had ever been near the spot.

At the afternoon session Judge Crump took up the question of identity and cautioned the jury upon the subject.

He then followed the evidence of the prosecution, pointing out the weakness in that particular and its conflicting character. Judge Crump took up the question of the ownership of the watch-key found at the reservoir, and asserted that from all the testimony the prisoner had never been seen to have such a key.

Judge Crump next took up the question of the motive for the crime and spoke briefly on that point. Lastly, he turned to the question of the testimony of the death of the deceased, and asked if it was not produced by her own hands. He pointed out how easy it was for her to have gone to the reservoir and thrown herself into it.

ST. LOUIS' CHINESE MURDER.

Committed by a Highbinder Who was Paid $600 for the Job.

St. Louis, June 4.—Latest developments in the Chinese murder case point to the theory that it is a case of execution of a death sentence by "Highbinders," who murdered Johnson in obedience to one of the mysterious Chinese courts of the Vehi Companies. Five Chinamen are held, the only evidence against them, however, being that they are Chinese who have come to dwell for the murder of Johnson. The principal in the crime is believed to be hiding in this city, but the wary Mongolians are profoundly secret. Detectives admit that a clue is lost, but hope to unravel the mystery yet.

Later.—A clew to the murderer of the Chinaman, Lou Johnson, has been obtained, which implicates a Chinaman by the name of "highbinder" of the regulation stripe, who has been in the city a few weeks, and who disappeared on the day of the murder. He was traced in a roundabout direction, and telegrams were sent out for his interception.

Chyo Pock was arrested in Murphysboro, Ill., 100 miles south of this city. At first he pretended to be unable to speak English, but was finally induced to talk. He coolly confessed that he had killed Johnson, and was paid $600 for the job by the Chinese gamblers of this city, whom Johnson had been instrumental in bringing before the courts. He was also searched and discovered two bulldog revolvers and a bowie knife stained with the blood of Johnson.

The Broken Shackamaxon Bank.

Philadelphia, June 4.—The board of directors of the broken Shackamaxon bank have decided to make an assignment of their property for the benefit of creditors, where application will be made to the court for the appointment of Joseph Ferguson and William H. Shrire as assignees. The books of the bank are being arranged for the final examination as rapidly as possible, and it will require at least a week's time before any official statement can be made of the affairs. The depositors of the bank have taken action to protect their interests by the appointment of a committee of five to confer with the board of directors and the experts, and obtain such information as may be beneficial to the depositors.

War in Central America.

Panama, June 4.—Advices from Salvador state that the revolutionists under Gen. Medina were defeated on the 27th ult., the rebels losing thirty-five killed, thirty-nine wounded and many prisoners. Gen. Figuera has succeeded Zaldivar as president of Salvador.

The revolutionists attacked Carthagena on the 8th inst., but were defeated with a loss of 400 killed. They are raising the siege of that city. Later advices state that 500 government troops defeated 1,000 revolutionists near Armenia. One hundred were taken prisoners. On the government side two field pieces that had been furnished by the Guatemala government were captured.

The Exposition to Be Open Next Winter.

New Orleans, June 4.—The management of the exposition made a proposition to the United States government to retain the art exhibits of the different states for the reopening. The exposition agrees to pay $90,000 to the Southern Pacific company out of the money subscribed by citizens, to be paid at the rate of $18,000 per month. This proposition was unanimously adopted by the commissioners, and it is thought will not probably will remain in the government building. The exhibits are the most valuable and attractive in the grounds, and their retention will do much to make a success of the fair next winter.

The Kentucky Central Strike.

Cincinnati, June 4.—The Kentucky Central railroad strike continues unabated. An attempt was made at 10:30 a. m. to pull a freight train out of Covington yards, but the strikers uncoupled the train from the locomotive and ordered the engineer to take the engine into the round house, which he did.

At Paris there are 100 strikers, who have five freight and construction trains side tracked and seven locomotives "dead."

In Paris, as in Covington, all freight business is at a standstill.

Our Coast Defenses.

Washington, June 4.—The fortifications board, recently appointed under authority of the river and harbor bill appropriation bill, met at the navy department and began work in out a programme. Under the terms of the act, the board is to examine and report at what ports fortifications or other defenses are most urgently required, and the character and kind of defense best adapted for each, with reference to armament and the utilization of torpedoes and other defensive appliances. For the necessary and proper expenses of the board $40,000 is available.

Gov. Currier Inaugurated.

Concord, N. H., June 4.—Gov. Currier was inaugurated. The military parade was the feature of the occasion. The Hon. Edgar Aldrich (Rep.), of Littleton, was chosen president of the board and Hon. Charles Pike (Rep.), of Cornish, president of the senate.

CANADA, THE HAVEN.

TELLER SCOTT BELIEVED TO HAVE REACHED THE ROGUES' REST.

The Manhattan Bank Officials Reward for His Capture—What Bankers Say About Employes Stealing.

[By Promotion to Peculation.]

New York, June 4.—It has been learned that Richard S. Scott, the paying teller of the Manhattan company's bank, who stole over $100,000, left the city on Saturday evening at the 5:30 o'clock Montreal express. He was seen to enter the train by a depositor in the bank who knew him. Officers of the Manhattan bank followed on the Canada. The bank has offered a reward of $5,000 for his capture. Pinkerton's detectives have been placed specially on the case. Robert A. Pinkerton, it is understood, is personally on the track of the fugitive. The theory of President Hays and Cashier Baldwin is that Scott took the $160,000 within a very short time after the closing of the bank on Saturday, and asserted that from all the testimony the prisoner had never been seen to visit such a key.

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St. Louis, June 4.—Latest developments in the Chinese murder case point to the theory that it is a case of execution of a death sentence by "Highbinders," who murdered Johnson in obedience to one of the mysterious Chinese courts of the Vehi Companies. Five Chinamen are held, the only evidence against them, however, being that they are Chinese who have come to dwell for the murder of Johnson. The principal in the crime is believed to be hiding in this city, but the wary Mongolians are profoundly secret. Detectives admit that a clue is lost, but hope to unravel the mystery yet.

Later.—A clew to the murderer of the Chinaman, Lou Johnson, has been obtained, which implicates a Chinaman by the name of "highbinder" of the regulation stripe, who has been in the city a few weeks, and who disappeared on the day of the murder. He was traced in a roundabout direction, and telegrams were sent out for his interception.

Chyo Pock was arrested in Murphysboro, Ill., 100 miles south of this city. At first he pretended to be unable to speak English, but was finally induced to talk. He coolly confessed that he had killed Johnson, and was paid $600 for the job by the Chinese gamblers of this city, whom Johnson had been instrumental in bringing before the courts. He was also searched and discovered two bulldog revolvers and a bowie knife stained with the blood of Johnson.

The Broken Shackamaxon Bank.

Philadelphia, June 4.—The board of directors of the broken Shackamaxon bank have decided to make an assignment of their property for the benefit of creditors, where application will be made to the court for the appointment of Joseph Ferguson and William H. Shrire as assignees. The books of the bank are being arranged for the final examination as rapidly as possible, and it will require at least a week's time before any official statement can be made of the affairs. The depositors of the bank have taken action to protect their interests by the appointment of a committee of five to confer with the board of directors and the experts, and obtain such information as may be beneficial to the depositors.

War in Central America.

Panama, June 4.—Advices from Salvador state that the revolutionists under Gen. Medina were defeated on the 27th ult., the rebels losing thirty-five killed, thirty-nine wounded and many prisoners. Gen. Figuera has succeeded Zaldivar as president of Salvador.

The revolutionists attacked Carthagena on the 8th inst., but were defeated with a loss of 400 killed. They are raising the siege of that city. Later advices state that 500 government troops defeated 1,000 revolutionists near Armenia. One hundred were taken prisoners. On the government side two field pieces that had been furnished by the Guatemala government were captured.

The Exposition to Be Open Next Winter.

New Orleans, June 4.—The management of the exposition made a proposition to the United States government to retain the art exhibits of the different states for the reopening. The exposition agrees to pay $90,000 to the Southern Pacific company out of the money subscribed by citizens, to be paid at the rate of $18,000 per month. This proposition was unanimously adopted by the commissioners, and it is thought will not probably will remain in the government building. The exhibits are the most valuable and attractive in the grounds, and their retention will do much to make a success of the fair next winter.

The Kentucky Central Strike.

Cincinnati, June 4.—The Kentucky Central railroad strike continues unabated. An attempt was made at 10:30 a. m. to pull a freight train out of Covington yards, but the strikers uncoupled the train from the locomotive and ordered the engineer to take the engine into the round house, which he did.

At Paris there are 100 strikers, who have five freight and construction trains side tracked and seven locomotives "dead."

In Paris, as in Covington, all freight business is at a standstill.

Our Coast Defenses.

Washington, June 4.—The fortifications board, recently appointed under authority of the river and harbor bill appropriation bill, met at the navy department and began work in out a programme. Under the terms of the act, the board is to examine and report at what ports fortifications or other defenses are most urgently required, and the character and kind of defense best adapted for each, with reference to armament and the utilization of torpedoes and other defensive appliances. For the necessary and proper expenses of the board $40,000 is available.

Gov. Currier Inaugurated.

Concord, N. H., June 4.—Gov. Currier was inaugurated. The military parade was the feature of the occasion. The Hon. Edgar Aldrich (Rep.), of Littleton, was chosen president of the board and Hon. Charles Pike (Rep.), of Cornish, president of the senate.

ROBERT TOOMBS ON THE NEGRO.

A Speech Made Two Days Before His Death.

Atlanta, Ga., June 4.—The Evening Journal publishes an interview with ex-Senator Robert Toombs on the future of the negro. They are his views, as they would have been given in The North American Review, had not death intervened. The preparation of an article for that periodical. He says his speech on slavery in Tremont temple, Boston, is as true to-day as it was then. "It will be for all time. The negro race is an inferior race. He was so created, and if God had not intended to make him inferior to the white man he would never have created him at all. All history shows him to be incapable of governing himself. He cannot, therefore, govern others. He is everything but fit for the making of him as a race, Mr. Toombs says the position of Rev. Dr. Haygood, that the two races must rise or fall together, is very foolish.

"The negro race is dependent on the white for everything. He does not think they can be educated. It will be found in the end that the negro as a race is uneducable. He says education is increasing crime among them. A negro is out of his element when he is educated. His natural home is the cotton patch and the plow. There he has always done best, there he will always do best.

As to the future of the negro race in the South, he said: "It is the plainest thing in the world, he will die out. He is dying out now. I think I ought to understand the matter, as I have studied enough. I tell you that it is being falsely interpreted by certain people in this country. The negro is dying out as a race; he is bound to die out. That is the outcome of it all. It is the history of all inferior races, and here is the broad distinction: The negro race is a sun shade to the white race. The negro performs in time the scrubs are bound to die out, but the thoroughbreds live on to procreate the species. It is a law of God and cannot change."

THE ENGLISH DERBY.

A Magnificent and Closely Contested Race Won by Archer.

London, June 4.—Sporting experts agree that the crowds at the Derby have never been equaled in former years, and certainly a more superb race was never run on Epsom Downs. The race was between Archer, Wootton and Paradox for fully 100 yards before the finish. Archer and Webb were riding the two favorites for all they were worth. Both jockeys were applying the whip in the notch of speed. They were running so closely together that it seemed impossible that either jockey could force out the few extra inches that would give him the race, and the breathless thousands, watching the struggle with intensest interest, began to conclude it would be a dead heat like last year's race, when St. Gatien and Harvester divided the honors. But Melton's gameness and Archer's terrific energy conquered in the last stride, and Archer went under the judge's chair a winner by a short head. The spectators went mad with enthusiasm. Lord Hastings' colt had not only been the favorite in the betting, but with the ladies and the non-sporting visitors, and his owner, who had never before won a Derby, is the most universally popular. It was Prince Archer's fourth Derby victory, the others being in 1877 with Silvio, in 1880 with Bend Or, and in 1881 with the American, Iroquois.

The report of the Derby race was telegraphed in every direction with wonderful promptness. The cable news wired, the result to Sunkin and Agnew, Dorchester, Dongola News, edited and printed by soldiers of Gen. Wolseley's expedition, published a special edition containing the Derby news, after making allowance for the difference in time between the two places.

Lamsden to be Lionized in London.

London, June 4.—The Tories are preparing to lionize Sir Peter Lumsden, who is expected to arrive at London this week, by the overland route from India, and who, they bitterly resent the recall of Sir Peter from his post as the Afghan frontier commissioner, which they compare to compelling a brave soldier to retreat before the face of the enemy. The Tories are determined to make him the embodiment of the warlike policy, which has been ignominiously repudiated by the government, and if Sir Peter talks as freely in condemnation of the peace-at-any-price advocates as he has lately done in the Afghanistan he will delight the hearts of the opposition. Sir Peter will be expected to be the hero of the occasion at the great anti-Russian meeting, which the Primrose league proposes to hold in St. James' hall next Wednesday evening.

General Meagher Denies That He is Dying.

Washington, June 4.—Hon. Assistant Postmaster General Hay is annoyed by the numerous publications that he is not long for this world, and that he is killing himself by work. He is not confined to his room. He went south on account of stomach troubles and returned greatly improved in health. He has no purpose to allow himself to be bothered to death, and for this reason has limited his hours for receiving general callers. He has commenced to sign all his mail himself, and will attend to what is contained in his letters before signing them. He takes a great deal of work home with him at night.

Deadly Work of the Poisoner.

Circleville, O., June 4.—A fatal case of poisoning occurred at the residence of Samuel Bonnegut, a well-to-do farmer. Mr. and Mrs. Bowman partook of some coffee which afterward proved to contain arsenic. Mrs. Bowman died at 2 a. m. in convulsions and great agony. Mr. Bowman still lingers, but his case is pronounced hopeless. What motive actuated any one to commit so foul a deed is not known and cannot be conjectured. Suspicion points to a tramp who was employed on the premises who has always taken his dinner with the family, but on this occasion was absent.

Secretary Bayard in St. Louis.

St. Louis, June 4.—Secretary Bayard was met at the depot by a committee who escorted him over the great bridge to the Southern hotel. The secretary was handed to a public reception at the Merchants' exchange, which was crowded to its utmost capacity. He expressed his thanks for the warm reception given him.

Mr. Arthur Says He is a Well Man.

New York, June 4.—Ex-President Arthur said to a reporter, concerning the reports of his ill health: "There is simply no truth in the reports. I am well myself. Mr. Arthur's family said subsequently: "Mr. Arthur is in fairly good health. I don't think he is as well as formerly, either, but he doesn't complain. He is active."

Twenty-Two Lives Lost.

London, June 4.—Twenty-two are still entombed in the Margaret pit, near Durham, where the explosion and fire imperiled the lives of over 300 miners. There is hardly a hope entertained that any of the bodies will be taken out, and the total number of lives lost may therefore be placed at twenty-two.

NEGRO SUPERSTITION.

DOCTORS DRIVEN AWAY WHILE PERFORMING AN OPERATION.

The Colored People Imagine That Physicians Care Only to Get Subjects for the Dissecting Table—"Bad Doctors" and Liars.

Washington, June 4.—An incident illustrative of local superstition was developed in the police court here. A large number of the colored people in this district believe in what is called "hab" or night doctors. They have a theory that the doctors' only object in life is to secure as many bodies as possible for use upon the dissecting table. This cause of unnecessary suffering is very fear a surgeon as they would death. The news of a surgical operation being performed upon any member of their race spreads like wildfire, and the first thing in the mind about going out at night, as they expect that some "doctor man" will run out of a dark alley and cover their mouths with plaster.

When the long sleeves were first introduced into Washington their wearers were supposed by the colored people to "hab" arms in search of the bodies of children, and that they wore those long coats for the purpose of hiding their prey.

They regard as fabulous all the stories of this superstition, but the mobbing of a number of prominent surgeons because they were engaged in performing an operation fell conclusive proof to the most incredulous of the strength of this superstition against surgeons among the colored people here. The cause of the patient was William Harris. He was a colored man about twenty-one years old. He lived in O'Neill's alley, between Second and Third, F and G streets, South Washington. This is the centre of the most densely populated colored quarter. Harris lived in a small, two-story house. For some time he had suffered from a bowel complaint caused by the perforation of the upper part of the smaller intestine into the lower. Dr. R. Tholden had attended Harris. He found a day or two ago that he could relieve his patient by performing a surgical operation, which was a very delicate one, but he had no doubts of its success. He received the consent of the patient and his family to perform the operation. He called in four assistants—Drs. Crook, Leach, Hazen and Harvey, well-known Washington physicians. The surgeons met at Harris' house. The operation number of doctors attracted a good deal of attention. Word was passed from alley to alley that the surgeons were going to perform every direction. There are six entrances to the alley. In a few moments after the surgeons had begun their work the alley was packed. Inside the house the doctors were intent upon their work. The thermometer marked 100 degrees. In the midst of their operations they heard excited cries outside the door. Shouts went up that they were cutting poor Harris.

"The night doctors are slicing his meat off of him," cried one woman to another.

The doctors paid no attention; they still continued to go on with the operation, but when they were at the most critical point in the operation the door came pulling down into the room. The uproar and the confusion was tremendous. The doctors were driven from the bedside of Alpha from the bed of the sick man, while the blood flowed freely from the wounds which the doctors were unable to close up. The physicians fled from the house, and were followed by a crowd of negroes, who threats of the wildest character were made. If it had been night they might have been murdered, so excited were the people. When they returned with police to come to the rescue of the sick man they found him beyond assistance. The physicians say that there is no doubt but that he would have gotten well if he had not been interfered with in his work. The physicians would not give a certificate of death to the police, and the coroner's jury refused to act. It required a strong guard of the police to enable them to make this post-mortem. Even then the doctors were jeered at and insulted as they came to and from the house.

Killed in Mistake for Robbers.

Lakeland, June 4.—It turns out that the killing of Lieut. Sicker and the fatal wounding of Sergt. Reilly, of the State Rangers, near Eagle Pass, Sunday, was the result of a mistake. The rangers from Camp Sweeney country arrived in this section and was unacquainted with the residents along the Rio Grande. The parties who did the shooting were Mexicans and his son, respectable ranch owners, who were returning home leading a horse, when they were surrounded by the Rangers, whom they mistook for robbers. The senior Gonzales and son are now in jail here awaiting examination. Sergt. Lindsey and Private Grady, of the Rangers, were also arrested on charges of assaulting Mr. Gonzales and his son with intent to kill. The senior Gonzales was badly wounded, and has the sympathy of the community. The Rangers will be mustered out gradually to the disbanding of Capt. Sheeley's old company of Rangers, who were acquainted with the Rio Grande frontier.

Abuses in Eng lish Prisons.

London, June 4.—It is rumored that the government is about to institute an inquiry into numerous cases of corruption which have been alleged to exist in certain prisons. The accused warders are charged with blackmailing prisoners who have means, and when they are compelled to pay exhorbitantly for special food and for indulgences which are contrary to prison rules. They are also charged with selling to prisoners and subsequently purchasing back, at a profit, articles of food, thereby debasing the quality of the prisoners' food and pocketing the difference in cost.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The Roman fly is doing immense damage to the banana orchards, groves and fields.

The fortification board has arranged a programme for their future work.

An oil lamp exploded in a store in New York and burned six people. One is expected to die.

There was not a priest to be seen along the entire route of Victor Hugo's funeral procession at Paris on Monday.

The Postal Telegraph company has been abandoned by the Western Union. It operates about 4,000 miles of wire.

Sixteen people were rescued from the Atlantic ferry-boat Grand Duke, an open boat for six days. They were all in an exhausted condition.

Lumber yards dealers purchased large quantities of bed-ticking used by immigrants. Sanitary authorities regard bedding as especially dangerous.

Oilmen assembled at Oil City, Pa., one of the regular oil exchanges, and found that extensively operating in that vicinity of late. Search revealed $18,000 in spurious coin.

SPORT BY THE SEA.

Racing at Brighton Beach—The Latonia Meeting—Baseball.

New York, June 4.—The first race at Brighton Beach was for maidens of all ages, three quarters of a mile. Time, 1:17½. K. Rust, Bob Taggart second, Bill Stevens third. Time, 1:18.

The second race was a hurdle race, seven-eighths of a mile. Dutch Rider first, Dunscombe second, Bert Warren third. Time, 1:30½.

The third race was a selling race, one mile. Shelby Barnes first, Harem second, Rico third. Time, 1:44½.

The fourth race was a handicap for all ages, over a mile and an eighth. Pilot Onward first, Rosebud Arch second, Herbert third. Time, 1:56.

The fifth race was a handicap hurdle race, six furlongs, over a mile and a half. Billy first, Fred R. second, Revenge third. Time, 2:52.

The Latonia Meeting.

Latonia, Ky., June 4.—The weather was fine, the attendance large and the track in excellent condition.

First race, mile and an eighth. Troubadour first, Murphy second, Hall Fellow third. Time, 1:57½.

Second race, one mile. Col. Clark first, Embargo second, Athlone third. Time, 1:49.

Third race, three-quarters of a mile. Bankrupt first, Bookfail second, Alberta third. Time, 1:17.

Fourth race, mile heats. First heat—Kentucky first, Sovereign Pat second, Gold Dollar third; time, 1:44½. Second heat—Kentucky first, Sovereign Pat second, Gold Dollar third; time, 1:44.

Sullivan and Burke to Spar.

Chicago, June 4.—Representatives of John L. Sullivan and Jack Burke signed articles of agreement for a five-round glove contest, to take place on June 13 at the Chicago driving park.

Baseball.

At New York:

Metropolitan	1	0	2	0	2	2	2	1	0—10
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

At Buffalo:

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Buffalo	5	0	1	0	0	3	2	0	*—11

At Indianapolis:

Indianapolis	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	1—7
Milwaukee	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—4
Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Milwaukee	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2—4

At Philadelphia:

New York	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1—6
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	5	1	0	0	0—7

At Providence:

Providence	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	—4
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

At Baltimore:

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0—5
St. Louis	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	2	0—6

A Mill Blown Up with Dynamite.

Denver, June 4.—A barn a few feet from the residence of C. R. Davis, the flour mill man, on Eighth street, was blown up with dynamite last night. Two weeks ago the employes of the mill asked for an increase of wages, which was refused and they struck. Since then new hands have been employed in their places. Since then the strikers have boycotted Davis and made numerous threats.

Poisonous Honey.

Little Rock, Ark., June 4.—The families of George and J. E. Buchanan, living near Mount Ida, Clark Co., have been poisoned from eating poisonous honey. The bees had gathered the nectar from the flower of a plant known as cow poison, or the huckleberry. All ten members of the families are reported dying from the effects of the poison, and two of the children are in a dangerous condition.

Killed in a Railway Collision.

Wilmington, June 4.—The Boston berry train from Norfolk, north bound, collided with a mammoth freight train near Middletown, Del., this morning. The engineer of the freight train, was instantly killed; Brakeman Hitch probably fatally injured, and other train men slightly injured. Both engines and a number of cars were wrecked.

$2,000,000 in Empty Barrels.

Jersey City, June 4.—It turns out that the company have 2,000,000 empty oil barrels stored in their yards at Constable Hook. Two ships have arrived with 20,000 empty barrels. The Standard Oil Company has a capital of $2,000,000, and will all be filled before the fall. Most of the filled barrels are to be shipped to Europe.

The Pension Office Removals.

Washington, June 4.—The rumors in regard to the removals in the pension agency offices are denied by Commissioner Black, who stated that only a few changes were being made from day to day. By law no further promotions of clerks can be made until the vacancies reach the number of 150.

Western Railroad Rates.

Chicago, June 4.—An agreement has been reached between the general passenger agents from Chicago concerning passenger rates by which the rates made by the Bonnybrake pool are adopted by all the lines except the Chicago & Atlantic, which fixes the fare from Chicago to New York at $17 first class and $14 second class.

Fined for Sunday Baseball Playing.

Indianapolis, June 4.—Nine of the players of the Chicago and Baseball club were arrested charged with playing ball on Sunday. The arrests were made on complaint of Marshal Locke, a reclaimed Cleveland player, who that charged with playing ball on Sunday. The players pleaded guilty and were lightly fined.

A Floating Skating Rink.

New York, June 4.—The popular exercise of skating will be indulged in by many ocean steamer passengers this season. Enterprising owners, and is being filled up as a floating skating rink. She will run to Newburgh during the day, and down the lower river in the evening as a stationary skating rink.

Closing Up Their Business.

Procter & R. Gamble, the well-known makers of the Lamphear Machine company, on the property of which several attachments were placed six months ago, have decided to close up their business. The shops are now idle. The business will be sold.

New Cabinet Rule.

Washington, June 4.—The members of the cabinet have decided hereafter, beginning with Saturday next, not to receive any callers on Saturdays, which day they intend to devote to business connected with their respective departments.

Cholera Epidemic in Spain.

Washington, June 4.—The state department has received a dispatch from the United States minister at Madrid stating that a government commission has visited Asiatic cholera to be epidemic in Valencia.

A Man Roasted Alive.

Pesth, June 4.—Fire destroyed 400 houses and impoverished upward of 1,000 persons in a small village of northern Hungary. A drunken man was roasted alive. His body was found after the fire had subsided by the terrified populace and roasted alive.

SEALS AND WAX.

THE REVIVAL OF AN OLD FASHION AND WHAT IT LEADS TO.

The Kind of Seals Most in Demand—Secret Mottos of Business and Professional Men—Some Funny Happenings—Significance of Sealing-Wax.

[Philadelphia Times.]

"A lively trade in the manufacture of sealing-wax has developed," said a prominent stationer. "A complete outfit, such as has been made and offered for sale for two or three months past by local dealers, consists of a silver tray, oxydized or polished, of unique designs, hammered or plain, with a match box to fit, a little bundle of adamantine taper tips *and a half inches* in length, half a dozen sticks of the wax in as many hue and colors, and a pretty box to hold them and the little silver spirit lamp, which liquifies the sealing material. The seal is not included, except in certain complicated bronze or silver pattern, such as a hand or alligator designs. If the material is solid silver the outfit is worth all the way from $20 to $50. A very fashionable and equally ugly plated sort can be purchased for $10. Leather, to meet the demand which has spread to the less fashionable portions of society, a cheap outfit, costing but 75 cents, has been made, consisting of a neat pasteboard box containing the same articles.

"The seal most in use is a German text initial placed upon a plain field and enclosed in plain concentric circles or surrounded by a criss-cross tinting. Some ladies exceedingly Democratic in their notions use an English initial. Others have two or three letter monograms. Crests are very fashionable. Mottoes surmounted by the armorial crest of the family are second in taste and more extensively ordered now than six months ago. After the single the shield is the outline most frequently called for. The designs are often subject to select designs for purchasers. A lady who boasts of a great pedigree recently asked a Chestnut street clerk to assist her. Picking up Burke's *Heraldry* he turned to the given name and showed his customer a coat-of-arms which he thought fitted her ancestry. Looking at it an instant she said:

"'I like that real well. I believe I'll order one. But can't you put an alligator or seal or something that's all the rage now into that? I want a motto in the corner of the shield!' It would help to fill up, you know!'

"This," continued the stationer, "is a sample of the mushroom elegant ideas of armorial sealing. A lady said recently, in ordering a costly seal:

"'I don't care much what it is, so that it is good-sized and more stylish than Mrs. B.'s.'

"The design was which given her was fearfully and wonderfully made. American flags, bald-headed eagles and in fact all the varied animals to be found in the Zoo were chucked in promiscuously and conspicuously. The effect was shocking and satisfactory, but it looked like a circus poster. There are about twenty different perfumes and colors in wax, and as many as a dozen shades of red, from the deepest Indian red to a bright scarlet."

"Is there any significance in the color employed to seal the letter?"

"There is. Certain additions in sealing wax are the black racket. The ordinary red wax signifies business and is supposed to be used only for business letters. Black is, of course, used for mourning and condolences. Blue means love and as we make four or five tints of this color each stage of the tender passion can be accurately portrayed. White pink is used congratulations is intended. An invitation to a wedding or other festivity is sealed with white wax. Variegated colors are supposed to show conflicting emotions. Do you know that thimbles are being utilized to bear seals? Fact. The designs of that sort are mild just now, but are developing. Wait for the idea up and think it will become fashionable.

"The odors used in the wax are ravishing in their delicacy and as full of expensive ash. The cheaper grades are as bad as the pomatum of a 5-cent barber shop. The perfumery is the element of cost in the wax. A Paris firm makes the most imported article. The perfume of the burning wax fills an ordinary sized apartment and lingers about the envelope for hours."

Advance in Perfumery.

[Brooklyn Eagle.]

"There are a score of scents which we know nothing about. The geranium may, *per haps be familiar; it is expressed from the* leaves and the stalk; but who do the public know of the extract of cedar? We know that the cedar is an odorous wood, but the perfume has only lately been known. It having been made for the first time within these few years from the refuse shavings of the pencil makers. What, again, do we know of the essence of cucumber? That this salad has delicate smell, with which many a happy picnic is associated, we all of us know, but of late years the perfumer has found a use for it as well as the salad monthly. Fennel is not a substance from which we should expect to find an odor extracted, but the oil is used to scent soap, we find, for those who like it.

There are numbers of the chemically built up essences now produced, and not only the purchaser but the confectioner is adding to his stock of tastes and perfumes by reason of the labors of the chemist. There is no knowing what art may not do hereafter, now that our chemists are becoming so smart. Possibly in a dozen years time flowers will be deposed from the laboratory of the perfumer and by the magic art of chemistry the most disgusting odors will be transformed into the most delightful perfumes.

Sightliness Made It Two Years.

[Arkansaw Traveler.]

"The jury, seeing the boy said that Mr. 'Gregg should for one year be confined within the walls of a prison. A look of deep disappointment settled upon Gregg's face.

"'We did the best we could for you," said one of the jurymen when the court adjourned.

"'Yes, you didn't,' replied Gregg.

"'We couldn't make it any better.'

"'That's all right,' replied Gregg, 'but you should have made it more. You must have made it two years instead of one.'

"'Why, man, do you want to live in prison?'

"'Lemme tell you something,' said Gregg. 'I never had Mackford's daughter.'

"'Well, what of that?'

"'What of that! Look here, you don't know that family. Of course I want to go to prison. Well, it's only two years, but drive on. I'll do the best I can.'

A Woman in a Hurry.

[San Francisco Chronicle.]

Did you ever notice a woman in a hurry. She goes along decorously for a little time, dodging the pedestrians a square and a half twenty yards, down down panting and if you watch the man walking leisurely on the other side of the street, you will find he'll get to the corner of the block before she does and she is out of breath at that.

Japan Is Ahead.

Well, well, well, everywhere but in lowly Ayleon, is Japan had already sent

THE LEAD PENCIL.

First Made of the Metal Lead—Where Plumbago Is Found.

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

As writing became universal and every one had to write frequently and hurriedly, a need arose for a quicker means of recording thought than was afforded by the pen and writing paper. The difficulty was at first met by scribes carrying with them portable ink-horns, made of a portion of the horn of some animal. These ink bottles were fastened to the coat button, and for a time the expedient was successful. But as greater convenience was demanded, the ink-horn became unpopular, and some one invented the pencil.

Pencils were at first made of the metal lead, but the lead was worn off so gradually and the marks made by these pencils were so faint that graphite came into use as a substitute for the lead, and the pencils made of this substance were called *black-lead*, to distinguish them from the others. No lead whatever is employed in the manufacture of pencils, the material used being graphite or plumbago, which is a carbide of carbon. The graphite used for this purpose is found in great quantities and of excellent quality in Siberia, Austria, Prussia and several parts of the North American continent. Only the product of the European mines is commonly used for the purpose of making pencils, however, as it was found by so much superior to all other kinds as to render the others practically worthless.

One of the most serious difficulties in the way of the manufacture of pencils from the graphite was the consolidation of the material into sufficiently dense blocks to render it available for the purpose intended. This difficulty was surmounted by exhausting the air in the blocks of graphite and then subjecting them to hydraulic pressure. In pencils the graphite is mixed with German chalk and the hardness of the pencil depends on the amount of chalk in the composition. The wood for the pencil is sawed by machinery into slats, when grooved, then placed in position, the glue applied, the lead and upper portion laid on and pressed into place. No computation can be made of the pencils annually used in this country, the number being too vast for conjecture.

An Astonished Picture Dealer.

[Chicago Times.]

A carriage drew up at the door of one of the prominent art dealers on Wabash avenue one day last week, and a richly-clad woman, wearing diamonds and jewelry, descended, entered the store, walked through to the gallery in the rear, asked for the proprietor, and commenced a "critical" examination of the pictures. For more than one hour she plied the proprietor with questions, and, note-book in hand, jotted down the answers to information given. "This picture—what did you say the subject was, and by whom? Has the artist ever been written up in the newspapers? And the price; $1,500? Ah yes," and down went the points in the note-book. "And this magnificent work of art, which I was he well known among the best people there? Was there a specimen of his work in the Vanderbilt gallery?" and another note was made. Thus it proceeded until a long list had been made out, aggregating in price about $9,000. Visions of sudden wealth began to dawn upon the art-dealer. Who was this mysterious fair one who betrayed such an interest in art, wanted nothing but the best, and did not seem to be at all staggered by the prices? At last the lady discoursed upon the merits of the paintings with a profundity of expression and an inspiration of language that fairly astonished herself.

"Could you have them sent to No. — Michigan avenue by 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon?" she asked.

"Yes," he could. If he broke his back and exhausted the resources of the establishment in shuffling emotions.

"And what would be the cost of their use until the next day?"

"The what?" and the dealer's jaw dropped and his eyes opened to their fullest extent.

"The price of renting them for one night. I am going to give a party to some New York visitors, and I want the rooms to form a private gallery for the occasion. Would $15 be about right?"

He gazed at her speechlessly, for a moment, his reason swimming within him in the throne, and then he turned and fled. An attendant later on informed the lady that the firm was not in the renting business, and she left disgusted. The dealer has worn a world-weary look since that day.

Mrs. Stowe's "Uncle Tom."

[The Current.]

Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, in a note to the editor of a Brooklyn paper, disabuses the public mind of a very common impression regarding the characters in "Uncle Tom's Cabin. She says: "None of the characters in 'Uncle Tom's Cabin' are portraits. I know of several colored men who showed the piety, honesty, and faithfulness of Uncle Tom, but none of them had a history like that I created for him. Many events in the life of Lewis Clark are somewhat like those in the life of George Harris. I read his history while writing the story merely to see that I was saying within the limits of probability." This disposes effectually of the claims of the numerous old colored men in New Orleans who have imposed as the originals of Uncle Tom or George Harris.

Rice in India.

[Madras Letter.]

It is popularly supposed that rice is the staple crop and universal food throughout India. This however, is very far from being the case, for north of Bahar wheat and other grains form the chief articles of food, and the line of demarcation forms so part of the diet of the people. Rice is only grown in the deltas of the great rivers and along the western coast, and besides this it is raised in patches in all the hill valleys, in those regions where rice is grown largely, however, it is the only crop. The quality varies much according to the place where it grows; even in a single district in Bengal it is said there are as many as 295 different kinds.

Scoring a Point on the Autocrat.

[Boston Globe.]

It was only three months ago that Oliver Wendell Holmes said in a letter read at the Longfellow memorial service at Bowdoin, that the new-paper reporter is to the social gathering what the phylloxera is to the vineyard. Yet the reporters noticed the other evening that he came over to them and asked if they would like copies of his "I never had Mackford's daughter," aren't they, Dr. Holmes.

A Steamboat Gambler's Idea.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

The renowned Toothpick Ben, while in Lexington the other day, was asked which, in his opinion, was the prettier, a beautiful woman or a race horse. "Neither," was the reply. "The prettiest thing on earth is a steamboat full of suckers, with the captain all right.

One Reason Why.

[Detroit Free Press.]

One reason why England shouldn't allow Russia to seize Herat is because she intends to give it a new name in case of possession. It will be called Popoffskovitch, or some such thing.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE THIS AFTERNOON.

Murder on a Ranch.

By United Press to THE NEWS.

LAREDO, TEXAS, June 4.—News reached here late last evening from Sam Walcott's ranch, the scene of that a shooting affray occurred there yesterday, in which Juan Segadito, assistant foreman of the ranch, was killed by Cleoto Buento, a shepherd. The body of the murdered man was taken to Encinal, 15 miles distant. Five shots were fired, one of which struck the victim, causing instant death. It is supposed the trouble arose over a dispute about a horse. The murderer escaped. It is thought he is making for the Rio Grande to cross into Mexico. Officers are on the lookout up and down the river for him.

Shot His Rival at a Revival.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., June 4.—During the progress of a revival meeting at a church in Dalton, Ga., Emery Clark entered brandishing two revolvers. He deliberately marched up the aisle until he came opposite a man named Sam Watkins, and began firing. Watkins was shot through the head and Clark began *firing indiscriminately*. The assault was made because Watkins had taken his sweetheart to church. Watkins is dying. After the shooting the congregation surrounded Clark who stood at bay until the officers arrived and arrested him.

Bursting of a Reservoir.

LORGMONT, Cal., June 4.—At noon yesterday the Beaver Park Reservoir in South *Vrain Canyon burst, causing great damage* to the surrounding country. A torrent estimated to have been 120 feet high, rushed down the canyon, carrying away bridges, houses, barns and everything which obstructed its path, and flooding the adjoining country. So far as learned no lives were lost, but the damage to crops and meadows along the low lands was very great.

A Large Fire.

DANVERS CENTRE, MASS., June 4.—The shoe factory of E. A. Mudge & Co., and a barn belonging to the firm were burned to the ground this morning. Loss $80,000 to $100,000. Insured. Dr. Brown's grocery store was also destroyed. Loss $3,000, insurance $1800. Also a dwelling house occupied by Ruel Jameson and Miss Jennie Robbins, who saved nothing.

Burning Her Child's Hands.

DIXON, Ill., June 4.—Mrs. Nettie Johnson, of Franklin Grove, was arrested last evening for cruelty to her child, a little girl of six years. The child disobeyed her, and it is charged, held her hands on a hot stove until they were burnt to a crisp. In default of bail, she was sent to the county jail to await the action of the grand jury, which *meets next October.*

Anarchists Expelled from Switzerland.

BERNE, June 4.—The Swiss Government continues its crusade against the Anarchists. Twenty-one Austrian and one German Anarchist were to-day expelled from Switzerland by the authorities.

Savings in the Post Office Department.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 4.—Statistics show that in the first quarter of the current year about $133,000 have been saved in the yearly expenses of the post office.

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[Special Correspondence.]

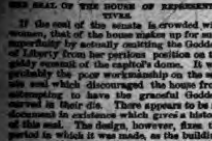
...WASHINGTON, June 15.—Not that the public should have busied itself to any unusual...ll the other branches of the government are ...ing into the same matter for their re...ve, but the people will be well pleased ...ort of system, notice in the United States ...ing up.

...ccording to the records for the history of the ...ment seals it is alone found that each ...ve department shall have a seal, to be ...ntrolled by its secretary, or such design as ...ll be approved by the President of the ...pose."

It is to be hoped President Cleveland will, in criticising the designs for new seals, not to it that our glorious bird of freedom is not represented by a parrot, chicken, goose or similar bird.

THE SEAL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

If the seal of the senate is crowded with women, that of the house makes up for such superfluity by actually omitting the Goddess of Liberty from her perilous position on the giddy summit of the capitol's dome. It was probably this overcrowding of the senate seal which discouraged the house from attempting to have the graceful Goddess carved in their die. There appears to be no document in the archives which tells the story of this seal. The design, however, fixes the period in which it was made, as the building represented is that of the old capitol building as it was between 1820 and 1851, prior to the addition of the north and south wings.



THE SEAL OF THE SUPREME COURT.

Now that attention is called to the correctness of the designs in the great seals of the United States, it is to be hoped that the department of justice will be first to obtain a creditable design for the die of its seal. The present one is noticeable for being as unartistic as it could well be. The fowl represented on it is not to be met on our rustic eagle. The Latin inscription seems to have been an afterthought and is crowded in, while the whole design is better adapted for an official coat button.

And yet the seals of our government are, as far as utility goes, a vast improvement on the great seals of the old monarchies of the state documents of some other nations. The seals of Great Britain and Germany consist of about a half pound of sealing wax pressed into a cake nearly six inches in diameter, and attached to the document by a tape.

SEAL OF DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

At first glance the figure in the centre would impress the observer as having been copied from the coat of arms of the German empire. It is a graceful enough figure, but a purely allegorical representation of the spread eagle of Iowa sage. This seal was authorized by the act of September 15, 1780. It is at present considered on a par with the seals of the two deceased requiring it, though not long since a much larger seal, with much the same design, was in use. It was about the size of a small cart wheel. This was attached by a silk and gold thread to the paper, as is the custom in Great Britain—a cumbersome, unpractical method, which has fortunately been abolished.

SEAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

This, the youngest of the departments of the United States government, should have for the motto of its coat of arms, "Multum in parvo," as it was only authorized by act of March 3, 1849, the act which created the interior department. Prior to that time the work of this department was distributed among four other departments of the government. Patents, copyrights, the census and other public documents were under the secretary of state. The secretary of the treasury looked after the public lands, mines and railway and judicial accounts. Indian affairs were in the hands of the war department, and the business of pensions was divided between the secretary of war and the secretary of the navy. All these varied departments of the public business, except pensions, now gather with the bureau of education, the Pacific railways, the patent surveys, the geologists and the charge of certain charitable institutions in the District of Columbia come now under the head of the interior department. The eagle's wings in the seal have been modified from the original design, but considering the purpose for which it was originally intended it is quite grand enough.

E. H. EDWARDS.

"SUGARING-OFF."

A BOSTON PARTY'S VISIT TO A MAPLE "SUGAR ORCHARD."

Lots Winter in New England—Hunters Gore Aboard a Log Sled—Sap Gathering and Boiling Down—Some Enough for Cakes.

[Cor. Boston Transcript.]

As we left Lowell, Nashua and Manchester behind us, the mud grew thicker, and the snow appeared and soon the rain came down with a rush strongh the cobler air, foreboding no good for the morrow. The conductor of the party, hoisted by Nod Frost, reported that it would be bright and clear, and we tried to believe him. As we sped by the White we could only see the white, frozen lake, instead of the blue sheet of dancing waters, overlooked by the violet-crowned heights of Ossipee and its kindred. The summer manor was closely locked up in her winter bed at the dock with spruce trees, and it was hard to believe that only so few months ago a merry party crowded her decks and enjoyed to the utmost a glorious day on the mountain-fringed lake.

We came to a halt at the door of the Pemigewasset house a little after 9 o'clock. A genial welcome from the host awaited us, and, to my delight, I found warm rooms, halls and parlors. The appetizing supper was heartily enjoyed, particularly the griddle cakes, on which the new maple honey cast the sweetness of coming events before.

The young people of the party spent a merry evening with music, games and dancing, and the next morning I looked out on a beautiful scene—the Pemigewasset river, white and still, a wide interval with barren elms, a glimpse of the English-looking church, school and residence which crown the bluff, and still farther the pine woods and the mountains.

Away in the north rose the sharp peaks of the Franconias, steely blue, and over all lay the brilliant sunshine of winter, but, oh! how cold it was! Undismayed, however, we resumed our journey northward, and shortly after 9 o'clock our car was detached from the train at Woodstock, and we amazed Bostonians were packed upon a log sled, with dry-goods boxes placed across for seats, and drawn by two merry-looking nags to the town hall, where elaborate preparations were going on for our dinner.

"But this is not according to the programme," remonstrated the conductor. "I didn't bring this party up here sugaring to have the camp left out."

"Why, Alick, it's so unreal cold they'll freeze up there. Ye can't go, anyhow."

"I'll see if we can't go," exclaimed the vigorous young man, and off he rushed for the camp. Soon returning and crying, "All aboard!" we were piled on the sled again bound for the sugar orchard.

The sugar-house itself was placed on the slope of the hill below the grove of maple trees. Each tree was adorned with a pail hung on it some two or three feet from the ground. Above this pail a little spout of wood or iron was driven into the tree, through which the sap, deliciously sweet, drips fast or slowly, according to the weather.

When the pails are nearly full, a man, with two huge buckets which he carries with the help of an awkward contrivance across his shoulders, goes from tree to tree gathering the sap, which he pours into tubs placed at intervals about the orchard. From these, long lines of wooden gutters—I think they called them conductors—convey it to one large tub in the sugar-house. Here a brisk fire, built under iron pans, boils the sap away till it is thick and black, when it is taken off, cooled and strained, add again put on to boil in one large kettle. We watched the furious boiling eagerly till it was pronounced ready to put on snow, and then each, armed with saucer and spoon and a portion of the fragrant sweet, went out and poured the liquid on the snow. To the amazement of the uninitiated the hot sugar did not sink into the snow, but cooled on top of it, making the most toothsome, delicious, sticky, mayrd imaginable. Even Hayler and his confrères cannot produce its equal. Then the chief cook said it was done enough for cakes, and a lot of little oblong tin moulds were filled and left to "cake."

What was left in the huge kettle was stirred vigorously by the farmer, assisted by our young ladies, till it changed from a liquid into brown dry sugar. We ate all we wanted, slid down the hill on a big sled that we could not navigate; tried to walk on snow-shoes, but failed because they were so large, and we couldn't keep one from stepping on the other; then had a farmer's dinner taken in different attitudes by one of the party, and at noon went back to the town hall, where we found the mother of Nod Frost, the landlord of the Pemigewasset house, because we were from Boston, and the good fellowfeared we might be homesick without the familiar diet. After a little rest and brightening up a bit we started on another camp where they were only boiling sap, they said, and from which we had a glorious view of mountain and valley. Then we went back to our car, and the farmer gave each of us a lot of sugar in which we all invested till his stock was exhausted.

A few minutes after 4 our car was attached to the Boston train, and we were swiftly going homeward. At Plymouth we were given ample time for a hearty supper, and at a late hour came to a halt in Boston, and as we left the train, each with a package or two of sugar under his arm, I fancy we all, even Hayler, felt that we loved, that our day among the wind, snows and woods of New Hampshire had shown us a side of country living we had not before seen, and that it was an experience worth the having.

A Problem in Wood.

[Cor. Forster Journal.]

The problem has been set many why two pieces of wood, sawed from the same block of a tree, should possess very varied characteristics when used in different positions. For example, a piece of wood cut so that it lenay much faster if the butt-end of the tree in uppermost than would be the case if the top were placed in the ground. The reason is that the moisture of the atmosphere will permeate the pores of the wood much more rapidly the way the tree grew than it would if cut the reverse position. Microscopical examination proves that the pores invite the ascent of moisture, while they repel its descent. To make my meaning more clear, I will mention the familiar case of a wooden bucket. Many may have noticed that some of the staves appear to be peculiarly saturated, while others are apparently quite dry. This arises from the same cause—viz., the dry staves are in the position in which the tree grew, while the saturated ones are reversed.

Colorado Wild Flowers.

[Chicago Times.]

Helen Hunt Jackson is an admirer of the brilliant Colorado wild flowers, and it is said that once twenty-three varieties of wild-flowers were gathered each day to adorn the house of this lady for the edification of some eastern friends invited to luncheon.

The wool clip of Oregon this year will amount to 11,000,000 pounds.

THE UNITED STATES GREAT SEALS.

An Exceedingly Modest of the United States of the Government.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, May 26.—One of the first acts of the Continental Congress of the infant by of our government, July 4, 1776, was to appoint a committee consisting of John Adams, Benjamin Franklin and Dr. Franklin to consider designs and order a die cut for the great seal of the United States. Numerous designs were presented, one of these by the great Jefferson himself, but none were considered worthy. A few years later, while John Adams was in England negotiating for peace, he met Sir Grey Prestwick, a prominent who had been favorable to our colonies in their struggle. He suggested to Mr. Adams the design which was adopted by the committee and by congress on June 20, 1782.

The original die was in use until 1841, when a new one was cut, of which we give an illustration.

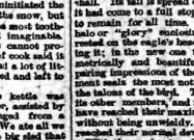
THE SEAL OF THE UNITED STATES, 1841.

The artistic appearance of the seal of 1841 was a slight improvement on that of its predecessor. The figure of the spread eagle and the position of its legs curiously indicated intense suffering, which to the student of such matters in the environ monarchies of Europe was truly symbolical of the internal dissensions which they were hopeful would bring death to our republic. Its feathers legs and talons were also supplied decently, while the olive branch of peace and the six arrows, all that are left apparently of the original 13, were failing from its grasp. In fact, the United States shield was used as the strengthening plaster which alone held the bird together. Besides omitting 7 of the 13 arrows the engraver of this die left out one of the 13 stars ordered by act of congress. Strange that such stupidity would be permitted in so important a matter, and yet in one day the error was corrected from the nickel five-cent piece, so that there was no way of telling whether the government intended it for five dollars or five cents.

THE NEW SEAL OF THE UNITED STATES.

The new die for the seal of the United States which was first used on the commission of Mr. Jordan, the United States treasurer, is a decided improvement on the old one. The eagle is more "the monarch of the skies," and not a bird "with the legs of a wounded chicken and the head of a dromedary," as was said of the old one. The expression on the present eagle is certainly one of dignity and tenacity of purpose, as if he never intended to give up its grip, and we trust it never shall. Its tail is spread out fan-shaped, as if it had come to a full stop, where it proposed to remain. The shield on the front of the seal the halo or "glory" enclosing the constellation rested on the eagle's head, apparently crushing it; in the new one the "glory" is gracefully and beautifully done. In comparing impressions of the three state department seals the most noticeable change is in the talons of the bird. These are outgrown its other members, and it is safe to predict have reached their maximum size for utility, without being unwieldy. The legs have also increased their proportions.

With the mechanism for giving the necessary pressure to the old die it was exceedingly difficult, though the engraver, by hard treatment, to always impress the seal so that the eagle should be right side up. In the new machinery which operates the present great seal a provision is made for the die revolves to any point of the compass, or, as has been said, "The eagle can turn its head in any direction a treaty may require."



THE SEAL OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE

This engraving is not a caricature, but a faithful representation of an impression of the seal of the United States senate. There is no law authorizing the use of this seal, and yet all certificates of the election of a president and vice president, as well as other documents of equal importance, are authenticated with the seal.

It is well, perhaps, that its use is limited and certainly unwarranted by law, as it is in design so atrocious that no govern-ment would care to be represented by it. The most glaring fact on the face of it is the figure of the three dumpy women. What is the meaning of them, or where the artist obtained the models for these deformities, can only be answered by conjecture. They were certainly not designed for the goddess of liberty. That one of the three is leaning on something which might answer for the handle of rake, or fasces, which Liberty always carries, and which may have been intended as a representation of it. If at the attitude of her right arm is anything but dignified, unless it was that the designer had intended to represent her as trying to keep her uplifted hand, but was in a hurry to get his money for the die, and forgot them. The central figure is also evidently in two lines of broadcloth. She holds up in a seemingly nerveless manner with her right hand a liberty cap and pole, while from her left she is discarding the shreds of wornout, over-worn shield pro-duct she wool while posing as Ceres. The third, or right hand figure, plays the dual role of Mercury and Mars, as she is certainly provided with the caduceus and coat of mail's flights, these positions having heretofore been held exclusively by men.

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MIND AND BODY.

THE PHYSICAL MAN AFFECTED BY MENTAL CONDITIONS.

Violent Emotions and Passions—Medical Students Attending Lectures—"Clairvoyance" Away Chills—Wrist Charms—Success of an Animal Magnetist.

Dr. J. Kitchen, in Hahnemannian Monthly.]

When worried and vexed the common saying of the people is that they are out of sorts, and John Hunter said that a man's natural action in the body, voluntary or involuntary, that may not be influenced by the peculiar state of the mind at the time. It is well known that he, in an excited controversy with one of his hospital colleagues, fell dead in one of the wards.

Jaundice has been brought on by care and anxiety. Some have been cured of it by a desire suffering by this affliction, arising from anxiety and fear before an examination before the censors board of the Royal College of Physicians. If cure will kill a cat, though it have nine lives, and if too much care will make a young man gray and turn an old man's hair, it must be certain the violent emotions and passions will affect the system more lastingly and disastrously. John Hunter noted that the hair on the scrotum of fine offspring kept her body lean and meagre, but if her chickens were taken from her she soon got fat. Substitute for these causes the worry and anxieties of business and every-day-life troubles, and the picture is unmistakable. Fear and rage are also notorious for turning gray the hair and hair. Medical histories can show many a Prie cer of Chilton, so well described by Byron, which is no fanciful case. Many times of peril and threats of invasion, numerous cases of a sudden change of the color of the hair have been recorded. Dr. Laycock mentions a case of severe mental conflict in a night when friendly, and found in the morning that the inner portion of the eyebrow and eyelashes had become white; he also records that the natural grayness of old age is connected with certain changes in the nerve centers.

An English physician says that lectures delivered to medical students frequently produce unusual mental stimuli upon their bodily feelings, and in some cases specific diseases have not only been simulated, but actually induced diseased symptoms. A fellow-student, after hearing a description of what is usually called the Scotch fiddle (tic), was so influenced that a persistent tickling was felt between his fingers, the result of the morbid mental influences to which he had been subjected. Students often fancy they have the very diseases which they hear described by their teachers, and the heart generally comes in for its full share, and it is almost impossible to persuade them otherwise. If it is found that the influences of the mind and its imaginings may induce disease, it is no less certain that a like action may in some cases, cure disease. Fright especially has made its curse in gouty and rheumatic invalids. We all know the effect of going to have a tooth extracted, the pain ceasing on entering the operating-room. The faith cure may come in here in chronic cases, the mind exercising its will power. Luther taught that if a man had faith, he could accomplish anything, even commit any kind of sin without guilt.

The charming away of chills and fevers and of warts seems to come under this category. I have, come across several cases of this kind. Old women often possess this faculty. Even in the time of Lucian such female practitioners were successful in such cases. A surgeon's daughter had about a dozen warts on her hands. Lotions and treatment having availed nothing for their removal. For eighteen months they remained intractable until a gentleman noticing the disfigurement, asked to count them. Carefully and solemnly noting down their number, he then said: "You will not be troubled with your warts after next Sunday." At the time named they had disappeared. Now, here the connection between the imagination of some occult or mysterious power and the cure, was too close to leave a doubt that, as in other cases of bodily ailments, the mind, which so frequently affects the body to its harm, had in turn favorably influenced the physical organization.

No less a personage than Lord Bacon has left on record a similar cure performed with his hands by the English ambassador's lady at Paris, who, he adds, was a woman far from superstitious. The lady's proceedings did not confirmed a belief in some influences, for Bacon tells us that, taking "a piece of lard with the skin on," she rubbed the warts with the fat side, and then threw it away, and among the growths so treated was one he had had since childhood. Then she buried the piece of lard with the fat side toward the sun upon a post of her chamber window, which looked toward the south. In the course of five weeks all the warts disappeared. The lady's servant, which he had so long endured for company. The miscellaneous substances used in wart charming and in incantations of like nature, at once reveal the fact of the real cure lying in some direction other than that of the mixture, beneath the material substances necessarily used, and the mere force of the imagination, the forces of mind operate through the medium of the nervous impression.

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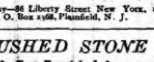

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1885.		1886.	
6 a. m.	65	6 a. m.	64
12 m.	76	12 m.	74
12 m	84	12 m.	83
3 p.m.		p. m	92

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To-day and the corresponding date last year.

	1885	1886
Sunrise	4.29 a.m.	4.30 a.m.
Sun Sets	7.28 p.m.	7.28 p.m.
Moon Rises	10.53 a.m.	Moon Rises.

Chronological Events.

Metternich died, 1859.—Von Weber died, 1826.

Signal Office Prediction.

Local rains, lower barometer, winds generally southerly, slight changes in temperature.

For Saturday, local rains are indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States following it in the latter district by clearing weather.

JOTTINGS.

—*The Elizabeth rinks close this week.*

—The Casino will be open this evening.

—O'Brien's circus exhibits in this city tomorrow.

—The examinations for teachers' certificates in Somerset County will be held at Somerville.

—The Somerset County Presbyterians will hold a meeting at the Court House, Somerville, on Tuesday.

—The Fourth of July will be celebrated in Somerville by the Order of Odd Fellows and by the Reform Club.

—Mr. J. Naylor of Peace street has nearly completed a two story frame house on East Second street near Richmond street.

—In this year's graduating class of 57 members at the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, George W. Kline, of Somerville, stands eighth.

—About sixty couples attended a reception at *William Van Alstyne's, at 10* Broadway, last evening. Supper was served by Ramorelli.

—Faith cure meetings are being held in Elizabeth. Plainfield will probably claim attention next. There have been several cases of faith cures reported here in time past.

—The common, at Raritan, so long a playground and gathering place for the children of the town, has been plowed up and corn will grow where the youth were wont to congregate.

—The tie between Campbell and Apgar for a silver goblet at glass balls, will be shot off to-morrow afternoon at Campbell's Club House. Another goblet will be shot for at clay pigeons.

—A man named Mullen, a workman in the oil cloth factory, whose family lives in Trenton, was arrested for attempting to steal a ride home on a late train last night. Justice Nash *discharged him this morning.*

—The Rev. Dean Rodman of this city, acting as the Bishop's chaplain, dedicated St. John's rectory at Somerville yesterday afternoon. The house was thrown open from 2 to 6 p. m., and the townspeople inspected the building.

—The Rev. C. L. Goodrich, of the Congregational Church, will occupy the pulpit of the Seventh Day Baptist Church to-morrow morning in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, who is in attendance at meetings of his denomination elsewhere.

—The item referring to the brave Plainfield boy, which was furnished by a lady residing in the vicinity who witnessed the affair, stated that the team was Plainfield Engine Co.'s, No. 3, which the members say is a mistake, as the team was not out that day at all.

—Some days ago a list of summer resorts was sent us in pamphlet form, from the *Central office in New York*, with information to the effect that the same could be obtained at the depot. There have been no such inquiries for the books at the depot, but agent Nelson says they have not yet arrived.

—The policy-holders of the American Mutual Insurance Co., of this city held a meeting yesterday afternoon. The proposal that the company go into liquidation and the meeting adjourned until next Friday afternoon without taking any definite action. A majority of those present were against the proposed measure.

—The ore from the mines at Port Oram, *Morris County*, that has heretofore been shipped over the Morris & Essex Railroad for furnaces up the Lehigh Valley, has been taken off that road, and will hereafter be transported over the Central Railroad of New Jersey. This change will make an addition of about 25 cars a day to the Central traffic.

—Charles Stewart, a carpenter, residing on Fifth street, was working inside a building on Putnam avenue last Tuesday. While standing on a ladder he lost his balance and fell from the third story, striking a post and the wall and dropped senseless to the ground. His head was cut in several places and his body was badly bruised. He is able to move about, however, but not without much pain.

—John H. French, the Plainfield custom clothier, offers at cost, in his new advertisement elsewhere, his entire stock of ready made clothing, to make room for a heavy fall stock of piece goods to be made to order only. He finds that the people generally demand a better class of goods than is now sold, ready made. Consequently, he will sell his entire stock of men's, youths and boys' clothing, at twenty-five per cent. for cash. He invites everyone to call and satisfy themselves before going elsewhere.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY.

The Trees Eulogized.

[From a Lover of Trees.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—In reply to Mayor Rockefellow's inquiry as to where the trees are used for advertising, I would simply say—everywhere. But I will specify among others the tree near the Baptist church on Front street, which have tin or iron advertisements nailed to them, the trees corner of Washington avenue and Front street, the tree at the head of Somerset street, the tree at the corner of Peace and Second streets. There was a big placard nailed to the tree at the foot of William and Front streets, but the boys have within the last day or two knocked it off, and I have torn off several cloth advertisements from Bound Brook, the nails from which remain on the trees; saving others on Front street near Mr. Serrell's property; I may say that the Constitutionalist seems to be the worst offender and a prominent boot and shoe store the next. I have no doubt, however, that attention being called to the matter the evil will be at once abated.

About Gas.

[From Constitutionalist.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—Your friend of the Gas Company tells us how much gas has been reduced in two years, but does not intimate that any further reduction will be made though the price of coal has fallen some 30 per cent within a month. To compare prices with New York is simply damaging to say one making the comparison, as New York has been adding meetings and organizing to fight the extortionate demands of the consolidated gas companies who reduce the price only to lower the quality of *their gas.* In the recent testimony on the subject it was shown that the actual cost of producing gas was 40 cents per 1000 feet.

I would ask the other day by a large dealer in kerosene lamps that he had sold over a hundred lightning lamps since their recent introduction, so that the private houses and stores of Plainfield evidently realize that they can get both a cheap and good light independently of the gas companies.

[The following is the reply to the above by a gas company officer: "Facts are one thing. What somebody may write is something else."]

Personal.

President French and Judge Harper have accepted an invitation to speak at Bound Brook Sunday afternoon. They will be at Reform Hall in the evening.

Howard Seely, the author of "Tales of Texan Ranch Life," a review of which is given on our second page to-day, is a nephew of Julian Scott, the artist of this city.

Arthur P. Miller, of the office of Counsellor MAXSON, was yesterday after a long and successful examination before the Supreme Court, admitted to the bar as an attorney-at-law and solicitor in chancery.

Louis and Robert Berckman, formerly of this city, but now of Augusta, Ga., have been visiting their cousins, William and George Craig, of Somerset street, for the past few days. They sail on Saturday for Europe.

Rev. Mr. Honeyman and wife, who have been indulging in a change of air in Morris county, were expected home the early part of the present week, but have been detained on account of the death of a niece. A letter states that they expected to be home home to-day.

Mr. Tull and family, of New York, have taken the Plummer residence, Netherwood Heights, for the Summer and their stylish turnout excited much notice this morning at French's carriage manufactory, the bay bang-tailed team in silver-plated harness, and tan cart being simply luminous.

Peter Stryker, corner of Madison avenue and Front street, is now in his sixty-eighth year, and has been a resident of Plainfield, with brief exceptions, since before the war. One of his sons, of which he has five, served in the war, and is now a resident of Orange. Three other sons are of this city, one being in Mayor Rockefellow's store, another in the post office and the third is with Mr. Adams. Old Mr. Stryker's father, grandfather and great grandfather were each surnamed Peter, and he now carries a highly prized silver mounted cane, which was carried over sixty years ago by the great grandfather. This inscription, Peter Stryker, and has been handed down from generation to generation to each Peter. Great grandfather Peter was a Holland Dutchman, and the father of thirteen children. The youngest Peter, a sprightly youth of nearly seventy, is fond of his ancestry, and claims that he has much Dutch blood in his veins as his reverend ancestors. Reverting to the old family relic, the cane, he believes it to be over one hundred years old. It is knotty and somewhat resembles a black-thorn stick.

Was She the Same Girl?

About a month ago a lady brought a servant girl to Mrs. Cairns's, an intelligence office on Park avenue. She said she had found *her in Elizabeth depot crying.* The girl was very poorly clothed, and wanted to get a place. Mrs. Cairns was favorably impressed by the appearance of the girl, and said she would stay until she secured a position, and could then pay for the same. She was unable to get a position for the girl because she had no references. Accordingly she sent her to her friend, Mrs. Whitney, on Union street, to work for a month for $10 and $10 in night dollars. She worked there one day, and was very satisfactory. Early in the evening Mrs. Whitney retired, leaving the girl sitting up reading. In the morning the girl had disappeared, taking with a gingham skirt, a rubber cloak, and a five dollar bill. Nothing has since been seen of her. Mrs. Cairns does not recollect her name, but thinks that she is the same person who addressed a similar letter to Newark recently, and an account of which was in yesterday's News.

THE REFORM CLUB MEETING.

Regular Monthly Business Meeting.—Addresses by President Gibbs and Others.

The Dunham Choristers opened the meeting of the Reform Club at Reform Hall last evening with a service of song. An organ and a cornet assisted.

It being the regular business meeting for the month the regular order was taken up, and soon completed.

An invitation was presented from the Bound Brook club asking for a speaker for their meeting on Sunday afternoon. They designated President French as their favorite.

The President smiled, and said that he could not go. Ex-Mayor Maxson, who was appointed, also declined. He said he had been there too recently. Judge Harper finally accepted the invitation.

Addresses were made by Frank Dodge, School Commissioner Wadsworth, ex-President Randolph, President Gibbs, of the Manhattan Union, New York, ex-Mayor Maxson and Judge Harper.

President Gibbs said that he was glad to become a resident of Plainfield, and that some time he would tell the people how he liked the place, and then proceeded to say that he liked it very well. He gave some personal experiences, and told of the way he came to give up both strong drink and tobacco. His manner was earnest, and he held the close attention of the audience.

The pledge was presented as usual at the close.

Miss Rocap was to have given some readings during the evening, but was prevented by illness from doing so. She will probably read next Thursday evening.

Entertainment in Dunellen.

A very small but select audience greeted the participants at the entertainment in the Presbyterian Church in Dunellen last evening. Nearly all of the prominent members of the organization were present.

Mr. Hamilton announced the program, which for an hour and a half delighted the audience and elicited their hearty applause. Mme. Alberti rendered "The Life Boat," by Sims, with telling effect, and was particularly happy in the rendition of one of the Spoopendyke papers. The quartette numbers were well chosen. They first sang "Spring Ye Flowers." The voices of Messrs. Runyon and Mitchell were heard in pleasant comparison in the duet, "It is of the Lord's Great Mercy," from the Oratorio of Abraham, by Mulligan; and later Mr. Mitchell showed his fine solo voice in his selection "A Father's Love," from the romantic Opera of Turline, by Wallace. The solo, "Down in the Deep Cellar," rendered by Mr. Barnes, brought out the deep sonority of his tones and his surprised hearers gave him a prompt and vigorous encore.

Owing to unfortunate circumstances Mr. G. P. Smith, the pianist, was not present. George Wadsworth, who came to supply Mr. Smith's numbers, played very acceptably *and closed the entertainment.*

Base Ball.

Base ball is having a boom among public school pupils. A number of the classes are trotting out their nines to contest for the championship of the school. Two games *were played yesterday.*

One of the games played between the Fourth Class, High School, and the First Class, Grammar School. The lower class took the lead from the start and held it to the finish, being victorious by a score of 8 to 15. Five innings were played. The Fourth Class nine was composed of H. Mason, F. Manchester, *G. Stevens, E. Perrine, F. Newman, H.* Coward, F. Flagg, J. Flagg and E. Eaton. The First Class nine comprised W. Thorn, A. Kramm, B. Sutphen, T. Doane, C. Loughlin, H. Runyon, P. Carter, W. Rockwell and F. Bullock. The umpire was J. Polak, jr., and the scorer was C. Rittenhouse.

The other game was between the First and Second Divisions of the Fourth Class, Grammar School. The game was a rather one-sided affair. The First Division won by a score of 19 to 6. Five innings were played. The First Division nine was composed of W. Buckelew, H. Piker, R. Potter, A. Spicer, J. Sutphen, J. Rittenhouse, T. Anston, H. Lowrie, G. Rockfellow. The Second Division was played by Messrs. Shepherd, Donovan, Pope, Mundy, Curtis, Hand, Moore, Ford and VanBenlen.

Successful Amateur Theatricals.

The spacious parlors at William B. Clarkson's residence, at 151 East Front street, presented an animated appearance last evening on the occasion of the production of the one act comedy entitled "Kerry," by the company of Dion Boucicault. There were about seventy-five persons present. The following was the cast of characters:

Conrad Leonard, a young man of fashion supposed to have been lost in the troop-ship Liverpool ..... Ernest Kendit

Director, his wife ..... Maude A. Bowers

Mrs. Leonard, his mother ..... Jessie Clarke

Capt. Coldham, an officer ..... J. Louis Harbeurger

Dr. Mellish ..... Gertrude Harris

Kerry, an old servant in the Director family ..... Francis K. Harte

Scene—The hall in a room in Mrs. Director's villa on the Isle of Wight, and the time was the present.

The play lasted an hour and was much enthusiastically received. The performers requested their friends to meet at the place in which the various parts had been worked up, and by their display of talent. Francis Harte as Kerry was exceptionally fine, and called forth much praise.

—The sewer basins at the corner of Park avenue and Front street were emptied this morning by the process employed by Jones and Co.

—Phillip Cottrell, of East Fourth street, has begun the foundation of a two story frame building on East Second street near Richmond.

—Roland Brothers give away clean shirts to purchasers to-morrow, who purchase to the amount of $5 and over.

A Rich Bonanza James Connolly and Levi Hetfield.

On the Northeast corner of Madison avenue and a continuation of Third street, is the property of James Connolly. Five years ago the continuation was a lot owned by Levi Hetfield, who gave the property to the city for a street, and, it is alleged that, as the Connealy lot sat on an angle so that the rear end projected over the side walk and disfigured the thoroughfare, a portion of the rear end was appropriated without Mr. Connealy's knowledge or consent, but he understood that he was given a corresponding portion of Mr. Hetfield's lot at the front to compensate for the loss and to make the street straight. About a week ago Mr. Connealy started to fence in his property by the understood lines when he was notified by Mr. Hetfield that the front angle belonged to him. Mr. Connealy remained him of the understanding of which Mr. Hetfield denied all knowledge, and Mr. Connealy was further informed that he had no deed for the angle, as he had none.

Mr. Connealy immediately had the fence changed to correspond with his deed, as he had never given the city any deed to it, and in fact could not, as at the time referred to his wife owned the property. Now the rear end now projects into the sidewalk about two feet.

A number of interesting legal questions arise, in which the city is likely to be a party.

Of course the city has no right to appropriate any property without compensation, and the actual owner of this strip of land was not even consulted in the matter, either directly or indirectly, in law.

Mayor Rockfellow has been notified of the alleged obstruction and requested to have the same removed. Upon hearing all the facts, however, he has thought best to refer the matter to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion, before taking any action.

The City Court.

John Barry, arrested on complaint of Officer Lynch for being drunk and fast driving on Sunday, was fined five dollars by Judge Ulrich this morning.

Mrs. Gertrude Rittenhouse used profane and indecent language, according to the complaint of Mrs. Miller, of West Front street. She was fined five dollars and costs until Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mary Gormley, of West Fourth street, received a severe reprimand from His Honor for disturbing the peace of her neighborhood on West Fourth street. Sentence was suspended.

Church Social.

A large number of the members and friends of the First Baptist Church attended the sociable held in the lecture room of the church last evening. The program consisted of singing by Miss Addie McGee, and playing by Wallace Serrell. Refreshments were served at the close.

—The closing exercises of the Warren Mission Industrial School will be held to-morrow afternoon.

—Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue Ginsenback, of Cumberland County, has renewed his bond for $10,000, which indicates that he will be retained by Collector Farrell for a time at least.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, 25c. and 1.00, as oftentimes imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaper. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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There will be two entertainments each day, afternoon and evening, at which time the doors of which the new pavilion large enough to accommodate everybody, with an ample supply of comfortable and ventilated reserved seats. Ladies and children, in fact everything is spic-span new, and every part of the second coming of Terpsichore. For further particulars see large and small bills posters, programmes, etc., scattered everywhere by the thousands.

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REFITTING A YACHT.

WEAR AND TEAR THAT COST CONSIDERABLE MONEY.

Expenses Which the Owner of a Yacht Must Meet in the Spring-Time. Scraping, Painting and Fixing Up Generally.

[New York Sun.]

"Now my trouble begin," a yachtsman said somewhat wearily, dropping the stub of a cigar and picking another from a mahogany box. "I've no doubt many persons are envious of the comfort I take on board my yacht during the summer months, but if they were bothered in the spring as much as I am they would look at it in a different light. Here is a list of things that my bootblacker says are absolutely necessary, and you can hardly imagine what they are. My boat has just come out of winter quarters, and I suppose it will be three months to put her in shape for the coming season. You have no idea of the wear and tear of a yacht. Fortunately the spars are all right. I couldn't come across better ones the rest if I had to furnish a complete outfit. I must have a new suit of sails, and if I didn't it would be necessary to rope and whiten the old sails. There are some good sailmakers in this port, but the question with most yacht owners is, which is the best? The cost of that item is not small I can assure you.

"Then comes the hull. The bottom needs scraping, and I must pay for having it hauled up on the ways. Before I decide on that I have to decide between rival dealers of copper, paint and other preparations. Then I have to haul up painters, and I have to rely on my bootkeeper to see that they begin work on deck and keep at it, for it doesn't pay to keep a fast loafing on the ways at so many dollars a day. If the gold bead line is to be renewed, and I suppose it will if you have ever seen a sign painter gild letters, you can imagine how long it takes, and how many sheets of gold leaf are necessary for a boat bigger than my bootkeeper can do a good deal of the outside painting, but when it comes to the fine work in the cabin a professional must be employed. It is really surprising the quantity of paint that is used. The cherry and mahogany fittings have to be scraped and oiled, and the deck is frequently called, and if any of the galvanized iron work is weak it must be replaced. The copper and brass things have to be burnished, and broken glass must be replaced. It takes three men to holystone the deck and wash it down, but, of course, after it has been done once it can easily be kept bright and clean.

"The bootkeeper looks after the rigging, and if any ropes are weak they have to be unrove and new ones bought. The mast, bowsprit, boom, gaff, and light spars have to be scraped and oiled or shellacked. All these things, you observe, are outside, and do not include the lumber that usually needs repairing. The hundred and one things for the inside I cannot begin to describe. My carpet wears out and has to be renewed, and I must have a new one fitted. Crockery, cooking utensils, bedding, curtains, water casks, and other things have to be overhauled, and unless the yacht is to be provisioned the cook's needs are wonderful to contemplate. He always wants the best of everything, and a good many more than a professional boarding housekeeper. Rust spoils the pans and tin kettles, but what destroys other things is more than I can tell.

"A few years ago I was nearly talked to death by the owners of patented this and patented that, but I have every substantial fixture so complete now that I can turn them away. The patent steering gear cost me a good deal of trouble for me, but I survived it. The patent traveler for the mast didn't catch me. I believe in the old. What do you think the latest agent has? Patented life-saving appliances. He will show you buoys, mattresses, jackets, cushions, and chairs filled with something to take the place of cork, and to hear him talk you would think it safer to be on one of his mattresses than on my boat. I don't see that they are not good things to have. All I ask is that I may have time to see what I want.

"The last essential, which at the same time must be early in the season, is the crew. Engagements are made long beforehand. I don't need many men, but they must be trustworthy, sober and capable. Good men for yachts command good pay. They must be young and active, clean, respectful, obedient, and quick. Swedes are good sailors for yachts, but native Americans, born and raised near the water, are the best. They take an interest in their work, and if I notice another boat going down to the Hook they will be as interested in the result and work as hard to attain it as any one could wish."

Excitement in Sebastopol.

[Foreign Letter.]

Sebastopol is at present one of the points toward which the eyes of the world are turned. The city, even before the recent war fever, was in into great excitement by the house of an officer that had become bonses take up their goods and walk from the south to the north of the city. The south of the city is the portion that was laid waste by the allies. For many years the city was stagnant; in 1875 business began to revive; a ukase opened the south of the harbor to foreign trade, and vessels again entered the port; large wharves and warehouses have been built on the devastated region. The second order turns out the merchants to let in the soldiers.

Poetic Ideas.

[Boston Courier.]

"A Would-Be Poet" writes: "Believing that I possess a faculty for rhyming, I am ambitious to be a poet. As I have heard a great deal about the poetic license I am anxious to know whether or not it is necessary for me to take out one of these licenses, and if it is, where shall I apply for one." The proper person to whom to apply for a poetic license, it seems to us, is Walt Whitman. At all events, he uses the poetic license himself frequently, and with remarkable success, being able, through its aid to make "Afghanistan" rhyme with "green cucumber."

Channels of Emigration's Flow.

[Rev. Myron W. Reed.]

All Scandinavian move west as near their own parallel as they can. They like the pine better than the sycamore. They are scattered thickly in Minnesota, Dakota and Montana. The Hollander found as near what he left as he could and settled in the valleys of the Hudson and Mohawk rivers, and there built a house like the one he remembered.

Cheap D'Hote Dinner.

[New York Letter.]

A 12-cent table d'hote dinner supplied by a New York caterer consists of soup, fish, one kind of meat to be served by the diner, with salad, chow-chow, coffee, dessert, and plenty of bread and butter. And the caterer prospers with an average profit of 10 per cent.

Iowa's Intelligence.

Iowa contains more persons who can read and write in proportion to her population than any other state in the Union.

FAIR AND WILY TYPEWRITERS.

One of the Leading Swindles of the Metropolis—An Investigation.

[New York Cor. Chicago Tribune.]

The Women's Christian association has opened a registry for girls who desire employment as operatives on typewriters. An investigation of the character of each applicant is promised, so that the employer may know if every in-dustry something about her antecedents. The move is a result of an evil which has become a big one in New York. Inspector Byrnes, who is the head of the detectives of the police department, says on this subject:

"Hundreds and hundreds of young women have been taken into the offices of lawyers, brokers, merchants, and others since the typewriting machine came into general use. They are necessarily educated and bright. Most of them are of irreproachable character, and in this field find work enabling them to support themselves or help their families.

"The type-writing has also opened up a rich thing for confidences adventuresses, and they are doing more extensive and adroit work than ever before. They just get into daily intercourse with men whom they could not otherwise meet; they have plenty of time to make a favorable impression; all the circumstances are conducive to the success of their schemes. In case the chosen victim doesn't put himself voluntarily into a compromising position he is tricked into what looks like one. Then blackmail in some form or other is levied on him. Cases are brought to us in astonishing numbers, and often by men who could be caught by no ordinary trap. I could name a very famous Wall street banker who became involved. He looked black for him until a brief search into the history of his fair young secretary exposed her as an adventuress of the worst sort. Usually we do not feel that the police are rightly called on to act, and the men are advised to go to some lawyers or private detectives."

Talk with the managers of detective agencies about the work in blackmail by woman who get into offices as typewriters has become the leading swindle, and that the investigation and exposure of their real characters constitutes a considerable share of the work now done by unofficial detectives. In most cases the past careers of these women furnish ample defense for their employers; but sometimes the escape is laboriously and expensively brought about. Down-town gossip involves several notables in spite of this kind of blackmail. The plan of the Women's Christian association, while primarily intended to protect good women from unpopularity and coercion with the adventuresses, will operate to drive the latter out, for employers will be asked by circular to require a certificate from the association whenever employing a typewriter. The bureau is now in operation.

People's Feet in Different Sections.

[Philadelphia Times.]

"There is a decided difference in the shape of people's feet in different sections of the country," said a member of one of the largest shoe manufacturing firms in Philadelphia. "Private eaters states the feet are narrower and somewhat longer than in the west, while in the south they are not only narrower but possess a much higher instep. So much is this the case that we are obliged to keep three sets of lasts for the three sections. That comes to be a large item, I can assure you, when it is remembered the number of sizes that are in each set.

"For example, in one size alone we have the initial number—say seven; then there are narrow seven, broad seven, seven and a quarter (narrow and broad), seven and a half (narrow and broad), seven and three-quarters (narrow and broad)—that is, twelve pairs of lasts to one size, and to each of these sizes we must have three different styles for the section of the country to which we are going to send our goods—that is, thirty-six pairs of lasts to one size pair of boots. Simple rather than extravagant, doesn't it? Of course, this is only the case with firms who deal with all these sections.

"Some firms only send their goods to one part of the country. Now you would be surprised to be told that in different sections of the country different shapes of toes of boots are required. Out in the west nothing will suit but the square-toed shoe, whereas in the eastern states the square toe would be in stock a century and then never sell. Different parts of the country require different kinds of leather, too. In the north and west a tougher, harder leather can be worn than in the south, where not only a soft 'upper' is necessary, but, owing to the sandy, hot soil, quite thin soles are necessary. For this kind of wear it is not unusual to use imported leather—that is, for the 'uppers'—but for soles we employ domestic productions almost exclusively.

Grace at the Restaurant Table.

[Syracuse Standard.

A clerk and his country father entered the restaurant the other evening and took seats at a table where sat a theological operator and a reporter. The old man bowed his head and was about to say grace when a waiter flew up and said, "I have buckbreak, codfish balls and hailstones." Father and son gave their orders and the former again bowed his head. The young turned the color of a blood-red beet, and punching his arm, exclaimed in a low, nervous tone: "Father, it isn't customary to do that in restaurants." "It is customary with me to return thanks to God wherever I am," said the old man. For the third time he bowed his head, and the telegraph operator passed in his check for corned beef and cabbage, bowed his head, and the journalist put back his fishball and bowed his head, and then the waiter's mate even heard the short and simple prayer that didn't feel a professional respect for the old farmer since he had been president of the United States.

Where His John Led to.

[Manchester Courier.]

Oh Lord Coleraine's first visit to Drury Lane theatre he was accompanied in boots enter the box, and joosely remarked: "Ji beg, sir, you will make no apology." "Apology, sir," replied the stranger, "apology for what?" "Why," returned his lordship, pointing toward the boots, "that you did not bring your horse with you into the box." "Perhaps it is lucky for you, sir," returned the stranger, "that I did not bring my horsewhip; but I have a remedy at hand, for I can pull your nose for your impertinence," upon other gentlemen in the box now interfered, an exchange of cards took place, and both parties left the theatre.

Lord Coleraine went immediately to his brother and said: "I acknowledge that I was the first aggressor; but it was too bad to threaten to pull my nose. What had I better do?" "Stoop it well," replied George, "and then it will easily slip through his fingers."

Not To-Night.

No, mother, your boy is not wandering to-night. He sits in the parlor, gazed to the old gray-haired and Belinda's lips, while the old man calmly listens to hear him wander.

Helen Hilmore: The great genius is but the world's discovery. What he says all people are longing to say, but cannot formulate their crude ideas into words.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

Murder and Suicide.

By United Press to The News.

NEW YORK, June 5—Benjamin Hulpkin, aged 33 years, of No. 406 Fourth avenue, shot his mistress this morning and then fatally shot himself in the head. She is now in a dangerous condition at the New York Hospital.

Hulpkin left his room at seven o'clock and went to a number of saloons and drank heavily. He returned at quarter to ten and after removing his coat went into the bedroom where his mistress (not his wife) was standing near a dressing case. Without speaking he drew a revolver when within two feet of her and fired twice. The first shot took effect in her forehead. She fell, but he put the revolver to his own head and fired twice, falling dead almost instantly. Hulpkin was a saloon keeper.

An Hotel Proprietor's Suicide.

NASHVILLE, TENN., June 5.—J. Coles, proprietor of the Johnson House, shot himself through the head yesterday, dying instantly. Coles was a regular attendant during the Rev. Sam. Jones' revival, and seemed deeply affected. It is supposed that his mind became impaired. He left a note saying: "I can live no longer. Good bye to all who know me, for I am gone forever and ever."

Annual Meeting of the Seventh Day Denomination.

WESTERLY, R. I., June 5.—The Eastern Association of the Seventh Day Baptist Church, embracing Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, began here yesterday the four day meeting of its 49th annual session. Fifteen churches were represented.

Cisco Executed.

HACKENSACK, N. J., June 5.—Stanford Cisco, colored, was hanged in the corridor of the men's prison of the Bergen County Jail at 9.18 a. m to-day for the murder of Abram Garnse, the proprietor of a country store at Park Ridge, N. J., a small village on the New York and New Jersey Railroad.

A Counterfeiter Arrested.

BOSTON, June 5.—Fred Thatcher, an old offender, was arrested last night as the man who has flooded the city with counterfeit silver coin for months past. A complete counterfeiter's apparatus was found at his house.

A Burglar Shot.

PUEBLO, Col., June 5.—A burglar, giving the name of Billy Wilson, was shot three times yesterday by the Police while operating in a dance hall known as the "Palace of Pleasure." His wounds may prove fatal.

An Eminent Composer Dead.

LONDON, June 5.—Sir Julius Benedict, the eminent musician and composer, is dead. He was born at Stuttgart, Nov. 27th, 1804.

The Commencement exercises of Princeton College will begin on Saturday of next week and will end on the following Wednesday. Examination for entrance will begin on Thursday, June 18.

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WOMAN AND HOME.

A KENTUCKY BELLE'S TALK UPON LOVE-MAKING.

A Brave Little Woman—Holiday for the Wife—Washington Teas—A Cozy Corner—Baby's Growth—Tidbits of Household Wisdom.

[Cor. Louisville Commercial.]

According to the professed belief of a noted belle of thirty-six years, who is round and rosy matron with children at her knee, the good's dreadful contingent need never be feared by a lover's hesitancy. In other words, the man who "dares in the night way can always "get her."

"A score of men made love to me," said the excellent belle above referred to, "and any one of these might have had me if he had stuck to the art of love-making with the same ardor he would give any time to a game of chess.

"I hold that love-making is an art. There is no such thing as love at first sight. We may admire each other in the beginning, but immediate affection is out of the question. First impressions, no matter how favorable, must be strengthened by artful cultivation. The lover who is sure of the man who once makes no mistake, he is sure to win, no matter what his condition may be. Of course he must be a gentleman generally, and, above all wear clean linen and keep his face free from dirt. If he does all this and uses judiciously no arrow of misfortune can keep the victor's wreath from off his crown. I might add that one of the requisites in personal appearance is clean teeth. A man may have a nose like a pumpkin, or a mouth like a hammock chair, or eyes like a jay bird, a hand like a ham, or a foot as big as a canoe, and he can win, but if his teeth are not white and sound his mouth ought to be hid will run the day he gave his heart to a well-bred woman. He may be tall or short, stout or lean, with a voice like a fog-horn and a courage as fearful as that of a field of mice, and he may yet win any woman in the world if he studies her with care and brings his teeth to bear.

"More women are won by judicious flattery than by any other means, for every woman is more or less vain, and she is nothing to the man who finds her weakness and handles it with skill. Let a woman once imagine that she has pretty eyes, and if a man will tell her so constantly and artfully, she will believe it, and consequence for him, which may be easily fanned into a flame of love, and ardent love at that. This is reasonable enough.

"All women profess to hate men who are jealous, but in this they belie themselves extravagantly. No woman ever loved a man violently which she was unable to infect with a sting of the green-eyed monster. It is true that some women are fond of complacent, easy-going husbands and lukewarm men, but as a rule such fellows can never inspire the genuine emotion. It is your hot-headed, passionate and impulsive man who can drive a woman to distraction. All women are more or less sentimental, and so are all good men for that matter. Sentiment has nothing to do with complacency. Therefore you can understand the drift of my argument.

"A man must be more or less hot-headed; he must be more or less passionate or he is less passionate to inspire a woman with the love that burns. The man who wouldn't kiss a woman when she tells him with her eyes that she may permit him to do it, don't mean by this that kissing is at all necessary, or even proper, but it is certainly a part and parcel of the art of love-making.

"I heard a pretty girl from Cleveland say once that she had been devotedly sought by young Mr. ——— for four years. She was fond of him and liked him, but he was one of the most qualities, but she finally let him go, because, as she put it, he never had the courage in his own squeeze her hand. To my knowledge there never was a purer or better girl than that one, but she was too full of mercury to ever wed a man who lacked the spirit to at least suppose he had had a lovable way. Real women, I protest, care nothing for milk-and-water men, nor do they always worship the brute, but, as I have said, if any intelligent man, with clean linen and clean teeth, will make a judicious combination of flattery and ardent devotion, he can win any woman in the world who doesn't hate him for a cause in the beginning of the affair."

A Brave Little Woman.

[Ella Guernsey in Burlington Hawkeye.]

Another tidbit of wisdom I've picked up—that the woman who is left to shift for herself over little things, stand as a tour of strength when real trials and privations visit their threshold. All worry is forgotten, the brave-hearted soul rises to the height of the fight, they speak only words of comfort. Just here I'm not clever; the tears are shed, a dreadful wail bids defiance to fate.

Said a strong man to his creditors when the disagreeable truth came to light that his discounts were gone:

"Gentlemen, I have given up every dollar; for myself I do not care, but my wife, daintily reared, always petted, she will feel the sudden change."

The big fellow paused and repeated his own deer, dreading to go into his own home. Mr. Manly was inclined to worry over little things when it would become of her in this trial! He loved her, too, and desired to keep her happy.

"I should have told me all, Charles," said the past is irrevocable. Together we will climb up again, my husband," was her calm reply, yet common report said of this brave little wife that she killed her husband by unseasonable extravagance."

"It is impossible for the best, and bravest, the most fortunate not to be worried," we can think "if we had known," "had done this or that," or "it would have been better so," and consequently discourage ourselves, forgetting the present and future in the past.

No use to tell us wrong drives nails in our coffin, silvers threads in locks, and imprints wrinkles on our brows. We understand all these effects, yet we can not go through life without a mite of worry.

Contriving a Cozy Corner.

[R. Maria George in Brattleboro Household.]

In arranging a room try to contrive cozy corners. Instead of having the sofa set gravely against the wall, place it across the corner, and in the open space back of it they table holding some article of virtu, hang over this a bracket with a vase, or as we have done, put up a shelf for an urn or some ornament decorated for holding dried wheat, oats, grasses and such like. In front of the sofa put a small table holding a few pretty books, and a couple of easy chairs drawn up as though used but a moment before. The effect was charming, and one felt at once that here was a cozy corner.

These down-stairs closets are not admirable, one both useful and novel may be improvised in the upper hall between two doors, and one-half feet each way, measuring from the corner of the room have a frame put in, to which a door can be hung. Top of this have a panel edged with a bracket shelf, on the top of this a little carved work, Queen Anne ruffling or something similar. A set must be put across the bottom for an underway door. Put in three rows of hooks

covered in pieces of board fitted V-shape to fit the corner.

You are now ready for the ornamental part of the work. The closet can be painted the same color as the rest of the room, or contrasted, as may be recommended. Mask work. On the panel at the top, paint a spray of some flower that will look well on the ground work of the room, or in shape and the ruffling should be gilded and also the edges of the panels.

Washington Society Teas.

[Washington Letter.]

A rather innocent amusement in which society is just now indulging itself is "tea." There are several grades of these "teas" an ordinary "tea," a high "tea," and occasionally a "dime tea," though the last mentioned is not much of a feature here. The ordinary "tea" is simply a social gathering at which the principal duty seems to be drinking tea and eating a slight refreshment—biscuits, cakes, thin sandwiches and the like. The second, high "tea" is more like a party, for the guests are served sup, terrapin, and salads, and their tea is a mere incident. The ladies appear in elaborate toilet and without bonnets, and guests are served standing at the table.

The third division or bine "tea," as it is called, has features besides tea-drinking, such as readings, recitations, songs, and music. In Washington society the "dime tea" is the favorite. No set rules are observed as to what shall be furnished the guests. Each hostess does as suits her convenience, her aim being to make her guests comfortable. For this reason the high tea has come to be regarded as a republican mode of entertainment, and the utmost latitude is permissible. The only difference between high tea and dinner is that the former is not served in courses, nor do the guests sit at table, but content themselves with standing and being waited upon, or else helping themselves the same as at an evening reception. All the dishes that accompany a dinner can be set out at high tea. A feature at an ordinary tea is a compound known as cheese-sticks, the materials, dough, cheese, and red pepper, being baked in sticks which are then passed to the guests with sand wiches.

A Holiday for the Wife.

["M. A." in Detroit Free Press.]

Give your wife a vacation. She needs one. Little cares are harder to be borne than the great misfortunes. She has not many more little cares than her husband and sometimes as great responsibilities. The doctor tell her more human break down mentally than men, and they also tell us that this is because they have more cares to carry, and have to carry them continuously. When you start out in the morning, lock it up in your office and put the key in your pocket. But she never locks her work up till sleep comes and turns the key upon it.

A woman's work is never done. And modern life has increased and intensified it. Cares have multiplied faster than conveniences. Life is more complex, its demands are greater and more numerous, society more exciting. Who needs a vacation if she does not? And she cannot get it at home. The more quiet and restful the home is to you the more evidence that it is a care if not a burden to her. A housekeeper can no more take a vacation at home than a banker in his counting house. Even though her absence occasions inconvenience give her an occasional vacation.

She Headed Not the Warning.

[Texas Siftings.]

Her mother told her not to marry until she thought she was able to support her husband. But she headed not her gentle mother's warning. She went and got civilly contracted to a man who was a fine, long-winded talker, who could sit around and keep a stove warm better than any one she had ever seen in her life. And then she got married nobly, hauling the bridle and guiding the iron steed as well as the best man on the road. This girl has frequently run the engine about the yard, but never before made a trip on the road. We don't know of any other road having female engineers.

When a Woman Grows Old.

[New York Evening Post.]

"When does a woman begin to grow old?" was lately asked in an assembly of French women, who are said to be even more afraid of visibility than the women of other countries.

"With the first gray hair," suggested one of the ladies, and "When she ceases to inspire love," said another. The discussion was finally put to a charming white-haired matron of some 70 years, who at once replied: "What do I know about it? You must ask an old woman to answer such a question."

The Fair Ticket Agent.

[Chicago Herald "Train Talk."]

At a station down in Indiana the Lake Shore company employs a lady ticket agent. She is a good agent, and attends closely to her business, but she is a woman still. The other day a lady traveler stepped up to the ticket window and inquired about a train that was a little late.

"Will the train be long?" she asked, meaning if it would be long in arriving.

"Oh, yes," was the reply of the fair ticket agent, "longer than last season, but without so many ruffles around the edge.

Onion Flavoring.

[Tid-Bits.]

One way to prepare onion flavoring for a vegetable soup is to take a large onion, remove the outer skin, then stick cloves into the onion until it is nicely browned. The peculiar flavor thus gained is relished by the epicure.

Silver Jewelry.

The silver filigree jewelry is exquisite in design and workmanship, but too easily affected by the atmosphere, and requires to be boiled in acid to render it silver.

Fine Footwear.

Ladies are using gold, silver, gold and small Rhine stone studs for fastening laces dressed, as they can be removed when the garments are sent to be laundried.

Arm in Arm.

There is a certain prejudice in refined circles against promenading in a lady's arm when walking, and many persons say it is the worst possible form.

New Beverages.

"Lactart" is a new acid drink that is becoming popular in the east. In Richmond, Va., one of the most delicious of beverages they call "limeade."

A little brown pot in the water in which sealed napkins and soft bordered towels are to be washed will prevent them from fading.

Veranda seats in Canton, China, are quite popular just now at Boston," but there are not many to be found in Clifton or the Hill.

A number of stately young folks in Elizabeth have revived the old-time popular game of battledoor and shuttlecock.

A bunch of peacock feathers, tied with a ribbon, makes a pretty ornament to hide a bad spot on the parlor-wall.

A well-beaten egg is a great addition to a dried-apple pie, giving lightness and a good flavor and color.

The favorite jewelry for graduates will be silver.

On One of the Beach Notes.

[San Francisco Chronicle.]

I sat on one of the back rows at one of the carnival concerts. We had lots of fun, for it was not crowded and we laughed. Behind me sat a very well-known lawyer and a lady. They could not see much of the stage, even. Miss. Dive-Kingcane came on to play a piano solo. It was a long one, but it could not bear. The lady behind me got up and looked at the stage, after a long wait.

"Oh, my! She's gone!" she said.

Of his first case in the United States Senate Mr. Ingalls says: "I was very much embarrassed. I was very young, and I was very green. I was from the country, and I knew it. I knew that the eyes of the country were upon me. I knew that the fate of my case depended upon my success. The only question at issue was a question of authority. I have found innumerable precedents sustaining the opposite side, but I could find none in favor of my own. With these facts I submit the case." (Laughter.) "What lawyer should have found himself on the wrong side of a new strange, he should say so was straight indeed. He was perhaps the only lawyer of whose case could have been truthfully told the truth when it ruined his case."

At a Physicians' Meeting.

[Chicago Herald.]

At a recent meeting of the Philadelphia College of Physicians there was exhibited a collection of dried snakes possessing many of the qualities of the serpent tribe. They were contained in a score or more of small glass bottles, and were the venoms secured from rattlesnakes, moccasins, copperheads, cobras, daboias, and other varieties. They are to-day as virulent poisons as when first drawn from the fangs of the living reptiles. Colored drawings were also on the shop representing the action of these deadly fluids on the systems of pigeons. An exhibition was also given of the spirymograph, or pulse-writer, in the form of a colored wax figure stilliard. The delicate instrument faithfully recorded the pulsations of the subject on a smoke-blackened sheet of mica.

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Food of the Arab Steed.

[Chicago Times.]

An English officer who has been service in Egypt states that the food of the Arabian horse consists of six pounds of barley, which is given at sunset. This custom obtains to agree with the animal, and it is said the owner to carry in a bag food enough—sixty pounds—for a ten days' journey across the desert. The stomach of the horse is small, and for this reason it is the custom in agricultural countries to give him three meals a day. But in Arabia they make a virtue of necessity. Fast is broken but once in twenty-four hours.

A Hint in Chimney.

[The Architect.]

In the construction of chimney stacks, there should be air chambers of every flue of expanded space, within which the down draughts of air will rotate and expend their force without invading the flue below.

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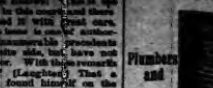

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	52	6 a. m.	64
9 a. m.	62	9 a. m.	74
12 m	67	12 m.	83
3 p.m.		p. m.	90

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885		1884	
Sunrise	4.29 a.m	Sunrise	4.29 a.m
Sun Sets	7.2 9 p.m.	Sun Sets	7.28 p.m.
Moon Rises	10.23 a.m.	Moon Rises	p.m.

Chronological Events.

Patrick Henry died 1799.—Memphis taken 1862.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, stationary followed by rainy temperatures.

For Sunday—Fair and slightly warmer weather is indicated for the district bordering on the Atlantic.

JOTTINGS.

—The swimming season of the small boy was fully inaugurated yesterday.

—Colored lines are all the rage. Edsall is enjoying a large sale on them just now.

—The Philadelphia & Reading Railroad during the month of April, paid $30,680.93 *as counsel fees to lawyers.*

—There was a fair number of skaters at the Casino last evening, the cool weather making the exercise very enjoyable.

—The Rev. J. H. Carroll, of Minnesota, who is to lecture at Reform Hall to-morrow evening, usually gets $100 for delivering the lecture elsewhere.

—*Assessor Potter* has completed taking the census of Bound Brook. The inhabitants number 1011, as against 934 in 1880. There are 180 dwelling houses, and 217 families.

—The following are additional answers to advertisements which the parties are requested to call or send for.—"Spring"; "C. L."; "C. O. M."; "D. W."; "D. W. M."; "A. G."; "D." "D." "D. L."; "T. D." "S." "I." "Lewis." "S. U."

—The Dunham Good-Will Choristers will open the strawberry and ice cream festival season on Tuesday evening in Warren Mission Chapel. The admission is placed at a low figure, and the best berries and cream will be furnished. Good music will also form a feature of the evening.

—John Mitchell, who committed a murderous assault on Warden Breen in the County Jail some weeks ago, was sentenced to six years in State Prison by Judge McCormack at Elizabeth yesterday. James Moore, colored, who cut his wife's throat in Rahway three years ago, and who was recently arrested in Easton, Pa., was sentenced to five years in State Prison.

—The Roseville Rink, in which Mr. J. B. Miller and Dr. Voorhees, of this city, were part owners, had a very successful season with a benefit last Wednesday evening for their employees. The experience of Messrs. Miller and Voorhees satisfies them that a properly conducted rink is a good investment, although Mr. Miller sold out his interest a few days ago at a handsome figure to more fully resume his former attention with his brother, to his Summer guests at Laing's Hotel. He has made a good round sum by the speculation, in which Dr. Voorhees prefers to hold on and has no disposition to sell.

—*R. W. Manaffee, of North Plainfield,* called on us last evening to say that it was his team which run away as described a few days ago in THE NEWS and which a brave lad stopped. The lady who witnessed the affair supposed the team belonged to No. 2 Engine Co. and the report which is among the most careful, and felt very sore over any imputation as to his carelessness in allowing horses to remain as alleged, and as to ingratitude in not thanking the boy, who was supposed to have done him good service. Mr. Manaffee says he had been busy moving furniture into the house, and a child had climbed into the wagon during his absence. When he heard the team in commotion, he hurried to overtake it, and in doing so got a blow in the head *from a piece of furniture,* which rendered him dazed, and will account for his not at least thanking the boy, although he says he thanked everybody whom he knew had anything to do with the affair, and wishes through THE NEWS to most heartily thank the boy who stopped the team.

Kind Words from Kind Neighbors.

[From the Elizabeth Herald.]

Among our daily exchanges is THE PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS, ever bright, breezy and full of local news, and ably edited throughout. It has now met its reward for perseverance by having able to expand its size four columns, making it more valuable than ever.

(From the Bound Brook Chronicle.)

The PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS has enlarged its size to a seven column folio. This paper seems to be meeting with a remarkable degree of success.

[From The Trenton Times.]

THE PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS has been enlarged from a six to a seven column folio paper. We congratulate Editor Morrison on the improvement.

To Make Tramps Work.

Under the recent resolution by the Board of Chosen Freeholders the work of enclosing a portion of the jail yard, for a place where tramps can work while serving their terms of imprisonment, has been commenced. A high board fence and sheds are in course of construction, and everything will be in readiness for the experimental in a short time.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY.

Too Much Importuning.

[From Peterson's.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—All who use the Railroad know how convenient it is to find hacks awaiting our arrival at the depot and no one can blame our hack-drivers for being alert in competing for patrons.

But having finally made our selection, ought we not to be free from further solicitation and also from criticism by disappointed candidates, especially those of us who are of the feminine persuasion? We of the stronger sex can quell the disappointed critic or punish his head—if he be not too big—but would it not be well to have an officer detailed to North avenue with summary powers for the protection of otherwise unprotected ladies against the importinence to which they now are sometimes subjected there?

[There are two special policemen detailed for service for the railroad company for the especial nuisance complained of. One is on duty during the day, and one in the evening. Several arrests have been made by them at different times for the violations of the ordinance relative to hacks.—Ed.]

It Is a City.

[From Sixth Street.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—Please inform me through THE NEWS what is the exact status of Plainfield as a village, town, or city. By the terms of our charter, what kind of a place would you call us. All to decide a wager.

New Members and Committees of the Y. M. C. A.

At the meeting of the new Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association on Thursday the following persons were elected members:

Active Sustaining—John Erskine, T. J. Mumford.

Sustaining—Frederick P. Chase.

Active—A. S. Everitt, T. J. Davis, M.D., G. H. Squires, J. A. Parsons, C. F. Powlison, L. A. Hummer, Geo. W. Curtis, Dexter Tiffany, Richard McDonald, Thad. C. Smith, Dan'l Ginns, Arthur Hyde, Geo. L. Crook, Jas. R. Perrine, H. A. Pope, Garret Van Winkle.

Associate—J. G. Miller, Morris Van Arsdale.

President Newman at the same meeting appointed the new committees for the year as follows:

Devotional—H. R. Munger, chairman, E. L. Bonney, C. E. Tyler, Seely Edsall, F. J. Miller, E. P. Kellogg, C. T. Kissam, E. L. Suffern, Fred'k Moon, C. A. Robinson.

Library—F. J. Miller, chairman; Harold Serrell, E. R. Ackerman.

Ways and Means—Geo. A. Chapman, chairman; J. W. Simpson, Alex. Gilbert.

Membership—James W. Jackson, Chairman, Edward J. Runyon, C. C. Tyler, A. A. Andrews, Seely Edsall, S. M. Titsworth, W. A. Woodruff, G. L. VanEmburg, G. R. Cornwell, H. W. Stover, Wm. Snarkey.

Reception—Sol. Johnson, Chairman; H. P. Kimball, Milton Craft, A. J. Gavett, A. M. Hudnut, W. M. McGee, N. H. Gillett, John P. Thompson, W. A. Conger, Geo. F. Brown, Lestie M. Dante, T. N. Horn, W. T. Kaufman, Townsend Rushmore, Howard Runyon.

Boys' Branch—G. L. VanEmburg, Chairman; S. Cahoone, Jr., E. W. Hodges, M. D. Yoke Fellows—John Cory, Chairman; W. Sharkey, J. B. Higgins, W. C. Gaskell, A. A. Andrews.

Lecture—C. W. Mc Clutchen, Chairman; H. P. Reynolds, G. A. Chapman.

Rooms—Geo. W. Rockfellow, Chairman; R. J. Shaw, G. A. Westervelt.

Auditing—J. W. Jackson, E. St. John.

Bulletin—Wm. D. Murray, Chairman; E. W. Hodges, M. D., Leslie M. Daniel.

$1,000 for a Lecture Ticket.

(From the Philadelphia Daily News.)

Some folks may think that Knox, of Texas Siftings, is mad to go around the country lecturing for the Barthold Statue Pedestal without remuneration. But their is method *in his madness.* He *for* Himself is assuming—count is a shorter word. He read in the New York World that Frank Siddall, of Philadelphia, was giving one dollar a day toward the Pedestal Fund. "There's a crank that I will hook," he said, and so he came to Philadelphia, and met Siddall. "I am Colonel J. Aguory Knox, of Texas Siftings," he said. "I am going to deliver a lecture in New York for the benefit of the Barthold Statue Pedestal Fund. Here's a ticket. I want you to buy it."

"How much?" said Siddall, incredulously.

"One dollar is the price, but your neat will cost you more than that."

"How much" said Siddall again.

"Five hundred dollars," answered Knox, and when he mentioned that sum he expected to be laughed at. Siddall simply frowned to his desk and wrote out a check. When Knox looked at it he found it was for one thousand dollars. "And," said he, in telling me the story, "Siddall has never mentioned the transaction to me since."

Somerset County Victories.

In the Supreme Court on Thursday Justice Dixon read the opinion in the famous case of Somerset County *vs.* Daniel Cory, in which the judgment below was affirmed. This case has been in the courts for several years, and has been twice tried in Somerset County. The jury in the last trial gave a verdict of over $6,000 against Cory and the case was then taken to the Supreme Court by the defendant, on a writ of error. Here it was argued by Messrs. J. R. English and A. A. Clark, for the defendant, and by Judge P. D. Vroom, for the County. The decision will make Mr. Cory pay into the County Treasury over $6,000, unless the case is carried into the Court of Errors and Appeals, which is hardly probable.

Personal.

Mrs. Anne Ackers, of Elm street, has returned from a two weeks' visit to her old home at Norwich, Conn.

Board of Freeholders.

On Thursday afternoon, at three o'clock, a regular monthly meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders was held in the Court House, Elizabeth. The director and all the members were present except Freeholder Bunyon.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by Clerk Crowell and approved.

The committee on the Summit bridges reported that the bridge on Grove avenue was of pine, and was built in 1866, and as such bridges was erected in 1870. The committee recommended that a new bridge be built, or parapet walls, filled in with dirt, the cost not to exceed $200.

Freeholder Dobbie moved that the report and the recommendations be adopted. Carried.

Freeholder Dobbie moved that a committee of five be appointed to inspect the line bridge on the Passaic, in New Providence, and if found necessary, to make repairs, or if too old, to replace it by a new bridge. Adopted.

The director appointed the following committee on this bridge: Freeholders Dobbie, Dardis, Pierson, Bauer and Etheridge.

Freeholder Roll presented a resolution that a committee of five be appointed to inquire into the necessity of building Adams extension office, and a dwelling and store belonging to William Kelly, of Oak Tree. Loss between $5,000 and $6,000, insured for $1,000.

State-Notes.

—An Institute of the Sunday-school teachers of the county will be held in Dover on Wednesday, June 10.

—Work has been commenced on the sea wall for the Government battery at Finn's Point, on the Delaware.

—The premium list of the New Jersey Agricultural Society foots up to $15,600. The fair will open September 14th and continue five days.

—Ex-Freeholder Steinbeckner, one of the most prominent citizens of Hudson County, died suddenly at his home in Guttenberg yesterday of heart disease.

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—Emma Belmont, who was horribly mutilated by Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Hendrickson, of New Brunswick, on the 12th of May, on Wednesday had recovered sufficiently to return to the Union Street Hospital, where she was also found by Mrs. Hendricks. She will return to New Brunswick in September to testify against her persecutor.

—A sword, skeleton keys, a 32-calibre revolver, a whole box of cartridges, a knife and a dime novel called "Brave Harry, the Indian Hunter," were found in the cell of Joseph Merz, who told the Newark police-man who arrested him on Tuesday that he was going to kill Apaches. He was sent up for sixty days.

—The telephone company has at last won its point over the Morristown subscribers, a majority of whom would not hold out against the company. Only 14 out of the 200 subscribers were willing to oppose the raise in price when it came to the sticking point. The price paid is $60 per year, without rebate of any kind.

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—The Passaic Water Company, of Paterson yesterday awarded the contracts for the construction of a new reservoir to be used by the water supply of Paterson. The capacity of the present reservoirs of the company is 80,000,000 gallons, and the new one which is to be finished by October 15, will hold 25,000,000 gallons, and it is so situated that by an increase in the height of the walls it can easily way at any time be doubled. It will be situated between *Stony road and Ivanhoe* Paper Mill.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Lance's Bakers at less than the regular price, 25c. and 1.00, as oftentimes imitations or inferior articles are sold at the counter, in order to make a larger profit cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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Former Plainfieldites Burned Out at Asbury Park.

J. Andrew Clark, formerly of this city, a son-in-law of Mr. L. L. Compton, has been for the past two years in the wholesale and retail confectionery business at Asbury Park.

About two o'clock last Monday night he was aroused, by flames enveloping his house. He and his wife, and Lewis Compton, a son of L. L. Compton, barely saved themselves by jumping from a second story window, having on only such garments as they could hastily don, losing not only all their wearing apparel, of which Mrs. Clark had a liberal supply, but also all their household furniture. In fact they were cleaned out of about all their worldly possessions. Mrs. Clark, after getting out returned and secured her gold watch, but Mr. Clark was not so fortunate. He had just laid in a large stock of goods, and had no insurance. He is satisfied that the fire was of incendiary origin.

Mr. L. C. Compton, who manages his father's establishment in this city, returned from Asbury Park Tuesday, and says that it was the largest fire ever seen at the Park. Mr. Clark is unable to state the amount of his loss. There were seven or eight other fences destroyed, including Adams express office, and a dwelling and store belonging to William Kelly, of Oak Tree. Loss between $5,000 and $6,000, insured for $1,000.

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New Officers of Muhlenberg Hospital.

The following is a list of the newly elected officers of Muhlenberg Hospital:

President, Samuel Huntington; First Vice President, W. R. Potts; Second Vice President, J. Evarts Tracy; Secretary, W. R. Cock; Treasurer, George H. Goddard; Managing Committee, Rev. A. V. V. Raymond, Samuel Huntington, J. Evarts Tracy, John H. Gotshall, W. R. Cock; Finance Committee, W. R. Potts, Charles Schipper, George H. Goddard, W. E. Lowe, James W. Jackson.

Advertised Letters.

List of advertised letters in the Plainfield post-office, June 5, 1885:

Barron, J. P.
Bell, Daniel
Dennis, Mrs. F.
Dunham, Miss Sallie
Dunham Miss M.
Dunham, Mrs. A. R.
Hughes, John
Fox, F. W.
Hall, Miss Clara
Halstead, A. C.
Lippincott, Charles
Palmer, Miss Mamie
Rue, Mrs. A. W.
Prior, Harold
Rogers, Edward
Sweeney, Mary E.
Stubbs, R.
Symons, Mrs.
Tucker, Mrs. Caroline
Wheeler, Thomas

When called for please say advertised.

E. R. Force, P. M.

MUSIC HALL,
THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 1885.
Humorous Lecture
by
J. Armoy Knox
of the TEXAS SIFTINGS.
SUBJECT:
"The Humorous View of It."
ASSISTED BY
BRADFORD WILLIAMS,
In Imitations of well-known Actors, Divines and Statesmen.
Sale of Seats begins Monday, June 8th. Admission, low prices. Reserved seats 10 cents.

BARGAINS.
In Hosiery. Having bought a large lot at less than the cost of Importation, We Sell Children's full regular made Solid Colored Hosiery 5 to 7 inches at 20 cts. 7 to 8 1-2 inches 25 cts., worth 35 and 40 cts.
New Lawns, new prints, new cambrics, new ginghams, all at prices unheard of before at
Pope Bros.

$10,000 FORFEITED to Plainfield if the "boys" don't acknowledge the rare performances of
O'BRIEN, ASTLEY, and CO'S,
NEW, GREAT, FIRST-CLASS
CIRCUS & MENAGERIE
To be the best seen in Plainfield for twenty years.
WILL EXHIBIT IN
PLAINFIELD,
SATURDAY, JUNE 6.
Only 25 Cents Admission to All.
The Circus, Arabic, Equestrian, Acrobatic and Athletic Performers in Europe, England, Ireland, Scotland and America, are all engaged, and are not superior to the best ever seen in any locality at the money willingly refunded. The Equestrian performances is not confined to an occasional act, but the whole range of the arenic horizon is "One Ring Full of Concentrated Monster Performances." The Trained Castilian Dogs of Signor Pierre have positively never been seen in all Europe, and are a perfect mystification. It is worth the whole price of admission to see these dogs. The Zoological Department contains the cages of lively, wild and ferocious creatures of the world, with many rare specimens, the like of which never was seen in America, except at Central Park Garden. The Trained Elephant in the world, the great people of this town to be the judges.
There will be two entertainments each day, afternoon and night, at two and eight o'clock. A tent of new pavilion large enough to accommodate everybody, with an ample supply of comfortably upholstered reserved seats, only 25 cents extra, fast everything is spic-span new, and every document and circular is free from the order of the days, circulars see large and small bills, couriers, programmes, etc., scattered everywhere by the thousands.

Laces a Specialty
AT
EDSALL'S.
Colored Laces are having a Large Sale just now.
We have the finest assortment we have ever shown.
PRICES LOW.

STRAWBERRY AND ICE CREAM Festival
To be given for the Benefit of the
DUNHAM GOOD-WILL CHORISTERS,
AT WARREN UNION MISSION,
Tuesday and Wednesday Evenings,
June 9 and 10 at 8 o'clock.
THE BEST
Strawberries and Ice Cream.
GOOD MUSIC.
Rain or Shine, Come and Help Us.
ADMISSION 10 CENTS.

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J. B. Miller and Bro., Props.
Front St., Opposite Madison Ave.,
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Foremost Souvenirs Taken at Seaside 4th Issue

In consequence of the increasing demand of the people to have their clothing MADE TO ORDER I have concluded to give up the Ready Made department and devote my attention exclusively to the Merchant Tailoring. This will enable me to keep the largest assortment of these goods ever in Plainfield. Therefore to make room for a much larger stock of piece goods I offer for sale about $5,000.00 worth of Men's Youths and Boys' Clothing at the manufacturer's prices, and I will guarantee to sell 25 per cent. less than any clothing store can afford to sell the same goods. This clothing must be sold before September 1, 1885, to make room for the new order of business. Terms Cash.

JOHN H. FRENCH,
29 West Front St.

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OFFICIAL TIME-TABLE OF MAY, 24, 1885.

LEAVE Plainfield	ARRIVE New York	LEAVE New York	ARRIVE Plainfield
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8 47	11 45	10 00	11 37
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ELECTION LAWS.

LEADING FEATURES OF THE STATUTES OF THE STATES.

Viva Voce Voting in Kentucky—Certificates of Registration—Poll Tax Receipts—Form and Size of Ballots—"Swiss" the Ballots.

[Chicago Times.]

The Million has tabulated the results of its original investigation into the election laws of the different states, presenting the leading features of those laws in a form convenient for reference and comparison. In the performance of this service it has had the assistance of state officials and private citizens in every state but three, and the requisite data for those three have been obtained from their latest statutes. The aim has been so far as possible to give the present requirements of the laws, and it is believed that success has attended the effort in this direction.

Nine states have no registration laws. These are Arkansas, Delaware, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, Oregon, Texas, and West Virginia. In all the states except Kentucky voting is by ballot. There it is viva voce, the voter appearing at the polling place and announcing orally the persons or propositions in favor of which he wishes to express his preference. This was formerly quite a common method of voting; but, though it still has many advocates throughout the country, Kentucky, it appears is the only one.

The column giving the dates of the registration act shows that New Hampshire had such an act as long ago as 1868. Nevada appears to come next, with a law enacted in 1864, and Illinois next, with one enacted in 1865. Most of these laws in their present form have been enacted since 1879. It does not follow, however, that none of the states had laws of this kind before the dates given in the table, since, as above stated, the aim has been to give not the origin, but the present state of the registration laws.

In eighteen of the states that have registration law, registration is required in all voting precincts or towns. Those requiring registration only in towns or cities having a certain population or more, with the number of inhabitants rendering registration necessary, are as follows: Iowa, 6,000; Kansas, 15,000; Maine, 1,000; Minnesota, 12,000; Missouri, 32,000; Nebraska, 25,000; New Jersey, 10,000; Tennessee, 10,000; Wisconsin, 1,500. All the others that have registration laws require registration throughout.

In nineteen of the states having laws of this kind registration is indispensable. In two others, Alabama and North Carolina, it is practically so, but in Alabama one may register on election day, except in towns of over 5,000 inhabitants, and in North Carolina if a voter becomes of age on election day he may vote without being registered. In Florida registration is practically indispensable, but there are exceptional cases. In Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin votes may be sworn in in cases where the voter is not registered.

Certificates of registration are issued in four states—namely, Kansas, Rhode Island, South Carolina and Tennessee. In Alabama certificates are issued only in cases of registration on election day. In Louisiana certificates are issued in the city of New Orleans, but not elsewhere. It does not appear, however, that voters are called upon to exhibit certificates, except in doubtful cases. The certificates are for the better benefit of the voters, who are thereby protected against the fraudulent erasure of their names from the lists after the election clerks and bulldozers. The column showing what it costs voters to obtain certificates of registration is very full, there being satisfactory data shown nothing except that in Tennessee a certificate costs the voter nothing, and that in Rhode Island a man must own property assessed at $134 or more before he can obtain a certificate or cast a vote. In Delaware, Massachusetts and Rhode Island a man must have exhibited a poll tax receipt before he can claim the right to vote. The annual tax of the first named of these states is $1 to $1.50, in the second, $2, and in the third, $1. It will be a surprise to find that from all the rest of the states the report is that the payment of a poll tax is not required as a prerequisite to voting.

In sixteen of the states there is no provision of law prescribing the form and size of the ballots. The tabular exhibit shows that there are such provisions of law in Alabama, Colorado, California, Indiana, Massachusetts, and Ohio, but does not show what those provisions are. In Florida and Louisiana law only exceptionally seems to be that the ballots must be printed on white paper. In North Carolina and Oregon the paper must be white and without device. In Nevada nothing is said about the color of the paper, but the prescribed size is 7 by 10 inches. In Illinois it is provided that there shall be a blank space below each name, to express which opinion may be distasteful, as it is often observed only in the most formal way. In Minnesota the ballots are indorsed on the back of the paper, and of equal size. In South Carolina the tickets must be printed on white without device, and 2½ by 5 inches in dimensions. In Vermont no law prescribes only the form of the words in which the ballot shall be printed. In Rhode Island the ballots are furnished by the secretary of state in alternating envelopes of different tint. Of all the modes, this is the best thus far described for the prevention of ticket counterfeiting and such frauds as were attempted in Chicago last fall. And yet it is confined to this one little state.

The tabular statement shows that in eighteen states the ballots are "saved," but it does not show how long they are saved. In California, Maryland, Missouri, Nebraska, Oregon, Texas, and West Virginia the ballots are saved one year. In Connecticut, Nevada, and New Jersey they are saved six months. In Alabama they are kept sixty days. In Michigan and Illinois vote they are saved until the next election. In Vermont they are saved, the names are cut apart, and in this shape they are preserved as the canvassing sheets. In Maine, New York, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin they are destroyed; but in Wisconsin all ballots that may be defective are kept as evidence.

Officers of election are chosen in all sorts of ways, perhaps the most common being by county boards of supervisors, or commissioners. In this mode they are appointed in California, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, North Carolina and Wisconsin. But in some of these states, as in Illinois, the election officers in cities are appointed by the city councils. In Alabama they are appointed by the probate judge, sheriff, and clerk of the circuit court. In Arkansas they are appointed by the county judge; in Colorado, by county commissioners; in Connecticut, by the registrars; in Delaware, directly by the legislature; in Iowa, by the township trustees; in Kansas, by county officers; in Louisiana, by the supervisor of the parish; in Nebraska they are elected annually. And so on.

It is a curious circumstance that nearly all the London daily newspapers are printed on paper made in Sweden and Germany.

Burke: Obloquy is a necessary ingredient in the composition of all true glory.

It is said that all the grasshoppers of Emory City were dissipated.

RECOLLECTIONS OF JACKSON.

So Foolishness About "Old Hickory"—At Dinner—His Wife's Picture.

[Cor. Chicago News.]

I asked an old friend of Jackson to-day how the general used to conduct affairs at the White House when he was president. She said: "Jackson had no foolishness. He believed in working, and having everybody about him do the same thing. His breakfast hour was generally 7 and 8 o'clock. I have often seen him hurry from the table to go to the library to begin work. His table, at every meal, contained the finest of everything that could be found. Some of his dishes were simply superb. I don't believe a lady passed but that he had two or more friends to dine with him. He seldom had many at his table, but enjoyed extending his hospitality to a few. If a friend called with a friend at the dinner hour, the two were invariably urged to dine.

"I remember one afternoon while I was visiting at Gen. Jackson's" I had been out with a young naval officer. He left the White House just before dinner. When I went to the table the general wanted to know why I had not invited the young man to remain and dine. That is the way he treated all of his friends. His opponents shared differently: they were dropped of in very short order, and without argument pro or con. He was a positive man, and when he came to the White House dispo sed of office holders in quick succession and appointed those who had aided him. Delegations came to the White House to recommend or interpose. The latter he dispatched more rapidly than they came. Of course there were not the many delegations at that time who go to-day.

"I remember once seeing him take his cane and start to hit a caller who had displeased him. The caller was none other than the speaker of the house of representatives. He wanted something and insisted that it should be given to him. The more he talked the more angry Gen. Jackson became. Finally he lifted his cane and was going to hit the caller, but he hurriedly left the room.

"Gen. Jackson always dressed in black. He wore a locket continually containing his wife's picture about his neck. A large portrait of her hung opposite the foot of his bed. I have seen some few devoted husbands, but I have never seen one so devoted as was Gen. Jackson to his wife. She was a very hand-some woman. It was amusing to watch him of evenings. Generally at early candle light he would take his pet pipe and sit before an open fire-place. He would pick a coal, light his pipe, and, leaning back in his chair and crossing one leg above the other, would meditate for hours."

Fencing in New York.

[New York Letter.]

Realism is not wanting in the more theatric affairs of actual life. For example, it hurts to be hit by a bullet, and for that reason the duel has gone out of fashion in New York. We have had many exchanges of challenge and acceptance within the past ten years, and several meetings on sites selected for gory satisfaction; but no pops of pistols have ensued. The attempt is being made to introduce the comparatively harmless foil as a weapon with which to climax a quarrel, after the European fashion.

The New York Fencing club has a membership of what are known as society fellows, and it has for several months had a house, all to itself, wherein the use of the foils is taught by competent experts. This week the skill of a dozen of the pupils was deemed sufficient for exhibition, and a reception was given to a brilliant company of beaux and belles. Of course, there was bound to be disappointment for the art of fencing, with all its former attendant of the gladiators, the masks to protect their faces, and the buttons on the ends of the weapons, gives such manifest safety that it positively is thrill-ill-fattered the quietest breast among the spectators. But we may now look for club quarrels resulting in challenges to foil, and a performance of the principals with scratches on their faces or possibly a puncture or two of the skin.

Paris' Newspaper Vendors.

[St. James Gazette.]

The claim of the French administration to exercise an all-pervading control over the ways and doings of the thirty-odd millions of citizens who have the privilege to live under its paternal supervision survives every change of regime. One of the first acts of the new minister of the interior has been to issue a decree regulating the mode in which the newspaper vendors of Paris are to conduct their trade in future.

They have been in the habit, it seems, of lending the papers to economical customers who bargain for a daily glance through them at so much a month—a mere fraction of the purchase cost. The license of any vendor who is found to be a party to such a transaction in future will be at once revoked; and as the practice constitutes a serious fraud on the different journals, all unsold copies being returned to the office, the ministerial edict elicits for once the approval of the entire Parisian press. A license to sell papers in Paris is by no means easy to get. It must be signed both by the prefect of the Seine and the prefect of police, and the strictest inquiry is made into the antecedents of every applicant.

"Night Smarr" of Chills.

[Chicago Herald "Train Talk."]

"Yes, sah, I've had a right smart of chills an' fever up in our parts," observed an elderly passenger from Michigan; "every once in two or three years they take hold of a feller an' shake him up lively. Can't no fun, either. An' yet, like most things in this here world, it has its advantages. There's some good in every evil, you know. It's a heap of fun for the children."

"I can't see where they get any fun out of it."

"You can't! Well, you come up to our house next fall and see the kids laugh an' shout when gran'pap has the ager, an' you'll see where the fun comes in. He has loose teeth in his head, an' they jest go gets the shakes they think he's a rattle-box. It's a regular picnic for them."

Data Concerning Thunderstorms.

[Chicago Times.]

The New England Meteorological society proposes to find out this summer all it can about thunderstorms, and to that end invites observers in every town in New England to unite in marking the leading features of such storms as come within their ken, and report to headquarters. The simplest data are such as can be gathered by anyone—the time rain begins to fall, direction of the wind, duration of rain, etc.; while more delicate and difficult observations, such as the height of the storm clouds, character of lightning flashes, and velocity of wind, are to be undertaken by specialists.

A Day Off.

[Chicago Herald.]

"See here, husband. The poet says 'Woman is the Sunday of man.' What do you think of that?"

"Pretty good for a poet. He's only one day off. If he had said either Monday, Tuesday, or Saturday—pay day—he'd been nearer right."

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THIS AFTERNOON.

THE ABNER ASSASSINATED.

Killed by a Member of His Suite.

LONDON, June 6.—Dispatches received here from Bombay and Calcutta say that it is currently reported in both those cities that the Ameer of Afghanistan has been assassinated by some of the members of his suite while travelling in Persia.

These dispatches have caused a decided sensation here. The Government has telegraphed its officials in Afghanistan to repair at once to better there to any foundation for the rumor.

A Mother and Four Children Burned to Death.

BARRIE, Ont., June 6.—About midnight last night the wife of J. Wouch and four children were burned to death in bed in their house here. Mr. Wouch escaped by jumping out of a window, after a vain efforts to rescue his wife and children, his shirt being burned off in the attempt. Women in crazy with grief, and says when he awoke the whole room seemed to be on fire. He tried to pull his wife off the bed, but could not do so, the fire leaping out of the mattress all around her. He thinks the fire originated in a back shed, but says there were no signs of it when he retired at 10:30 p. m.

A Murderer Lynched.

HEARNE, Texas June 6.—The jail Thursday night was surrounded by a mob of white men and colored men and the negro Harry Lowden, who brutally assaulted an inoffensive colored man here last Wednesday, was taken out and hanged in the stockyard some distance from the jail.

Tarred and Feathered.

ROCK ISLAND, June 6.—Henry Marrs alleged to be guilty of a nameless crime, who was discharged by a Moline magistrate Thursday, was taken out of the Moline city limits by a mob of about 150 persons last after midnight this morning, and tarred and feathered.

A Statue Unveiled.

NEW YORK, June 6.—The heroic and picturesque bronze statue of "The Pilgrim" presented to the city by the New England Society was unveiled in the Central Park this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Arrested for Poisoning Hospital Patients.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 6.—Mollie Graham, cook at the Medical College hospital, where city indigent sick are kept, was arrested last night on complaint of the Superintendant of the hospital for poisoning the matron, a nurse and two patients.

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Mr. Goldwin's Unbounded Trust Upon Boston, Athens and Chicago—The Old Battle-Scarred Puritan.

"Is Cost or War, What?

NEW YORK, June 3.—The new United States government dispatch boat Dolphin is now regarded as a part of the beginning of our navy that is to be.

She has at last been pronounced satisfactory even by the board of experts appointed by the Secretary of the Navy to report her. The Dolphin is intended to carry despatches from one place to another during time of war. But she has been built so fast and strong enough to make voyages to sea, and can easily cross the ocean. The Dolphin is 240 feet long, 39 feet 6 inches beam, and 16 feet deep. She is heavily equipped for defense in case of an attack at sea. Just forward of the bridge she is armed with a six-inch breech-loading rifle of high power. She is also armed with four of the famous Hotchkiss revolving guns, the best cannon in the world. They are placed each in a half turret, two forward and two aft, on the vessel. Four torpedo tubes are to be illustrated.

For reasons best known to themselves, the newspapers have been making merry over the Dolphin. The new secretary of the navy was supposedly critical. Test after test was required, in which no account was taken of the friction incident to the working of new machinery or other things. Once the boat was obliged to lie by for several hours on account of a heated journal. The same thing had happened more or less often to every swift steamer that crosses the Atlantic. But the newspapers fairly split their sides laughing at Mr. John Roach and American shipbuilding.

It is as well perhaps to give even Satan his due. The Dolphin is built with good material and good workmanship. Moreover, she is built exactly according to the specifications called for by the government contract. She exceeds the requirements. The contract designated engine force of 2,200 horsepower. On her final trial she indicated 2,223. She was required to make a speed of fifteen knots an hour. On her trial trip May 29 she averaged fifteen and a half knots. Part of the time the rate reached sixteen. The truth must be told, however, that her engines had been kept practising tied up to the dock twenty-four hours before the trial came off. They churned the water in a lively manner, without cessing.

UNITED STATES DISPATCH BOAT DOLPHIN.

It is expected confidently, at least Mr. Roach expects that the Dolphin will go quite seventeen knots when she is fully lightened up. Moreover, there is not at present a vessel in the United States navy which can travel seventeen knots an hour. So much the worse for the navy, but it is a fact.

The newspapers that slur the slowness of the Dolphin quite overlook one point. To get speed in a steamship, there must be a high rate of power in her engines. The contract for the Dolphin's engines only called for 2,200 horse power. She had to be built according to the specifications. If the government had wanted a faster boat, it should have ordered more powerful engines.

This same point is to be observed in the construction of the new twin steel cruisers the Boston and the Atlanta, now receiving their machinery.

There is not at present in the United States navy a first-class cruiser. Several of the Intrepid, and that is not steamer either, not as yet. She is an old torpedo boat that is being refitted with a twin screw in the Brooklyn navy yard. There are four new naval vessels now nearly complete, the Dolphin, the Boston and Atlanta, and the Chicago. Of the four the Chicago is the largest. She will be a double-screw steel cruiser of 4,500 tons. Moreover, if we have luck, in a few years more we may have yet other steel cruisers to tackle up our poor, shabby navy. Last winter an act was passed requesting that plans be handed in for the construction of six other war vessels. Two of these are to be double-screw steamers of large size—over 7,000 tons. Anybody may submit plans and compete for the contract. Some government naval officers themselves are among those evolving models from the depths of their consciousness.

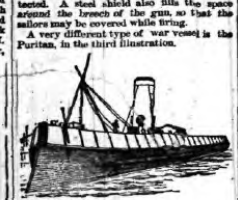
A striking story of this government's knowledge of military arms and weapons is told in connection with the Hotchkiss revolving gun. Hotchkiss, the inventor, was an American, a Connecticut man. He had labored over this cannon, spent his best years and means in inventing it. At last he thought he descried a perfect gun was realized. He secured his patent and laid the invention before the United States government, asking them to take hold of it. He, with the other inventors, had failed time over and over made. Take it, said he to his country. Pay me for my time and labor, and the invention is yours. It is perfect. It is ready. He labored with the experts, the chief cooks and bottle washers, and the grand gold sticks, weeks and months. He labored in vain. He could not get at the ears where the grand gold sticks had not chain mother "gumption" enough to know a grand mechanical invention when they saw it. They refused to take the splendid Hotchkiss gun. In disgust then the inventor shed over sea to France. French military officers knew a good thing when they had it. The almost discouraged man received from the French government every guarantee necessary to proceed with the manufacture of Hotchkiss guns. He obtained capital to erect a great factory in France. England bought his cannon, and France and all the other civilized nations across the water, and but few could turn them out. When the Russian cruiser Novisk was in port at New York the chief object of exhibition on board, the "pride of the show," so to speak, were those magnificent guns, which the Russian

BOSTON.

The Atlanta is at the foot of Ninth street, New York, having her engines put in. The Boston is at Roach's shipyard, Chester, Pa. Both will shortly be ready for service. In construction these two vessels are almost identical with the Esmeralda, *the crack war ship of the British navy.* Like her, they are single screw steel vessels, 270 feet in length between perpendiculars, and of 3,000 tons burden. But here the difference comes in. The Boston and Atlanta, by the government contract, have engines of 3,500 horse power, and to make a speed of fourteen knots an hour. The Esmeralda's engines are 5,000 horse power, *and she runs eighteen knots an hour.* When one "pitches into" things, it is as well to have some little knowledge along with one's magnificent genius for criticism.

The Boston and Atlanta have superstructure decks—that is, a deck above the main deck. On the main deck they have guns in barbette, with the carriage and slide protected. A steel shield also fills the space around the breech of the gun, so that the sailors may be covered while firing.

A very different type of war vessel is the Puritan, in the third illustration.



PURITAN.

She is an old, new tub. Years ago, in some remote antediluvian period of the American congress, she was ordered. Work was begun, then the experts said she would not float if she was launched. But she was put upon the water, and she did fl at. Then the experts said she would not float after her machinery was put in. *While they were* tussling over that the money gave out and congress got discouraged, and made no more appropriations for indefinite period. The old ark meantime lay at Mr. John Roach's shipyard, in great peace. Some time since congress appropriated some more money, and work on the Puritan has been resumed. She is built on an antiquated model, will possibly be of no use when she is done; still she is being finished by government orders. She is suspiciously similar in construction to the ship Commodore Stevens built to protect the state of New Jersey from invasion. This renowned vessel cost a million dollars, and, alas! was sold for old iron. The Puritan lies low in the water, like a monitor.

Finally, a curious question arises. There *are certainly at present not on the United* States coast more than two or three places where ships of modern battle type can be built. The only one known to have real facilities in that line is the establishment of John Roach, at Chester, Pa. Suppose, for the sake of argument, the nation should be thrown into war with a European nation, say England, for instance. It is not likely, but it is the case to that happens. Now, still for the sake of argument, where would our vessels come from for the defense of our coast! We could not purchase them abroad, and we could not build them at home in time.

The question is certainly worth considering. The United States government might put its navy yards in its trim for actual building if it would. There is no reason, for instance, why cruisers as large as our new ones needed should not be built at the Brooklyn navy yard. There is every facility here except a plant of machinery. That could be supplied and the yard completely equipped for working order for $50,000, it is said. The new cruisers that are ordered could be built by government itself at the Brooklyn navy yard. Yet here all is dead as a disused graveyard. Old hulks lie rotting upon the water. The officers appear to be largely engaged in playing lawn tennis with pretty girls. Upon the June grass all lies

"As idle as a painted ship
Upon a painted ocean."

—ELIZA ARCHARD.

A Dreadful Bother to be a Woman.

[Lillie Devereux Blake.]

It is a dreadful bother to be a woman and do the business up in good shape. In the first place, you have to get a man to do it for your nobody. A man may be ever so homely and still be popular. Whiskers cover up the most of his face, and if he has a big mouth nobody minds it, and if he does get wrinkled bad on his forehead his friends speak of his many cares and of his thoughtful disposition and tell you that those lines are not lines of thought. Lines of thought, indeed, when in all probability his forehead is wrinkled by the effort he has to get of scowling at his wife when the coffee isn't strong enough. But a woman must always be in good order. Her hair must always be combed and curled, as fashion demands, and she must powder if she has a shining skin; and she must always manage to look sweet, no matter how sour she may feel, her dress must hang just so, and her best buttons always in place, and her finger nails always clean; and then she mustn't whistle, nor club feuds, nor abuse cats, nor build when she's mad. Oh, I tell you a woman has a hard road to travel.

Mr. Parnell, since his marriage, separates himself more than ever socially from the members of his party, and does not come to the house save on special occasions. He did not vote on the censure.

Dr. Zintgraff, of Bonn, has taken a phase graph with him to Africa. He intends to bring home photographs of the savage girls, which he will hire the natives to open into the machine.

Oh, Tom, how could you cause me so?
You know we suddenly met and met
You knew, or surely ought to know,
I was wrong to kiss me on the sly;
And when I struggled to get away
From my curtains we were hid,
You kissed me thrice ere I could call—
You did, you rogue, you know you did.

And then, all through the waltz-quadrille,
You supported my hand and pressed my waist,
The more I blushed, the harder still,
Till really I felt quite disgraced.
And when I sternly looked at you,
As though such liberties to forbid,
You winked and all the bolder grew—
You did, you scamp, you know you did.

And then you held me, oh! so fast,
Till Mrs. Bismore came to see
What kept me off for an hour had passed
Upon the moonlit balcony.
You said: "My birdie I have caged,"
The while my burning face I hid;
"I'm pleased and proud, for we're engaged"—
You did, dear Tom, you know you did.

Chat in the Chair.

[Barbers' Gazette.]

"Stop, stop! That razor jerks like a mustard plaster." (Another weapon is tried.) "Ah, that's much better! Let's see, what was I thinking about?"

Tonsor (modestly): "I am unable to guess, sir."

Patron: "You can't imagine my thoughts, eh! Well, I was thinking that you were next to nothing, Sulp."

Tonsor (with a nervous pull): "Just as you say, sir! I'll stand by until the job is finished."

"Ha! Ha! That's not a bad attempt at repartee! When I suggested that you were next to nothing, I meant that you lacked partisan stamina."

"Why so, sir?"

"Why you seldom, if ever, vote a straight ticket."

"There's likewise a reason for that, and a good one, sir."

"*What is it?*"

"All the force of habit, sir. From boyhood I've been accustomed to scratching at the pole." (The patron relapses into a grim silence.)

An Attraction That Never Fails.

[Boston Courier.]

"You've come from the rink," said the maiden fair
To the youth who was on her waiting;
"Pray tell me what's the attraction there
To-night—is it fancy skating?"

He rubbed his spine, and his face betrayed
His heaven's agitation;
"The same old attraction is there," he said,
"The attraction of gravitation."

Her Name was Vanderbilt.

[New York Times.]

One summer day Mrs. Vanderbilt got on a New York Central railroad train at some station up in Westchester county. Along came the conductor just as the debonnaire little woman in black awoke to the fact that her purse was missing. She tried to explain, but the conductor was up to all the tricks of the railway traveling trade. He only smiled, looked astute, and suggested that that sort of a game wouldn't work on a wise man like him. "You can't ride on your ticket, or a pass, or pay your fare," he said, "or else I will have to put you off at the next station." The passenger began to say, "Oh, no, you won't; I'm going to New York." "No pay, no ride," quoth the sententious conductor. "If you were Mr. Vanderbilt himself you'd have to produce the price of the road or get off." "Well," was the retort, "perhaps Mr. Vanderbilt would get off, but, my dear sir, no female relative of Mr. Vanderbilt's family are not made of that kind of stuff; do you understand?" Her looks showed that she was in earnest. The conductor did understand. She finished her journey without further molestation.

Has Any One Seen a Band About Here?

[Lewiston (Me.) Gazette.]

The drummer of a Lewiston band is a man of about five feet in height, and wishing to appear to as great advantage as possible looks his drum up so that he can see over it and any one in front. *Now*, this band when parading through the town is in the habit of always going in one direction. The other day the band was playing, and it came to the route a little, and so turned down a by-street. The drummer being the last man did not see this movement, and so went the accustomed way, drumming as hard as he could. By and by, after finishing his part and not hearing the others, he stopped and moved his drum on, and looked to see where the others were. His astonishment on finding that he was alone was so great that he turned to the bystanders and said:

"Hallgh! has ony on ye ain a band about yere?"

Versatility in Virginia.

[Eli Perkins.]

Further on we came to a very large building, and I asked the driver what it was.

"Is that a tobacco factory, too?" I asked the driver.

"No, sah, dat's a meetin' house, sah; dats what Patrick Henry made his great speech, sah."

"What did Patrick say?" I asked.

"Why, he done say, 'Gib me liberty or gib me death.'"

"Well, which did they give him?"

"Dey gav him both, sah, both!"

Merchant Traveler: Artists should never neglect being vaccinated, as they are always sketching something.

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New York, June 5.—The new United States government dispatch boat Dolphin made her maiden trip as part of the beginning of our navy that is to be.

She has at last been pronounced satisfactory even by the board of experts appointed by Secretary of the Navy Whitney to report her. The Dolphin is intended to carry despatches from one place to another during time of war. She has been built large and strong enough to make voyages and to go fast enough to escape the ocean greyhounds. Being from ship, 240 feet long, she is thoroughly equipped for defense in case of an attack at sea. Just forward of the bridge she is armed with a six-inch breech-loading rifle of high power. That is the same kind of gun as the famous Fletcher nine revolving guns, the best cannon in the world. They are placed each in a half turret, one forward and two aft, on the quarter. The half turrets are seen in the illustration.

For reasons best known to themselves, the newspapers have been making merry over the Dolphin. The new secretary of the navy was supremely critical. Test after test was required, in which no account was taken of the friction backing up the working of machinery of other things. Once the boat was obliged to lie by for several hours on account of a heated journal. The same thing has happened more or less often to every swift steamer that crosses the Atlantic. But the newspapers fairly split their sides laughing at Mr. John Roach and American ship building.

It is as well perhaps to give even Satan his due. The Dolphin is built with good material and good workmanship. Moreover, she is built exactly according to the specifications called for by the government contract. She exceeds the requirements. The contract demanded a speed of 2,300 horse-power. On her final trial trip she indicated 2,522. She was required to make a speed of fifteen knots an hour. On her trial trip May 28 she averaged fifteen and a half knots. Part of the time the rate reached sixteen. The truth must be told, however, that her engines had been kept practising tied up to the dock twenty-four hours before the trial came off. They churned the water in a lively manner, without ceasing.

UNITED STATES DISPATCH BOAT DOLPHIN.

It is expected confidently, at least Mr. Roach expects that the Dolphin will go quite without knots when she is fully lightened up. Moreover, there is not at present a vessel in the United States navy which can travel seventeen knots an hour. So much the worse for the navy, but it is a fact.

The newspapers that slur the slowness of the Dolphin quite overlook one point. To get speed in a steamship, there must be a high rate of power in her engines. The contract for the Dolphin's engines only called for 2,300 horse power. She had to be built according to the specifications. If the government had wanted a faster boat, it should have ordered more powerful engines.

This same point is to be observed in the construction of the new twin screw cruisers, the Boston and the Atlanta, now receiving their machinery.

There is not at present in the United States navy a single vessel that is steamship except the Despatch, and that is not either, not as yet. She is an old torpedo boat that is being refitted with a twin screw in the Brooklyn navy yard. The new navy as now planned will be nearly complete, the Dolphin, the Boston and Atlanta, and the Chicago. Of the four the Chicago is the largest. She will be a double-screw steel cruiser of 4,500 tons. Moreover, if we have luck, in a few years more we may have yet other steel cruisers to tackle up on the shelf of the navy. Last winter an act was passed requesting that plans be handed in for the construction of [illegible] cruisers. Two of these are to be double-screw steamers of large size—over 7,000 tons. Anybody may submit plans and compete for the contract. Some government naval officers themselves are working these evolving models from the depths of their consciousness.

A strong story of this government's knowledge of military arms and weapons is told in connection with the Hotchkiss revolving gun. Hotchkiss, the inventor, was an American, a Connecticut man. He had laboured over this cannon, spent his best force and means in inventing it. At last he thought he dreamt of a perfect gun was made. He went and had the invention before the United States government, asking them to take hold of it, and to adopt it, even as they had the rifle ever made. Take it, said he to his country. Pay me for my time and labor, and the invention is yours, in all time to come. He laboured with the experts of the chief ordnance and bottle washers, and the grand gold sticks, weeks and months. He laboured in vain. The chief of the bottle washers and the grand gold sticks had not clean number "gumption" enough to know a grand mechanical invention when they saw it. They refused to take the splendid Hotchkiss gun. In disgust then the inventor sped over sea to France. French military officers knew a good thing when they saw it. The absurd, the outraged man received from the French government every guarantee necessary to proceed with the manufacture of the Hotchkiss gun. He obtained capital to erect a great factory in France. England bought his cannon, and France and all the other civilized nations across the water, as fast as could turn them out. When the Russian corvette Svetlana was in port at New York the chief officers of the vessel were the warmest admirers of the short, so to speak, were likewise magnificent cannon, which the Russian [illegible]

BOSTON.

The Atlanta is at the foot of Ninth street, New York, having her engines put in. The Boston is at Roach's shipyard, Chester, Pa. Both will shortly be ready for service. In construction these two vessels are almost identical with the Esmeralda, the crack war ship of the British navy. Like her, they are single screw steel vessels, 270 feet in length between perpendiculars, and of 3,000 tons burden. But here the difference comes in. The Boston and Atlanta, by the government's contract, have engines of 3,500 horse power, and to make a speed of fourteen knots an hour. The Esmeralda's engines are 5,000 horse power, and she runs eighteen knots an hour. When one "pitches into" things, it is as well to have some little knowledge also as with one's magnificent genius for criticism.

The Boston and Atlanta have superstructure decks—that is, a deck above the main deck. On the main deck they have guns in barbette, with the carriage and slide protected. A steel shield also fills the space around the breech of the gun, so that the sailors may be covered while firing.

A very different type of war vessel is the Puritan, in the third illustration.

PURITAN.

She is an old, new tub. Years ago, in some remote antediluvian period of the American congress, she was created. Work was begun, then the experts said she would not float if she was launched. But she was put upon the water, and she did it at. Then the experts said she would not float after her machinery was put in. While they were tussling over that the money gave out, and congress got discouraged, and made no more appropriations for an indefinite period. The old ark meantime lay at Mr. John Roach's shipyard, in great peace. Some time since congress appropriated some more money, and work on the Puritan has been resumed. She is built on an antiquated model, will possibly be of no use when she is done; still she is being finished by government orders. She is suspiciously similar in construction to the ship Commodore Stevens built to protect the state of New Jersey from invasion. This renowned vessel cost a million dollars, and, alas! was sold for old iron. The Puritan lies low in the water, like a monitor.

Finally, a curious question arises. There are certainly at present not on the United States coast more than two or three places where ships of moderately large size can be built. The only one known to have real facilities in that line is the establishment of John Roach, at Chester, Pa. Suppose, for the sake of argument, we should suddenly be thrown into war with a European nation, say England, for instance. It is not likely, but it is the supposition that happens. Now, still for the sake of argument, where would our vessels come from for the defense of our coast? We could not purchase them abroad, and we could not build them at home in time.

The question is certainly worth considering. The United States steamship navy is [illegible] as it is. Two of these are to be double-screw steamers of large size—over 7,000 tons. Anybody may submit plans and compete for the contract. Some government naval officers themselves are working these evolving models from the depths of their consciousness.

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The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stillman's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.	1884.
6 a. m. 64	6 a. m. 67
9 a. m. 74	9 a. m. 76
12 m. 78	12 m. 83
3 p. m. 82	p. m. 82

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885.	1884.
Sunrise.....4.29 a.m.	Sunrise.....4.29 a.m.
Sun Set.....7.2 8 p.m.	Sun Set.....7.28 p.m.
Moon Rises morn 3 a.m.	Moon Rises.... 4.03

Chronological Events.

Jerrold died 1857.—President Jackson died 1845.

Signal Office Prediction.

Local rains, south westerly winds, stationary, followed by a decided fall in temperature, with a cool wave coming, reaching this district during the night or Tuesday or by morning; failing, followed by rising barometer.

For Tuesday—Clearing, decidedly cooler weather. Cool wave coming, and a fall of temperature of from 15 to 20 degrees is indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States.

JOTTINGS.

—The Somerset County Freeholders meet to-morrow.

—The circus paid $40 license fee to exhibit in this city on Saturday.

—An adjourned meeting of the Common Council will be held this evening.

—The Elizabeth Journal says: "Union County was set off as a county in 1857."

—An old fashioned thunder shower awoke the residents in this vicinity this morning.

—The borough election takes place in North Plainfield to-morrow. The boroughites are hopeful.

—Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Lena Browning, of Metuchen, and Mr. J. Gilbert Hall, of Perth Amboy.

—The roads in this city and vicinity which have been lately turnpiked were thoroughly washed by last night's shower.

—The first festival of the season will open to-morrow evening, at Warren Mission Chapel, North Plainfield. The Dunham Good Will Choristers have the matter in charge.

—Miss A. E. Lincoln, the North avenue florist, furnished an elegant floral design today to be presented at a ladies' seminary commencement exercises in Jersey City.

—The children's final exercises, which were to have taken place this morning at the Young Ladies' Seminary, on West Seventh street, have been postponed until the the opening of the Fall term.

—The Dunham Choristers' strawberry festival at Warren Mission begins to-morrow evening, and is to include vocal music by the Choristers, and "good eats" and nine o'clock, and orchestra music under the direction of Prof. Guttman, from eight to eleven o'clock. The festival promises to be a grand success. The Mission is to be handsomely decorated for the occasion.

—People whose slumbers were disturbed by the loud and frequent peals of thunder during the night, the lightning causing which gave apprehensions of danger by its close proximity, found consolation in the fact that the much-needed accompanying drenching rain would revive withering vegetation, as it did, and, refreshed, was delightful this morning to behold.

—The new road law empowers overseers to use broken stone as well as gravel in the repair of the roads of their respective districts, and when they are unable to procure these articles the township committees may procure the same at a cost not to exceed ten per cent. of the whole amount of road tax assessed in that year. This is a move looking to the permanent repair of the highways.

—The usual large attendance was present at the four o'clock meeting yesterday afternoon in Reform Hall conducted by Seely Edsall, and the same spiritual interest and enthusiasm was manifest that has characterized these meetings, and made them so popular from the first. Rev. Dr. Carrol, of Minneota, Rev. Mr. Cleaver, Capt. Ostrom and other earnest workers made brief addresses. The Dunham Choristers rendered excellent music, and are a very attractive feature.

—The opponents of the borough system for North Plainfield issued a "proorbeck" Saturday, the object of which was evidently to deceive voters. Any party which resorts to fraud and deception deserves defeat, and whether intentionally or otherwise the opponents of the borough have by that act given the borough men the advantage which they could not gain by fair play. We are in favor of anything that will benefit North Plainfield, so charming by nature. Progressive men have made Plainfield the delightful place it is, and North Plainfield will be the same, if progressive men are encouraged. Muddy sidewalks, unlighted streets, and no protection against thieves or highwaymen would be a disgrace to a backwoods village, much more so to such a beautiful place as North Plainfield, in this age.

Warren Mission Service.

The usual Sunday evening meeting was held in the Mission Chapel last night. A large attendance and much interest was manifested. A service of song was led by the Dunham Choristers, the selections being such that the congregation joined heartily. The devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Cleaver, his subject being "Believing in Christ." Quite a number of persons made remarks after he had finished, and much earnestness was manifested throughout.

THE REFORM CLUB MEETING.

Interesting Lecture by the Rev. Dr. Carroll, of Minnesota.

The announcement of a $100 lecturer first drew a crowded house at Reform Hall last evening, notwithstanding the heat.

President French presided as usual, and the singing was led by a chorus.

The speaker of the evening the Rev. Dr. Carroll, was escorted through the influence of Capt. Ostrom, at whose house he was stopping for a few days while on his way to Philadelphia. The subject of the lecture was "The Young Man in Chains."

The lecturer began by paying an eloquent tribute to the worth of Capt. Ostrom in church work, and said that he would undoubtedly prove as valuable in the temperance cause. He then graphically depicted the class of young men who are found in chains—those with imperious intellects and destinies of unbounded splendor. The chains were then described with life-like vividness, and their power declared. To the question of how best to get rid of them, the speaker, in substance, said by all means possible. What is needed in the temperance work is more tact, in other words more common sense. Faith is also needed, not faith when others have none.

The lecture was one of the most finished productions yet listened to in Reform Hall, and the lecturer was several times interrupted by applause, and when he had finished he was greeted with many expressions of approval.

President Gibbs, of the Manhattan Temperance Union of New York, was announced as the next speaker.

The gentleman arose, and said that in view of the masterly presentation of the subject already made, and the lateness of the hour, he would forbear.

President French omitted the usual appeal for pledge signers, and offered the pledge with the only remark that any who had not signed who could withstand the eloquent remarks already made were incorrigible.

During the singing of the last hymn a few persons came forward and signed the pledge.

Services Yesterday.

The Rev. A. H. Tuttle, the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, preached yesterday morning from 2 Cor. 8: 7: "Therefore, as ye abound in everything," etc.

Rev. R. B. Steelman, of Troy, preached two excellent sermons in the Park Avenue Baptist Church, in the morning from the text Phil. 3:14, "I Press Toward the Mark." He said: These were the words of one who had been engaged in devoted service for over twenty-five years, and yet was urging himself onward to higher attainments. No Christian should be satisfied until he reached the goal, which was to be like Christ. This is the highest attainment. Great blessings are to be striven for. This is true in the natural world. Six thousand years must pass before the world found out that man could speak by use of telephone, and so with reference to the many secrets that have been unlocked in these latter years to the minds of men. They sought after them. And so in the spiritual realm, Paul sought the highest prize, counting all things loss to win the prize. In many instances men gain the great prize and religion accidental. There will be degrees of reward in heaven, and how we run the heavenly race will show what we shall be in heaven. The evening sermon was from Job's words, "Canst thou by searching find out God?" The discourse was a very earnest one, and was appreciated by the audience. Mr. Steelman is a forcible speaker.

The May Walk.

The annual May Walk of the Saenger Bund, which had been postponed from the Sunday before, took place yesterday. About thirty members of the society started from this city in the morning at half-past four o'clock for Vail's Spring on the mountain. On arriving there they saluted the rising sun by singing songs. Later in the day there were several tugs of war, a ball match and games of quoits. The Turners outpulled the Potters two to one, and they also outpulled the Singing Society. The party returned home about four o'clock in the afternoon.

Knights of Pythias Anniversary.

On Saturday Perseverance Lodge of the Knights of Pythias will celebrate their thirteenth anniversary by a picnic in Chimney Rock. A committee consisting of John Wakefield, Stephen Davis and John Carney visited the place recently and made satisfactory arrangements for the event. The affair will be private, only the knights, their wives and families attending. A literary and musical program will be rendered during the day, and a band will be in attendance to furnish music to those desiring to dance.

Death of Dunellen's Postmaster.

Charles S. Pope, postmaster at Dunellen, a brother of Silas H. Pope, postmaster of this city, and James Pope, an insurance agent, died last night at eight o'clock from congestion of the brain. He had been ill but a short time. Mr. Pope had been postmaster ever since the office was established, twenty years ago. He was forty-two years of age and leaves three children. His wife died about ten years ago. The funeral services will be held on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock from his late residence.

The Circus.

The circus parade on Saturday did not evoke much enthusiasm, even among the small boys. It was unimposed by procession and poor. The performance, however, were of better quality, and for a twenty-five cent show did passing well. The attendance was small in the afternoon, but was better in the evening. The tents were pitched on Plainfield avenue, near North Front street. The last place the circus exhibited at was Keyport, and from here they went to Norristown, Pa.

Ulula Club Entertainment.

The portals of the Seminary were open wide on Saturday evening, the Ulula Club, formed of about a score of young ladies in the school, having extended for the first time, a cordial invitation to friends to be present at a session of the Club.

The wide entrance hall, with its sweeping staircases on either side, was festooned with evergreens and large handsome flags, and led the way past parlors and reception rooms bright with flowers to an oriental land. For so at first glance appeared the great study hall in its metamorphosed condition.

Upon the walls in conspicuous numbers were Japanese panels, fans and umbrellas arranged in picturesque confusion, while from the ceiling hung umbrellas large and small, suspended from which were myriad lanterns of every shape and color, swinging gayly in the air.

The impromptu stage had been made ready with chairs, tables and piano, for the reception of the club, handsome scenes forming side entrances.

The wall back of the stage was covered with a cloth of gold and dark maroon plush banner hanging in the centre, upon which was painted an owl, the bird of wisdom, whose Greek name Ulula was scribed above him.

At the appointed hour, the hall was completely filled by an intellectual and appreciative audience, and a few moments later the young ladies in dainty and becoming costumes filed in, and arranged themselves upon the platform.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Miss Waring, and at the roll call one name only was missing. The salutatory was given by Miss Drake in a charming manner, her subject "The Hand," being treated in an easy and attractive style, eliciting a round of applause. Had it not been good, her graceful reference to the scribes would have softened the most critical and obdurate heart.

"The Smitten Wife" was next recited with much feeling by Miss Bronson, who brought vividly before her hearers the oppressions suffered, and the patriotism displayed by the stanch republican.

Beethovin's Sonata, No. 20, was rendered most acceptably by Miss Hattie Gardner, entirely without notes, the theme with its variations ringing out crisp and clear under her touch.

The selections read from "The Owlette," a club paper edited by Miss Clark and Miss Gardiner, were worthy of wider renown.

Plainfield social and literary eminence was pleasingly recognized, her institutions and societies noted, mention being made of a few of her prominent and inspired citizens.

A bright little poem "To a Dandelion," contributed by Miss Mabel Potter, was really charming, as was also another poem, "Cupid," by Miss Clark.

The regulation French Play, without which no entertainment would be quite complete, was placed midway in the program, and the young ladies woo took part, displayed considerable proficiency in the language, rendering their lines easily, without aid of a prompter.

A sweet air, with a delicious little trill, was given by Miss Clark on the violin, to be followed by a recitation, "The White Ship," by Miss Smith, which was a most praiseworthy and earnest effort.

Miss Waring delivered her philosophical treatise on "Incomprehensibles" in a winning and attractive manner, and a motion was then made to adjourn after singing the club song. The motion was seconded, and, when put to a vote, was unanimously carried, by all, save the audience, who would fain have had a voice in the matter.

Much credit was reflected upon the Seminary and its able corp, of teachers, in the entertainment of the evening, and, at the close of the exercises, the stage was laden with the rare exotics presented to the fair participants. The audience expended their way homeward, with the club refrain ringing in their ears.

"To whit, to whit, to whit, to whoo."

MARGERY CRANDING.

Personal.

S. A. Potter, of North Plainfield, made an address at the Union Mission Chapel at Evona yesterday.

Mrs. John E. Prosser and family, of East Front street, leave town to-morrow for Brooklyn, Mrs. Prosser going in search of health.

The family of Harley B. Nichols, of East Sixth street, corner Franklin avenue, expect to spend the Summer at Vermont. They start to-morrow.

James G. Ayers, of West Second street, one of the oldest citizens of Plainfield, is now in his eighty-fifth year, and has resided in this city upward of fifty years, having seen it increase from a few scattered houses and farms to the enterprising city it now is. He enjoys good health, and is hearty.

A postal from Evelyn Good to Thurs. the photographer, of this city, states that he has reached Sioux Rust, Fountain County, Ind., June 5, and found business everywhere dull, the wheat crop a failure, corn poor, and a general depression likely to continue for the next few years. He was to start within a week for the Pacific coast.

Temperance Meeting at Round Brook.

President French and Judge Harper of the Reform Club, addressed three hundred people at Round Brook yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the club of that place. The audience was composed of the best people of the place, and the addresses of Plainfield's representatives were attentively listened to.

North Plainfield Public School Commencement.

A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the North Plainfield Public School was held on Saturday. It was resolved [that the Common Council of North Plainfield be asked on Thursday evening, June 25, in the Warren Mission Chapel. The admission will be by ticket.

Closing Exercises of the Industrial School.

The closing exercises of the Industrial School at the Warren Mission Chapel were attended with success in every part of the program.

The school was opened as usual with devotional exercises conducted by the Superintendent, Mrs. Frank Gardner, and her assistant, Mrs. Samuel McCutchion. The singing was conducted by Miss Ginn, who has so faithfully given her services the past two years.

The seven children who rendered the motion songs, "Summer Days" and "Flower Song," were well received. Their movements were uniform and graceful.

Miss R. L. Cadmus, the efficient secretary, presented her report. It was the 12th annual report of the society, and was very gratifying. We will publish it in a day or two.

The special feature of the entertainment was the May pole exercise followed by the May Queen and her loyal subjects. The May pole was surrounded by eight little girls, each holding one of the red, white and blue streamers, suspended from the top of the pole. The skipping and marching around the pole, together with the braiding presented a very pretty picture.

The May Queen, Nellie Crawford, ascended her ornamental throne with dignity and responded cordially to the compliments of her numerous subjects.

Dr. Hurlbut in his usual pleasant manner addressed the children and awarded the prizes with appropriate advice to each occupant. The song, "The Village Blacksmith," was well rendered by the colored class, and the anvils could be faintly heard in the distance.

The friends of the school crowded the chapel, and agreed that they were well repaid for coming. The children were bountifully supplied with ice cream and cake.

Knox—Williams.

Col. Knox, of Texas Siftings, who is to appear at Music Hall, Thursday evening, June 11, will discuss the following subjects in his great lecture: His Religious Belief and Political Platform, Definitions of Wit and Humor. Specimens of Lurid British Wit. Chestnuts. Texas Civilization. The Texas Desperado. How a Tenderfoot Graduated. The Bad Man from Sullivan's Gulch. The Bucking Mustang. The Heroic Cowboy, etc. Mr. Williams' imitations will include the following: Dr. Talmage. "Chronological Convention." John McCullough. "The Gladiator." Joseph Jefferson's "Rip Van Winkle." Henry Irving's "Louis XI." Booth, Barrett, Gough and others.

Reserved seats are now on sale at Shaw's and Reynolds', and in order that all may have the opportunity of hearing "The Humorous View of It" the management have placed the price of reserved seats at 50 cents.

PLAINFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Roll of Honor for May.

High School.—Senior Class.

Augusta J. Ackerman, Estelle Daniel.
Maude A. Bowers, Edward G. Hawkins,
Wm. D. Thick-tun.

Junior Class.

Emma L. Adams, Joseph S. Fear,
M. Louise Kamer, Theo J. Gillies, jr.
Edith E. Leonard, Thomas N. Hora,
Frank T. Clawson, Frank E. Newman,
Herbert W. Peck.

Third Class.

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In attempting to extinguish a fire caused by the explosion of a lamp in his bath-house at the foot of Hudson street, Hoboken, Timothy Diamond was severely burned about the head and face.

Gustave Dingelstedt, while paddling a canoe in the North river, opposite Hoboken, Tuesday afternoon, was upset and carried down the river a short distance. He was rescued by a coal boat captain as he was for the third time.

State Assessors' Report.

New Jersey's income from the tax imposed on miscellaneous corporations, outside of railroad and canals, will this year amount to about $200,000, an increase over last year of about $5,000. According to the report filed by the State Board of Assessors recently, all corporations are taxed on their capital stock. Fire, marine or accident insurance companies are assessed for $4,341; life insurance companies incorporated in New Jersey, $32,810; oil and pipe line companies, $4,321; other companies, $91,373. Reports from gas, electric light, express, life insurance companies not incorporated in New Jersey, and parlor and palace car companies are not yet complete, but when made out will swell the aggregate to $300,000. This source of income renders unnecessary the imposition of a State tax.

State Notes.

Samuel Brant, who resides near Morristown, has set out on his farm 25,000 peach trees.

The Atlantic City Drainage Company have about completed laying their pipes in that city.

The New Jersey Yacht Club will hold its fourteenth annual regatta on Tuesday. Twenty-four boats are entered. The start will be made at 10:30 a. m.

Congress Hall, Atlantic City, has been sold at sheriff's sale for $22,000, the purchasers being Ephraim and Mathieu Coon, of 29 South Water street, Philadelphia.

President Conner, of the Delaware River Railroad, has added 1,000 cars, Glen Heights, near Woodbury, to Harvey Baylock, the Philadelphia banker for $25,000.

The Turkey Hill iron mines, in Hunterdon county, which have been idle for a year or more, have decided to take 19 and 20 per cent. less than until the company can sell the ore at a better price.

The big shad seine at Gloucester City has made its last haul for the season, bringing to shore a million fish. The fishermen, Fetters at Howell Cove, Engle Point, Woodbury dam and Manoa Creek have also ceased operations.

The first deed ever recorded in the Somerset County Clerk's office bears date July 25, 1784, and was given by Elizabeth Neal to Mark Lanbreath, for the remarkable consideration: "The performing to me of his promise of marriage."

The citizens of Moorestown have appointed Judge Lippincott, S. K. Robbins, Dr. L. Stokes, W. Hosten and William Calhoun a committee to investigate the advisability of establishing a national bank there, and to report to a public meeting to be held two weeks hence.

When William J. Thompson, president of the Gloucester City Council, entered the City Council Thursday night for the purpose of presiding over the stated meeting of that body, he was intercepted by Lawyer James E. Ryan with a restraining order from Vice Chancellor Van Fleet, in the injunction case why the City Council, as at present organized, should not be enjoined from further acting as such after next Monday. The rule is made returnable on Tuesday.

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—On account of indisposition, the Rev. C. L. Goodrich was unable to preach for the Rev. Dr. Lewis, in his absence on Saturday, and the pulpit was supplied by the Rev. Dr. Ketchum.

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It says: "The Legislature can confer certain things" for the Borough to assess and collect, in addition to the $1,500, a "tax not exceeding one per centum of the assessed value of the values of the taxable property, and this "in addition to regular township taxes." This is not true. Additional taxation for any purposes is under the Laws of 1880, Chapter LXXIV., Section 3, published in session laws of 1880, page 93, and Chapter 240, Laws of 1885, page 344, Section 3, Common Sense Jersey Times for May 23. It simply provides that when by reason of a tie vote no money is raised for "any purpose" or for "any" private contingency, an assessment for this purpose may be made "not exceeding one per centum of the assessed value of the taxable property." Provided that no township or other municipality shall be assessed or collected within the Borough."

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6 45	9 45	8 40	11 30
7 45	10 30	9 30	12 30 P. M.
9 30	12 45 P. M.	12 00 M.	3 15
11 30	3 15	3 30 P. M.	6 37
1 30 P. M.	4 45	4 00	7 00
3 30	6 45	5 00	8 15
4 30	7 45	6 00	9 15
5 30	8 45	7 00	10 15
6 30	9 45	8 00	11 15
10 30	1 45 A. M.	10 30	12 45 A. M.
11 30	2 45	11 30	1 45
12 00 M.	3 45	12 00 M.	2 45
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MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1885.

CHINESE RICE PAN CASTING.

As a notable example of the patient, plodding industry shown by the Chinese, may be instanced the manufacture of the very thin cast-iron rice pans which may be seen in any cook-house in Hong Kong. The principal seats of this industry are at the Towns of Sam-tschuk and Fatshan. The iron used is obtained by smelting magnetic oxide. The ore is broken up and smelted with charcoal in a small reverberating furnace, some eight feet high. The cupola is cone-shaped, having its apex at the bottom. The single tuyere pipe is of earthenware, the opening for the emission of the blast being inclined downward. The furnace itself is of earthenware, strengthened by hoops and longitudinal straps of iron. The whole is lined with clay several inches thick. The internal diameter at the bottom is about two feet, and at the top three feet and a half; the inside depth being about six feet. The blast is produced by a rude bellows, formed of a wooden box five feet long by three in horizontal and a foot and a half in vertical section. This box is divided longitudinally into two compartments, each eighteen inches square in vertical section. In each of these compartments a piston works, the valves being so arranged that one piston is effective in the up, and the other in the down or return stroke. As there is no air chamber, the blast is not perfectly continuous. The fuel used is charcoal; and the furnace, being first heated by starting a fire with this fuel alone, is then filled up with alternate layers of charcoal and ore in small fragments. The blast is urged, and, after a sufficient time has elapsed, the molten metal is drawn off from the tap hole at the bottom and cast into ingots. These, when intended for export, are afterward reheated in an open forge.

For making the very thin rice pans, which are cast without handles, pure iron of native manufacture alone is used. The moulds in which the pans are cast are produced by tedious and patient labor by firms not to be mentioned. They are composed of two parts, an upper and a lower, and are made of carefully puddled clay. The great secret of the process which enables the Chinese founders to cast their iron pans of such large diameter, yet so thin and light as to be scarcely thicker than a sheet of paper, appears to be the use of highly heated moulds and pure charcoal pig iron. When the ovens and their contents have cooled down, which takes about two days, the lower part of the mould is removed, and the moulds being separated, the pan can be extracted. When the operation is successful, the same mould can be used several times. The pans now have each attached to its bottom a lump of iron, which, from the extreme brittleness of the pans, requires the greatest care in its removal. These runners are carefully sawn off, and the edges smoothed down; the pan is then ready for the expert packer. Handles are attached to these pans by the purchasers in Canton.

The pans made at Fatshan differ from the preceding in being cast with handles attached near the rim to the inner surface of the pan, which necessitates the breaking of the mould at each casting. They are usually cast much thicker and heavier than those of Sam-tschuk, and occasionally one-third of foreign pig iron is mixed with the native iron for casting. In other respects the process followed at both places is the same.—Journal Iron and Steel Institute.

IN AND OUT OF WALL ST.

THERE IS NOT MUCH CHANCE OF A REVIVAL OF BUSINESS.

Mr. Vanderbilt will Not Lend His Strength to Keep Up Prices—A Move to Help the West Shore and Buffalo.

NEW YORK, June 8.—There is not much exaggeration in saying that had the closing of the stock market not interfered with this summer the stock exchange might just as well have closed its doors. Most of the members are not spending much time or sporting proclivities, and they would certainly prefer speading their time on the tracks of Jerome park, Sheepshead bay or Long Branch, to idling it away on the floor of the stock exchange. There are some 1,100 members in the stock board, and the total of yesterday's transactions did not reach 70,000 shares, thus giving about sixty-five shares to every broker. Keeping in view that a considerable part of these were the operations of jobbers and specialists, each of matched or washing orders, the question naturally arises how are the brokers to make their expenses and how long can this state of affairs last? Viewing the general business outlook is such that unless something utterly unexpected occurs, there is not the slightest chance for a revival either in stock speculation or in stock investment. And, as this something utterly unexpected cannot be in favor of higher prices for stocks, no permanent basis for a revival can be established only on the basis of further liquidation and further lowering of prices. It thus becomes a question whether it would not be the wisest policy for one of the manipulators to put a stop to their supporting efforts, and to allow prices to go down as much as they would of their natural weight. A permanent basis for values is established, from which a healthy advance could be started, and a legitimate investment and speculative demand created. Whether the private survival might have done something toward sustaining the hope that he could be induced to put his shoulder to the wheel in the interest of prices, or, at all events, throw the weight of his influence in the adjustment of the trunk line rate-cutting difficulty. But if such hopes existed they are doomed to be idle, even if given up right away, for Mr. Vanderbilt seems to have some time ago expressed his opinion to the effect that Mr. Gould's name had to sell at 75 and Lake Shore at 45 before he would step in to buy any large amount of these stocks for the purpose of avenging his personal wrongs. Mr. Vanderbilt knows perfectly well that the public is not in the stock market to know "pinning" in Wall street is a very expensive and dangerous game; in fact, even taking for granted that he will begin to buy these stocks at the figures mentioned, he will probably proceed, as he did in the case of his purchases on a scale down. There would, therefore, be nothing surprising if we should see as low figures as 60 for Central and 30 for Lake Shore. New York Central for the past six next dividend, as it is very likely to do, there is no reason whatever why it should sell at anything like the present figures when stocks pay 6 and 8 per cent. dividends sell some 20 points lower. Among such stocks are Pacific Mail, St. Paul and Western Union. True that there is no certainty whatever of these stocks continuing to pay these dividends, but on the other hand there is almost sure to be a continuation of the present rates, especially the foreign one, acts upon what he sees in the market reports, being utterly unto anything of the kind. Combinations and combinations among the, to him, foreign corporations over which, as his experience teaches him, he can, under no circumstances, acquire stock control, are to him a sealed book.

It is reported that Sir Henry Tyler, president of the Grand Trunk of Canada, has taken the executive committee of the trunk lines to call a meeting, for the purpose of ascertaining whether there is any chance of restoring rates. Sir Henry comes in somewhat the same capacity as Albert Fink, Commissioner Fink is going to Europe, to be absent for about three months, he simply tries to find out whether, had he it is, the arm he might could set the machinery of in advance in rates, he probably does not even dream, for he knows very well the almost insurmountable difficulties existing in the relations of the New York Central and the Pennsylvania, the Baltimore & Ohio and the West Shore & Buffalo.

In regard to the latter corporation, it seems that serious steps are being taken to place the road upon some sort of business-like basis. A committee of the bondholders is to take place this afternoon, and the general interests, including that of the Astors, are going to be represented. The executive committee is composed of highly reputable business men, who will certainly do all in their power to help the property out of its present difficulties. But it must not be argued on the score of this that the meeting can have any possible effect upon the condition of the trunk line traffic. All the bondholders are anxious to see is to find out whether there is anybody who has the priority over them in regard to the ownership of the property. As they want to foreclose the mortgage in favor of them, if they succeed in their object, a great step will have been made, for it will then be legally established to whom the real belongs and with whom they negotiations for a lease can be conducted. At present nobody knows anything about it, and consequently nobody is disposed to enter into any negotiations, as all of them are likely to result in interminable law suits.

The grain market was crazy last week, and is likely to remain crazy for some time to come. The game is a desperate one, and the dealers are all experts in handling "cold decks."

The Paris financial writers, as well as the editor of The Journal de St. Petersbourg, although quite confident that there will be no general war, think that the Soudan, and that the delineation of the boundary will be accomplished without any serious difficulty, do not take a very rosy view of financial affairs. They think that, while government bonds and stocks will advance, all the securities on which loans are negotiated may vary from time to time, are bound to go down. In France there seems to be a general feeling of disappointment at the extensive reduction of dividends. The banks have by no means recovered from the panic of 1881. Their vaults are filled with shaky securities of enterprises which were started during the boom, and which now cannot be sold at any price.

The Ohio Governorship.

CLEVELAND, June 8.—Although no invitations have been issued for the call of the Republican state convention comes in this county, it is believed that the delegation is solid for W. G. Rose. It is thought that the Cuyahoga delegates stand together for Rose, he can be nominated on the third ballot, and his success will probably not be questioned until that vote is reached. M. A. Hanna's name is hard to beat for Governor, but was beaten. Joseph Turney, another Cuyahoga aspirant, also shared the same fate.

DANA ON LINCOLN.

The Editor of The New York Sun Gives Some of His Reminiscences.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Charles A. Dana, editor of The Sun, contributes to The Tribune some reminiscences of Abraham Lincoln, of which the following is one: "One side of this extraordinary character was illustrated on the evening of election day in the political excitement through which had been most intense, and the interest taken in it both in the White House and in the war department had been almost painful. All the members of the cabinet, and the war department, then something enormous from the vast expenditures and extensive relations of that department, had been supposed to secure the re-election of Mr. Lincoln; and after the ardors toil of the canvass there was necessarily a great suspense as the returns from all parts of the voting should be ascertained. I went over to the war department about 8:30 in the evening and found the president and Mr. Stanton together in the secretary's office. Gen. Eckert, who then had charge of the telegraph department of the war office, was coming and going with reports from the doubtful election returns. Mr. Stanton would read them and the president would look at them and comment upon them, generally making a pull for the returns, and Mr. Lincoln called me up to a place by his side. "Dana," said he, "have you ever read any of the writings of Petroleum V. Nasby?" I said I had. "He usually looked at some of them, and they seemed to me funny." "Well," said he, "let me read you a specimen," he pulling out a little yellow-covered pamphlet from his breast pocket, he began to read aloud. Mr. Stanton viewed this proceeding with impatience, as I could see, but Mr. Lincoln paid no attention to that. He would read a page or a story, pause to con a new election telegram, and then open the book again and go ahead with a new passage. Finally Mr. Chase came in and presently Mr. Whitelaw Reid, and the reading was interrupted. Mr. Stanton went to the door and beckoned me into the next room. I shall never forget the fire of his indignation at what seemed to him disgusting nauseous. The idea that when the safety of the nation was at stake, when the control of an empire was to be determined by a few figures brought in by the telegraph, the chief, the most concerned, should occupy himself merely for himself but for his country, could turn aside to read such balderdash and to laugh at such frivolous jests was to his mind utterly incongruous and disgustable. He could not understand, apparently, that it was by the relief which such humor afforded to the strain of mind under which Lincoln had so long been living, and to the natural gloom of a melancholy and despondent temperament—this was Mr. Lincoln's peculiar and characteristic—that the balance and sanity of his intelligence was maintained and preserved.

PECULIAR DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Murder and Suicide With No Apparent Motive.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., June 8.—Just before noon, as Philip D. Slocumb was sitting at his desk in the counting room of his outfitting store, in Bath street, making an entry in his ledger, Charles Foss came from a back room, leaned a moment against the railing dividing the counting room from the store, and, drawing a revolver, fired. The ball entered Slocumb's head at the base of the skull. Slocumb fell from the stool to the floor and Foss stepped forward, placed the muzzle of the pistol to his right temple, pulled the trigger and fell dead. Foss died instantly, but Slocumb lived a few minutes afterward.

Slocumb was about 45 years old, married, and leaves a widow and two children. Foss was 40 years old and belonged in New Hampshire, and had sailed from this port on a number of voyages. Slocumb was mate of the bark Cooper and commanded on the bark Wave. Foss was dissipated, and has been under the influence of liquor most of the time he has been here. He asked Slocumb when he came in to see him to Hudson's bay, as he wanted to die if he could not be cured of the curse of drinking. Slocumb refused his request, believing that if he was not going to ship him soon, but did not seem illnatured. It is not known that they ever had any trouble.

Municipal Reform in Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 8.—The surprise created over the action of the municipal gambling body in a measure subsided, it is now certain that Mayor Harrison, even though his tenure of office may be short, has decided to enforce the law to the letter. It is even said he intends to enforce the Sunday laws and close up all the barrooms on Sunday. This has created considerable excitement among the liquor-dealers, who think that as they have to pay $500 a year license they should now more than ever be permitted to keep open on Sunday. Several of the councilmen may have given the impression that they believed that the Sunday laws should be strictly enforced.

Chicago Court-House Crumbling.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Rough railings have been placed around the main entrance to the court-house to prevent people from passing in and out. The fenders are built around the space in which the large stone fell from the upper portion of the building a week or night's ago. It was the intention of the court-house committee of the county board to have the stone put in and the crumbling building in repair, but since the delivery of the polls of the million dollar appropriation the commissioners declare, as they have no money left with which to do the work, persons entering the court-house do so at their own risk. The crevices and the joints of the stone work about the eaves of the building are widening from day to day, and at last something if done to brace up these sections speedily they will tumble down before many months.

Mr. Childs Entertains the Printers.

PHILADELPHIA, June 8.—A large delegation of the International Typographical union arrived here at noon, and were met at the railway station by a reception committee. The party numbers 141, including delegates and their wives and friends. After lunch the visitors were driven to the Wanamaker & Brown store and thence to Belmont mansion in Fairmount park.

RUSSIA'S LAND TROUBLE

THE PEASANTS OF THE BALTIC PROVINCES IMITATING THE IRISH.

The Report of the Assassination of the Ameer Denied—Cholera in Madrid. Senator Edmunds in London—Fire in Constantinople.

LONDON, June 8.—The Russian government finds itself confronted by a new trouble on its northern borders. The peasant tenantry of the Baltic provinces have long complained of the exactions of the Lands of the landlords and agents, and have lately taken the law into their own hands and resorted to many acts of riot, often including murder. The grievance alleged are not unlike those which have long agitated Ireland. The peasants complain of the augmentation of the landlords, who never visit their estates but spend the income derived from them in luxurious living at St. Petersburg and other cities. Not being on the ground to do work the fines suffered by the tenants by failing crops, etc., but insist on the full amount of the rent being turned in by the agents whether the farms are productive or not. The agents therefore have to tax the successful farmers disproportionately to make up for losses elsewhere, and every improvement made by the industry by progressive tenants is promptly seized upon as a pretext for an increase of rent. If the rent is not forthcoming evictions promptly follow, and the evicted are then blacklisted among all the agents, is unable to get another holding and is often left to starve.

The authority of the village assembly, which was formerly relied on by the peasants to guard their rights, is now set at naught and the mandates of the assembly overrule its decisions at will. Under these circumstances, the Russian peasants of the Baltic provinces have taken to the same forms of violence practiced in Ireland by their Irish prototypes, and persecute the landlords and agents with becoming common. Last Friday Capt. Zerlasing, a retired army officer, was murdered on his estate of Ostrau. A band of Ostrau Serfs, headed by a notorious desperado, named Jan Fisk, a scout, in the knee, and J. Fisk, a scout, in the forearm.

Strangely column arrived at Little Red Deer river Wednesday. The Sixty-fifth and Ninety-second are about leaving for Onion Lake.

In a deposition made by Mr. Cameron, one of the rescued prisoners, he gives the names of the Frog Lake murderers. He says the wood Crees saved the prisoners' lives, the Indians wanted to kill them. He distinctly states that Mrs. Delaney and Mrs. Gowanlock have been well treated.

Three Wheelmen Hurt.

NEW HAVEN, June 8.—The second annual tournament of the Yale Bicycle club, held in this city, was only fairly successful. A high wind was at that time intycesible. In the twenty-mile race for the Pope cup a serious accident occurred. When four miles had been made H. B. Kavanaugh, of Cohoes, N. Y., while attempting to overtake a sponge from the trainer, took a header near the grand stand. L. R. Hamilton, of Yale, fell on him, and E. Thomas, of Hartford, who last year won the Pope cup prize, landed upon the others. Hunter quickly regained his feet and started on in pursuit of Ilsley, Rich and Hall. Wheeler Hall went to the front on the head and was severely bruised, but managed to hobble off the track. Hamilton was severely injured and was carried off. He sprained an ankle, cut one head badly and received several severe contusions.

Disbandment of the Western League.

CLEVELAND, June 8.—The Western Baseball league has recently been disbanded. The Cleveland baseball club has disbanded, and and will drop out of the league. The Toledo club must soon follow its example, and the association cannot hold together long. The Cleveland players have not been transferred to any other club, but are looking for situations. The cause of the failure is simply. Lack of confidence in the management, and failure to support on the part of the public, are given as reasons for the disbandment of the nine. The management of the club has already $2,500 losers. The nine was playing to audiences of 300 and 500 at 25 cents admission. Toledo is under the same shadow of disaster, and will soon follow suit. The loss of these two clubs will prove fatal to the Western league.

Baseball Record.

Following is the record of the American association clubs to date:

WESTERN CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	EASTERN CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	19	7	New York	23	5
Detroit	17	21	Providence	20	7
Buffalo	17	17	Boston	15	15
St. Louis	9	17	Philadelphia	7	20
Totals	39	60	Totals	65	38

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WESTERN CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	EASTERN CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.
St. Louis	25	8	Baltimore	14	19
Pittsburg	21	10	Philadelphia	16	20
Cincinnati	20	16	Athletic	14	21
Louisville	15	17	Metropolitan	11	21
Totals	84	51	Totals	56	82

Another Cashier Short.

LOUISVILLE, June 8.—Mr. George K. Speed, cashier in the banking firm of A. D. Hunt & Co., is short in his account from $15,000 to $20,000. He left the city on Tuesday and went to Detroit. He returned with his wife and family on Thursday. Speed is a brother of John Gilmer Speed, formerly managing editor of The New York World, and is a well known society man and poet. Keen trouble has caused a great sensation in society circles, his family being one of the best in the south. His friends say that he has lost considerable money at speculation, money which he has been overdrawing for several years in high living. Mr. Speed's friends are busily have settled the matter to the satisfaction of the bank officials.

Diplomatic Missions Yet to be Filled.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The following diplomatic missions have yet to be filled by the president:—

Ministers to Italy, Spain, Belgium, Central America, United States of Columbia, Argentine Republic, Coreg, Siam Uruguay and Paraguay; agent to the states of the Congo confederation; consuls general to Orage Free states and Liberia; consuls-general to Paris, Havana, Shanghai, Calcutta and Rio Janeiro, and consulships at consulships at Panama, Rome, St. Petersburg, Ecuador and Constantinople. For the 250 consulates 8,011 applications have been filed with the secretary of state.

Arrested for Defrauding a State.

PITTSBURG, June 8.—A dispatch from Connellsville says: Sheriff-at-Arms Parkson and County Detective Hooper, of Dauphin county, arrested Dr. Smith Buttenmore, N. B. Harding and Jesse Smith on a charge of fraudulently obtaining $12,500 from the state treasury. It is alleged that the accused, who were trustees of the Connellsville hospital, in order to get the state appropriation, made affidavits to the effect they had secured by subscription a like amount. They were released on $10,000 bail each.

Fatal Runaway Failure.

PITTSBURG, June 8.—Accident occurred at Banksville, near this city, Thursday, resulting in shot James Bibbey.

THE HALE FAILURE.

HIS PROPERTY ATTACHED TO THE AMOUNT OF $1,000,000.

Many Disastrous Schemes for Money-Making Finally Ruin Him—A Sheep Ranch in California and a Railroad in San Domingo.

BOSTON, June 8.—Some astonishing stories are in circulation regarding the failure of Governor Hale, of New Hampshire, and it certain of his creditors act according to their present intentions, there will be some interesting developments within a few days. Among the creditors is the Hon. John W. Johnson, proprietor of the Quincy house of this city. This man detains a New Hampshire citizenship and is prominent in the politics of that state. For a year or more past Mr. Johnson has done Governor Hill some very substantial favors, including loaning him large sums of money on several occasions, and in various ways helping him to keep his head above water. When Senator Hale's term expired in March Mr. Johnson was a candidate for the gubernatorial appointment to fill the vacancy. While it is not charged that there was any bargain, it is pretty well known that during the contest for appointment, which would have given him great prestige in the legislature. To the surprise of Mr. Johnson and his friends, Governor Hale at the last moment appointed Mr. Blair. The dictum of Wm. E. Chandler expressed in the most peremptory way, is said to have changed the governor's mind. At all events, Mr. Johnson and his friends were angry, and, to use his own words, he "washed his hands of Hale," and has not found him a friend since.

Mr. Johnson has attached the governor's property in this city to the amount of $100,000, but he claims to be a creditor to the amount of $150,000. Johnson says that in 1882, before he (Hale) ran for governor, Hale told him he was worth $400,000, and asked whether he had better be a candidate. Johnson says he told Hale he could afford to pay $50,000 for the office, and he supposes that Hale did so.

A representative of the institution that holds paper bearing Hale's name said that in January last Hale made a written statement of his affairs to this corporation, his assets amounting to over $200,000, and his liabilities at $75,000. Unsecured creditors seem to have little chance to realize anything from the wreck. The business in Newmarket is the only manufacture of a failure the creditors play a game of grab to get security for their claims. One or two creditors in this city offer to sell their claims at ten cents on the dollar.

Among other disastrous enterprises in which Governor Hale has been interested was a project to establish a great sheep and cattle ranch on an island near San Francisco. Another scheme in which Hale, Parks and an ex-clergyman were very much interested, was a salt mountain in San Domingo. The latter was to be railroaded to the mountain, which was said to contain immense quantities of salt, and to a veritable mine of wealth. Many attempts to enlist the interest of various Boston capitalists were made, and it is said that there are to-day a good many in Boston and vicinity who regret having ventured in the scheme. The enterprise never realized the hopes of its organizers. Governor Hale was also interested in mines in Idaho and Montana, which he, his friends, whom he always makes welcome at the Quincy house when in town, say that he can play a better game of poker and tell a story more entertaining than any man they know. Among his neighbors in Keene he is honored for his generous benefactions. He is a prominent member of the Congregational church, and got up $12,000 toward the erection of the building in which the Keene society worships. His early business ventures were very fortunate. In 1850, in Keene, he went into the manufacture of chairs in a small way. The business prospered, and when he was chosen governor there was a mammoth shop employing 300 persons, and some 500 women and children outside. For years Mr. Hale was largely interested in the manufacture and sale of shoe pegs, and when the trade in that commodity fell to the enormous quantity of 1,000 bushels a day.

More Honors for Mr. Lowell.

LONDON, June 8.—Mr. Lowell was waited upon by a deputation of the Workmen's Peace association, who presented him an address declaring their admiration of the manner in which he had fulfilled his diplomatic functions and expressing the appreciation of Mr. Lowell's efforts in the interests and kindly support of the great principle of "peace and good will toward men."

Mr. Lowell said that the workmen of England had won for whom he had always felt great admiration. War between England and America would be nothing less than a civil war. Such, however, was impossible, as the relations between the two countries were of a most friendly character.

An Epidemic of Glanders in Montreal.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The consul general at Montreal has reported to the department of state that the disease known as glanders is prevailing to an alarming extent among the horses of that city. It is important that this fact should be widely known, as large numbers of horses are shipped to the United States from Canada every week.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Archbishop Bourgit, of Montreal, is dying, and Bishop Fayre was summoned to administer the last rites of the church to the venerable ecclesiast.

Charles O. Bevon, aged 30, of Lynn, Mass., threatened to kill his wife on Saturday evening. He went to a gun store, purchased a revolver, returned home, and shot himself. He will probably die.

A boy named Gay, 12 years of age, living in Birmingham, Conn., fell into the Naugatuck river at that place and was drowned. Although a number of boys were standing on the bank of the river and witnessed the accident, no efforts was made to rescue him.

The Kickerbrocker ranch, near San Angelo, Tex., owned by Dr. Groesbeck Brady & Reynolds, was levied upon on Saturday by U. K. Morgan, of New York, to satisfy a claim of $65,000. The mortgage under which the property was taken embraced 20,000 acres of land and 28,000 sheep.

Secretary Sanborn, of the Missouri state board of agriculture, estimates the yield of winter wheat in that state at 6,000,000 bushels, the condition being 80 per cent. spring wheat acreage, and condition is placed at 91 per cent. The harvest, according to this estimate, will be the largest ever raised in that state.

A HERO'S DEATH.

He is Drowned in the Delaware While Trying to Save His Friend.

TRENTON, June 8.—Hundreds of persons were enjoying their promenade along the river front this afternoon in the direction of Riverview cemetery, Trenton. The river was dotted with small craft, but there was a lack of excitement, and no sport was launching. Suddenly the boats of the pleasure, or eighteen-foot yawl, was seen to snap. Sailing timber struck Fred Weiss, a 16-year-old boy, on the head, and he was thrown headlong into the water.

Nicholas Cook, 19 years of age, plunged after him, and succeeded in getting safely ashore at his brave act. A moment later Weiss was observed throwing his arms around his would-be rescuer's neck. Cook struggled violently to disengage himself, but Weiss held on with the tenacity of a drowning person. Then everyone could see that Cook had become exhausted, and was going under. Those aboard the Rover tried to approach, but before they succeeded both Cook and Weiss had gone down.

Cook's body, with the life preserver, a heartrending cry escaped from him. Several ladies on the bluff fainted at the thrilling spectacle of the drowning boys. When the bodies came to the surface a few minutes later, they were found entwined about each other's necks. Weiss was an only child. His parents live on the bluff, but within three doors of each other, and then the sad and scene when the two bodies were brought home by the undertaker.

Now You Know What Keeps Motor In.

PHILADELPHIA, June 8.—Keely gave another exhibition of his motor to stockholders to-day. A reporter, who asked what drove the motor, he said:

"It is an elaboration of interatomic ether by vibration. The atomic ether vibrates all through the molecules of matter. There is a negative force attached to it at the same time, and it assimilates with the molecular force. Every molecule establishes with a certain attractive force that it is not what it is. I call it a vibratory negative. It don't act like a magnet drawing metals because it is not. There is a magnetic effect about it that causes it to adhere by vibratory rotation to different forces of matter. That is the molecular, atomic, etheric, etc. The motor is driven by the force of pulses, the rotary power that is formed by etheric vibration—that is, the force that holds it in position.

Presidential Appointments.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The Post states that the following appointments will be made to-day:

Robert Taylor to be pension agent at Knoxville, Tenn., vice N. R. Gibson, suspended.

P. K. Wiser to be receiver at the land office, Tracy, Minn.

G. W. Warner to be register at Tracy, Minn.

O. C. Halls to be receiver at Laorese, Wis.

Joseph Hall to be receiver at Beatrice, Neb., vice W. H. Summers.

Abraham Hall to be receiver at Miles City, Mont.

John E. Budd to be receiver at Stockton, Cala.

W. H. Edgar to be receiver at Ironton.

Hugh Wallace to be receiver at Salt Lake, Utah.

Two Chinamen Murdered.

NEW YORK, June 8.—At 6:30 two chinamen named Ah Mow and Yum Hok, while standing at the corner of Chatham square and Mott street, were assaulted by three Chinamen, who claims to be a township fireman. Ah Mow was shot through the head and instantly killed. Yum Hok was shot in the left breast, and his wounds are fatal. He was removed to the New York hospital. The assault was made without provocation. Quim was drunk at the time, and refused to tell the reason of the affair. It is friends was learned that another Chinaman named Ah You had been shot by Quinn in the right shoulder. Four sailors from the United States steamer Kearsarge were with Quinn at the time of the affray. One of them, James Fitzpatrick, has since been arrested.

Fatal Affray with Whisky Smugglers.

GALVESTON, Tex., June 8.—A dispatch to The News, from Colbert, Indian Territory, says: An Hour ago a party of Texas cowboys, of this place, officers overtook a band of negroes, under a notorious desperado, one Dick Glass, who had two wagonloads of whisky which he was smuggling into the Seminole nation. Capt. Sam Sixkiller, with five policemen, had pursued the band from Denison, where the whisky had been purchased. On the south side of Red river, Sixkiller demanded their surrender. Glass responded by firing on the officers, who in response opened fire and completely killing him and a negro driver, one Jim Johnson. Two other drivers were severely wounded, and were captured with the whisky. Two of Glass' men who escaped were brought to Colbert, where Glass was fully identified.

Civil Service Canards.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Commissioner Eaton says there is no foundation for the rumors that there had been collisions between the civil service commission and the heads of departments, or an unfriendly spirit manifested by the latter toward the former especially on the part of the secretary of the interior toward the commission. The head of a department has shown any disposition to evade the law the commission will promptly call the matter to the attention of the president. In connection with a self-confessed man in Judge Collins's court room. The words were addressed to Minnie Clark-Mrs. Force before the grand jury stood. She poured out a torrent of abuse on the judge. There was a great commotion in the court room, and the woman's actions became so violent that the officers were sent for and she was taken into custody. The woman was Miss Marion Leonard. Judge Collins recently decided a suit against her, and the decision was rendered in her absence. It repeatedly made threats against the attaches of the court and the judge himself. It is thought that the woman has become insane.

Daring Robbery by Boys.

FORT DE LAC, Ind., June 8.—William Fargo, aged 17 years, Henry Smith, 16, and Martin McCune, 19, perpetrated a daring robbery on Thursday night in a caboose of a freight train on the Chicago & Atlantic railroad for the north. A Trinker, the sole passenger, was alone in the caboose, and just as the train started the boys got aboard. All three then advised Trinker, and by force drove him down, took $9.58, his silver watch and chain, his hat and gripsack, and even the boots off his feet. Trinker finally was able to get away, only carrying away half of this. The highwaymen then left the train. Fargo and Smith have been arrested, and most of the booty found in their possession. McCune is yet at large.

A Fatal Duel.

PARIS, June 8.—A duel was fought this morning between Count Dillon and Baron Reinach. Both gentlemen are members of the chamber of deputies. The duel was fought with pistols, and at the first exchange of shots Count Dillon was killed.

GEORGE REX GRAHAM.

THE ROMANCE OF A ONCE FAMOUS PUBLISHER.

Rise and Fall of a Patron of Genius—Prices Paid Longfellow, Poe, Bryant and Cooper—Bitter Helpless and Penniless.

[New York Herald.]

Among the inmates of the ophthalmic department of the hospital on the corner of Twenty-third street and Third avenue is a man who has an exceedingly interesting history. Forty years ago his name was literally a household word in every cultivated home in the United States, for it was attached to a magazine which justly takes rank as the pioneer publication of first class American periodical literature. The man is George Rex Graham, the founder of Graham's Magazine, who was once also the chief owner of The Philadelphia North American newspaper, who has twice made and lost handsome fortunes, and who was often the host of men who have occupied exalted places both at Harrisburg and Washington. Blind, helpless, worn out and subsisting on the generosity of others, this old man, now more than threescore and ten, has for eighteen months past been waiting in the institution named to have operations performed on his eyes for the removal of cataracts.

In the room of the male nurse, attentively listening to the latter reading an historical work, sat Mr. Graham when a reporter of The Herald called to see him. He is now in the 73d year of his age, and considering what he has passed through in recent years, and his present sad condition, bears himself with remarkable good nature and even cheerfulness. His hair and whiskers are white and long, and altogether he presents a very patriarchal appearance. If one did not know the contrary he would suppose that the venerable publisher was fully possessed of sight, his eyes look so bright and natural, and he cannot see anything. Otherwise his health is moderately good. To a request for some facts about his history he answered cheerily: "If you think the public are interested in me who might almost say that he is like him of whom Sam Johnson wrote when he said, 'Superfluous lags the veteran on the stage'—one who is lost to the world—I have no objection to rehearse the story of my life, which certainly has been eventful."

HIS SELF-TOLD STORY.

He proceeded accordingly, as follows: "I am a native of Philadelphia, having been born there in 1813. Left an orphan when a boy I was obliged to earn my own living. I first learned the trade of a cabinet-maker, but next turned my attention to the law and studied with Judge Armstrong. I succeeded very well and saved a snug sum of money. Having devoted my nights to reading Burke I acquired a taste for literature and became ambitious to own a magazine. I contributed sketches to Atkinson's Casket, a feeble concern. Subsequently, in company with Charles J. Peterson, of Philadelphia, who became one of my intimate friends and fellow students, and who, in these later years, has been one of my benefactors, I purchased from Atkinson his Casket. For a year Mr. Peterson and myself ran The Casket. Then he sold out and I purchased The Gentleman's Magazine from William E. Burton, the comedian, paying him $3,500, or $1 for each subscriber. I massed the subscribers of the two publications, and with a list of about 5,000 started Graham's Magazine. This was in 1841. Edgar Allen Poe, who had been editor of The Gentleman's Magazine, remained with me as editor of the new venture. I resolved to strike out boldly from the first and engaged the best known writers of the day.

ARRAY OF TALENT.

"My list of distant contributors included James Russell Lowell, recently our minister to England; J. T. Headly, the ill-fated but highly gifted William Henry Herbert, Bayard Taylor, R. T. Conrad, George H. Boker, E. F. Whipple, John G. Saxe, William Cullen Bryant, William Devee, Fenimore Cooper, Mrs. Sigourney, Longfellow, Chandler, Caroline Chambers, E. L. Cushing, Estelle Lewis, and Julia, the very talented and exceedingly beautiful lady who subsequently became the mother of Edmund Clarence Stedman, and, still later, the wife of the late William Burnet Kinney, the founder of The Newark Daily Advertiser. The consequence was the immediate and marvelous success of the magazine. Money and subscribers rolled in on me with every mail, until I was astonished myself. I engaged the services of John Sartain, and published handsome engravings. I also got the very latest fashion plates from Paris and inserted them. These took amazingly. In two years' time my subscription list nearly touched 40,000. I had the field of illustrated blackwood almost to myself. I paid for everything I published. Poor Bayard Taylor! How well I remember the astonishment on his face upon which I handed him $25 for the two first poems he ever wrote. 'Surely,' said he, 'you are not going to pay me for them!' Why, this is the first money I ever earned!'

EDGAR ALLAN POE.

"What did I pay Poe? I gave him $800 a year, which in those days was considered very liberal. He was with me editor for about eighteen months, and for three or four years I knew him intimately. Literature with him was a religion, and he, its high priest, writing only when the spirit moved. The money-changers from the temple. In all else he had the docility and kindness of a child. Having need for him for over a year, constantly writing near and conversing with him, I knew all his hopes, his fears and little annoyances of life, yet he was always the polished gentleman, and the quiet, unobtrusive, thoughtful scholar, the soul of honor in all his transactions. This, of course, was in his better days. He was the first reviewer of his day. His style was very severe and too caustic, faults which, however, helped the magazine. Poe used to write from five to seven pages a month. One of his serials, first published in the magazine, was the weird narrative entitled 'Murders in the Rue Morgue,' which created a great sensation in France. Associated with Poe on the magazine was Mr. C. J. Peterson, for the grossly insulting whom I was obliged to discharge Poe.

LONGFELLOW AND BRYANT.

"To Fenimore Cooper I gave $1,800 for his 'Islet of the Gulf.' Two of my best investments were Longfellow and Bryant. Their writings made us subscribers for the magazine by the thousand. Mrs. Stephens' 'Malinda Gray' was also a great card. Except for the 'Spanish Student' I never paid Longfellow more than $50 for a poem, that being the sum I paid him for 'The Village Blacksmith,' which became so popular in England that a score of Englishmen believed it was written by an Englishman and first published in England. From 1840 to 1843 my subscription list never ran below 40,000. I said sometimes it was as high as 50,000. Men were astonished at my success. One day a friend came in and said 'Graham, put your hand on that table.' What for? I asked. 'Why, because everything you touch turns to gold,' was his reply.

SPECULATION—DISASTER.

"I was now on the high tide of prosperity. I was rich, in fact; had a fine house, horses, carriages, and a loving and amiable wife, but no children. Fond of speculation and ambitious to make a mark for myself, I bought The American from Childs & Fay. This was about the year 1840, I think. In partnership with the late Morton McMichael and Robert M. Bird, I purchased The United States Gazette from J. R. Chandler, giving him $40,000. We incorporated the two papers named and started what is now The North American. Too many irons in the fire proved disastrous for me. I was induced to go into some copper mine speculations gotten up by rogues and lost heavily. Neglect of the magazine caused that to fall away, and in 1848 I was obliged to sell magazine, newspaper, shares and everything to satisfy my creditors. After a while I got on my feet again, bought back the magazine and gave it a new lease of life. My success for a time was moderate, but the glory of Ichabod had departed. A renewal of the old success was impossible, and after keeping the magazine for three years I sold it a second time. It died in the hands of Mr. R. H. See, the purchaser. The reason of its ill success the world—success to-day, disaster to-morrow. In 1856 I went to live with a nephew, the late Col. Henry Rockafeller, and ten years later began to contribute literary reminiscences to a Newark (N. J.) paper, subsequently taking an editorial position. This I held until three years ago, when my sight began to fail me and I was forced to quit work. Since then, of course, I have been unable to earn my own living, and have been obliged to subsist on the generosity of others. As you can readily understand, this is a hard fate for a man who has seen what I have seen, been what I have been, but, natural, I cannot see anything otherwise

LAWLESSNESS IN PARADISE HALL.

The Members Rewarded for Office Just Like White Folks.

At the last meeting of the Limekiln club the secretary read the following, in a voice alternating between brickbats and taffy:

COUNTY OF OSWEGO,
VILLAGE OF PULTON, } ss

Bro. Gardner, of Detroit, Esq.:

Dear Sir—Thanks for selecting a responsible, efficient person for postmaster of our beautiful and lovely village is about to arrive. My relatives and dearest friends wish me to accept the appointment. Would say prominent member of the Limekiln club condescend to navigate this way and accept the appointment of first assistant postmaster, at a salary of $5,000 per annum? I want one who can butcher, as I intend moving the post office to my meat market if I get to be postmaster. Please peruse this out loud before the members of the club the next time they assemble together, and answer by cable cipher dispatch immediately after.

Yours Intelligently,
his
CHARLEVIX X WHITTLECHOKER.
mark.
Per
CHRISTMAS POWELS,
Who is to be second assistant postmaster.

A dozen members were on their feet at once, each one trying to secure the floor, and, in spite of the vigorous use of the gavel, the disorder increased.

"Sot down!" shouted the president. Instead of anybody "setting," half a dozen more rose up, and a spirit of recklessness broke loose.

Givendam Jones flung Elder Toots into the woodbox.

Judge Cadaver paid off an old grudge by giving Samuel Shin a clip under the ear.

Waydown Bodge so far forgot his dignity as to heave a volume of sacred poetry at Pickles Smith and lay him cold.

The Hon. Kyzan Cahiff sportively attempted to twist Sir Isaac Walpole's nose, but next moment he found himself under a bench, with millions of stars dancing millions of jigs before his eyes. From the reporter's desk it looked as if the end of law and order in Paradise hall had come; but 60

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seconds witnessed a complete change of scenery and programme. Brother Gardner made a standing jump of 22 feet, lit down in the crowd, and when silence suddenly settled down there were ten members down and more ready to fall.

"My beloved brudders," said the old man, as he went back to his desk, "perhaps I has bin expectin' too much of you. When white folks will fight, bribe, lie, perjure an' do all dat's wicked fur de sake of a $1,000 office, what shouldn't a cullud man do when offered sich a map aside one meshshuned in dis letter? De New York gem'lan who expects to be postmaster kin take his pick from Pickles Smith, Trustes Pullback, Waydown Bodge, Givendam Jones, Judge Cadaver, Commission Davis, Stepoff Jackson and Peter Gallon Brown, and I will start ready to sign a bond in de sum of one millyun dollars for any of 'em."

A Case of Clear Waste.

[The San Francisican.]

How and it is to contemplate the selfish indifference to the comfort of others that marks the average human being. In how few hearts the golden rule of doing as you would be done by finds a place. Not long ago a worthy granger near Tucson rushed out of his house to warn off a lot of hunters he saw prowling about his ranch.

"We ain't after your quail, old Hayseed," shouted one of the party. "A fellow from Frisco held out four aces on us down at the saloon the other night and scooped the gang. He lit out when the boys tumbled, and we suspicion he's hiding in the brush around here; so we've come out to bag him."

"Oh, that's all, is it?" said the hard-worked farmer. "Well, boys, I'll tell you what I wish you'd do when you drop your man, just scrap him right up and leave him in the wheat field yonder. I can't find the time to make a scarecrow, and the geese are coming in powerful thick these moonlight nights."

The "Vigilance Committee" delegation promised to comply with this very reasonable bequest, and after taking a square pull all around at the old man's flask, they passed on.

And now for the contemptible sequel. Nearly a month afterward the granger discovered the remains of the four-aces lying right in the midst of the cheapest wheat he's had, where not even a buzzard could have seen them—where he was no earthly good to anybody under heaven. A clear waste—a clear waste! It is occurrences like this that shake our entire faith in human nature.

Selling a Coat Through Affection.

[Merchant Traveler.]

Helfmutin keeps a clothing store, and the other day a stranger stopped to look at a coat hanging in the door. Helfmutin saw him and rushed out.

"Dot ish a spleendid arteegle, mine frent, so sheep nah nodding," he said with a smile.

"I reckon I'll go inside and take a look," said the stranger.

"Vash your name, my frent?" said Helfmutin, taking him by the arm.

"Wiggins, sir, Mr. Wiggins, of Kentucky."

"Ah, my dear Mr. Wiggins, I am very glad to see you, indeed. My goot vriendt Ephraim caf you ven he vas tying," and Helfmutin wiped his eyes.

"Indeed," replied Mr. Wiggins in astonishment.

"Yes, Mr. Wiggins, ven Moses vas trawing his last breath, he cast me to his side, and whispering very low in my ear, 'my brudder, I am going away from der clothing business forever, unt I haf bud one rekwest to make of your. If you efer meet a man on earth, unt I put my ear kwite close to his unt caught dese vorts, 'dot rekwest my brudder, in dot ven Master Wiggins, of Kentucky, comes to der store, you will sell him goots at der forry sheapest prices.' Dose vere his last vorts, Mr. Wiggins, unt ven I tells you you can haf dot goat at ten tollar unt sixty-fife cents, you will know I am selling out for affection, unt not for money falue, Mr. Wiggins."

Wiggins had to take the coat.

More Convenient.

[Chicago Rambler.]

"Do you ever sweep under the bed?" inquired a fond mother of her eldest, whose room at college she was looking over. "Oh, yes, often. It's so much easier than a dust pan, you know," replied the hopeful.

THE FIDDLE IN SOCIETY.

A New Hobby Which the Young Ladies of Philadelphia Have Taken Up.

[Philadelphia Letter.]

The young ladies of Philadelphia's fashionable society have taken up a new hobby—the fiddle. It has grown to be almost a great a rage as the skating rink in less fashionable sets. I understand that the wrinkle was brought from Boston by one of our girls, who attended a wedding there. All the others have become infected. Classes for the "study of the violin," as one musical maiden put it, exist in almost every block.

The outlay for instruments is often extravagant. One young lady has what she declares is a Stradivarius 150 years old. She has had it, for some extraordinary reason, inlaid with pearl. The addition has quite ruined its tone. Still, that doesn't matter since she has made the instrument an oddity and can say that its cost has been nearly $700. Another young lady has a fiddle that she declares was a favorite one of Paganini's. If that is true Paganini's ear must have been formed on a different basis from that of people who make no pretension to musical genius. But then, it is possible that the violin's extraordinary tones may be due in some degree to the fact that it is all tied up in old gold ribbons. The young lady's teacher warned her that the tight bands would impair the quality of the tones. The young woman answered that the difference didn't seem much to her mind, and in any event she was determined to retain the ribbons, because they suited her complexion. Thus is art sacrificed to vanity.

I asked an old French musician, who is teaching the fiddle to some young ladies, what he thought of their playing. "Well," said he, "to perform well on the violin means that you have given to it years and years of study and patience. Now, could I say anything about my dear young ladies that would imply that they had given years to anything?"

Unintentional Cheating.

[Boston Paper.]

A well-and gentleman recently attended a poker party where he indulged in numerous glasses of wine and parted with most of his cash. Midnight found him on Tremont street with just 65 cents in his pocket—a 50-cent piece, a dime, and a nickel. Hailing a herdic he requested the driver to take him to his home on Boylston street. When the latter was reached the gentleman, producing his half dollar, asked the driver if he had a quarter. The driver, after careful search, regretted that he had nothing smaller than $1, which he produced. The gentleman, feeling poor, was disinclined to pay double fare and the herdic driver was equally averse to accepting 15 cents for his fare.

They pondered the matter awhile and at last a happy thought struck the gentleman. "I will tell you," he said, brightening, "there are 65 cents; you give me the dollar—that will be near enough." The herdic driver thanked over the dollar, thanked the gentleman for his kindness and drove away; and the gentleman, pleased with his own ingenuity, entered the house, where it flashed across him what he had done.

Kansas Grasshoppers.

[Exchange.]

A lady visiting Kansas writes of the grasshoppers in a different strain from the usual unappreciative manner: "If you are not quite sure that they are not intending to 'light,' a flight of grasshoppers is a beautiful thing to see. All day they floated over us; millions upon millions of airy little creatures with their white gauzy wings spread to the light, mounting steadily toward the sun, as it seemed. It was like a snowstorm in sunshine, if you can picture such a thing, with the flakes rising instead of falling."

Declared Off.

[The Rambler.]

"Are your cheats paddes-I?" asked Angelina, as her head reposed gracefully on William's manly bosom.

"No. Why do you ask?" he inquired fondly.

"Because they are so much softer than Marion's coats, or John's, either, for that matter."

The engagement is broken.

One of the Mysteries.

[Detroit Every Saturday.]

Trousers with two legs are a pair; a shirt with two arms is only one shirt. Philosophers had better give up trying to find out whether the moon is inhabited with spooks, and clear up some of the dark mysteries of this life.

An Unkind Suggestion.

[New Orleans Picayune.]

The abuses of skating-rinks can be avoided by confining the use exclusively of bathing houses. Have lady attendants and let no gentlemen be admitted on days when ladies skate.

The Russian Alphabet.

[Boston Pilot.]

The Russian alphabet contains forty-one letters. Any Russian word can be made by changing the position of these letters, care being taken to use the entire forty-one.

Large Fisheries.

Two hundred years ago the Arabians had a fish called the sedrosus with bones so large that they were sawed into planks.

George Alfred Townsend says he does not want to own a newspaper and never will.

Gen. Crook writes encouraging letters to boys in the Indian schools.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer taken this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	51	6 a. m.	67
9 a. m.	56	9 a. m.	72
12 m	61	12 m.	77
3 p. m.	68	p. m	87

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885.	1884.
Sunrise.....4.28 a.m	Sunrise.....4.28 a.m
Sun Sets....7.31 p.m.	Sun Sets....7.31 p.m.
Moon Rises 2.47 p.m.	Moon Rises.... p.m.

Chronological Events.

Charles Dickens died, 1870.

Signal Office Prediction.

Cooler weather, with a cool wave, brisk to high northwesterly winds.

For Wednesday—Fair weather with slowly rising temperature is indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States.

JOTTINGS.

—Roses have appeared.

—Judge Ulrich fined "a drunk and disorderly" five dollars this morning.

—Daisies and other wild flowers are very numerous in various parts of the city and suburbs.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Fire Board will be held this evening in the City Court room.

—The annual soiree will take place at the Young Ladies' Seminary on West Seventh street this evening.

—Miss Louisa Moss, at Rand's, is making quite a reputation from her skill in the production of good likenesses in crayon.

—President H. Otis Newman led the young men's meeting in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association last evening.

—There has been a rumor current within a few days that the Casino was again to change hands. We have been unable to verify the report.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a strawberry festival on Tuesday evening and on Friday afternoon and evening.

—A gas engine of one-half horse power is on exhibition in the window of Carney Bros'. store on Somerset street. It is claimed that it costs but two cents an hour to run it.

—At the meeting of the Reform Club on Thursday evening a little six-year old girl from Westfield will appear. She is claimed to be the most precocious girl in the county.

—Whether borough or no borough for North Plainfield, it is hoped that some action will be taken to improve the sidewalks and give more light, at least in the principal thoroughfares.

—Albert Cook was arrested by Constable Bennett this evening, for disorderly conduct on complaint of Henry K. Carroll. He was committed to the county jail, for fifteen days by Justice Mattison.

—The speakers at the meeting of the Reform Club next Sunday evening are announced to be Judge Ulrich, the Rev. Dr. Lowis and John Cuthbert. There will be another speaker not yet selected.

—Sentence in the case of Mrs. Gertrude Rittenhouse for using profane and indecent language, which was suspended from Friday until yesterday, was again suspended under certain conditions by Judge Ulrich.

—The strawberry festival season will be opened this evening by the Dunham Good Will Choristers at Warren Mission Chapel, North Plainfield. Music during the evening by the choristers and by an orchestra.

—A committee of the Somerset County Freeholders, with Freeholders Hubbard and Vanderbeek of Union County, are expected to visit this county to examine the Rockview avenue, with references to replacing it.

—The people of New Brunswick are loudly complaining of the weather, and attributing severe attacks of rheumatism alleged to be generally prevalent there, to it. Complaints might be likewise made here, if complaining would do any good.

—The Senior Society of the Boys' Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association hold their first meeting for the new half year this evening in the Association's Hall. Members of the ball club will be chosen, and other business transacted.

—Mary E. Williams, a widow employed at Mrs. Kirk's, corner of Park avenue and Seventh street, died suddenly on Saturday from apoplexy. She had been complaining for several days, but was engaged at her usual work when she suddenly fell to the floor and died in about twenty minutes.

—A Newton dispatch to the Sussex mirror of this city, is now engaged in hoisting extraordinary large pillars and ties at the Clark Eyans Rink. He began about a week ago the work of hoisting the thirty-two pillars, of which seventeen are now up, being an average of five a day. The pillars are Georgia pine, each thirty-seven feet high and one foot square in thickness. They were cut and shipped especially for this institution. The span across the structure is eighty feet. The mason work is progressing rapidly.

—The advance agent of Col. J. Armoy Knox, of Texas Siftings, asks us to state that should any one not be dissatisfied with the humorous lecture to be delivered by Knox, at Stillman Music Hall on Thursday evening, he can return it at any time within thirty days, provided it is not soiled by tearing, damaged by fire, or injured by exposure to the weather. The title of the lecture is "The Humorous View of It." What "It" is that Col. Knox takes a humorous view of can only be found out by going to the lecture.

COUNCIL MEETING.

FIRE ALARM AND ELECTRIC LIGHTS TO BE INTRODUCED.

Permissions Granted to Two Companies Under Conditions—New Ordinances. — Other Business.

An adjourned meeting of the Common *Council was held last evening. Present:* President Corieli and Messrs. Cutter, Gallup, Goddard, Livingston, Whiton and Wadsworth. Mr. Marsh came in during the reading of the minutes.

The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

A petition for a peddler's license was presented from Calvin Hoagland; referred to License Com.

A petition for privileges to erect a one-story wooden building in place of a lumber shed was presented from Spicer and Hubbard; referred to Lamps Com.

A communication from N. V. Irving, a Plainfield property owner living in Newark asking if Short Fourth street had been abandoned was presented; referred to Street Com.

The report of the Board of Directors for the year ending June 1 was presented; filed.

A petition for a crosswalk at Franklin street and Third Place was presented; referred to Street Com.

A claim of $59.40 from the Times Printing and Publishing Co. was presented; referred to Printing Com.

A claim of $350.50 from George M. Angleman was presented; referred to Street Com.

A claim of C. L. Burt, agent, for $12, was presented; referred to Alms Com.

A communication was presented from Mayor Rockfellow concerning an obstruction in the shape of a fence erected on the southerly side of Third street near Madison avenue, and asking the co-operation of the Council regarding the removal of the same. On motion the Law Com. were empowered to act in conjunction with the Mayor and Corporation Counsel in regard to the same. This is the case referred to some days ago, in which Mr. Connely and Mr. Hetfield have opposite interests.

Mr. Marsh, from Rooms Com., reported correct claim referred; claim referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Goddard, from the Electric Wire Com., made a lengthy report on the various propositions that have been submitted to the Council from time to time regarding the introduction of electric lights and district telegraph and fire alarm service.

On motion the report was received for discussion.

The discussion which followed was participated in by several members.

Mr. Marsh moved that the committee be authorized to have drawn and executed a contract with the Plainfield District Fire Alarm and Telegraph Co., W. H. Pope, Manager, granting the privilege asked for by the company (that of stringing a single wire across the streets, without the erection of any poles except upon permission granted by the Council), upon the terms named in the report, that they should maintain a fire alarm service), reserving to the Council the right to revoke the same after one year from Sept. 1, upon three months notice to the company; carried.

Mr. Marsh moved that the Committee be authorized to make a similar contract with Charles Wynn, who petitioned for the privilege of stringing two wires on the existing poles of the Telephone Co., in certain specified localities, with the additional clause that the wires be insulated after the most approved method; carried.

Mr. Whiton, from Alms Com., reported correct claims referred; claims referred to Auditing Com.

Also reported back claim of C. S. Guion for correction; claim ordered returned to Mr. Guion.

Mr. Wadsworth, from Finance Com., reported on the communication of the Assessor asking for extra pay that the salary of the Assessor be placed at $300; report received and accepted; both the Kingsley Gen-

Mr. Goddard, from Lamps Com., reported that the Telephone Co. had offered to put in a gong in Zephyr Hook and Ladder house in place of the removed telephone, and that the committee after interviewing the Fire Board had rejected the offer and had given notice to the Telephone Co. of an intention to introduce at the July meeting a resolution prohibiting the company from erecting poles and from stringing more wires.

Considerable discussion followed this report, and the members expressed themselves in thorough accord with the action of the committee, indeed some wished to take away the Telephone Co.'s privileges immediately, in which action we have no doubt had that Comell would have the full endorsement of the people generally.

Mr. Marsh, from Law Com., reported on the petition to order portions of La Grande avenue to be flagged, by presenting an ordinance providing for the same to be done; ordinance read twice and ordered engrossed and to a third reading.

Mr. Livingston, from License Com., reported license petition referred correct; license granted.

Council then suspended for the remainder of the evening, in order to allow one member of a committee to report.

Mr. Gallup, from Printing Com., reported correct claim referred; claim referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Gallup, from Street Com., reported correct claim referred; claim referred to Auditing Com.

Mr. Marsh moved that the Fire Board be allowed the use of the City Court room for their June meeting; carried.

Mr. Marsh called up the sewerage ordinance for third reading; ordinance read the third time and adopted.

Mr. Wadsworth, from Auditing Com., reported correct claims referred; claims ordered paid and warrants ordered drawn for their respective amounts.

The council then adjourned.

NOBLE WORKERS.

How Little Ones Are Taught by Christian Women in Plainfield, North Plainfield, and Elsewhere, to the Kindergarten and in the Sewing School.

This band of earnest workers was organized several years ago from the ranks of the Women's Christian Temperance Unions for the purpose of discussing the best plans and methods for increasing the number and efficiency of Temperance schools and the Bands of Hope.

The semi-annual convention was held on Thursday and Friday June 4 and 5, at Montclair, and was attended by about 100 delegates from nearly all the Temperance Schools and Unions of New Jersey.

The address of welcome preceded by devotional exercises, conducted by Miss Dunbar, was given by Mrs. Myra Dosby of Montclair, and responded to by Mrs. Mary E. Fronce of Newark, who also acted as Secretary, in the absence of Mrs Osborne of Middletown, who was prevented from attending by serious illness.

The half hour succeeding lunch (bountifully prepared and served for the occasion by the members of the Montclair Union) was given to informal discussion.

The exercises were resumed at two o'clock by the introduction of Mrs. Coard, of Plainfield, who took up her subject of Temperance and Hygiene, rapidly sketching a course of lectures, and suggesting a plan for arrangement of topics, according to the principals of "dependence and simplicity." She urged that teachers should comprehend exhaustively the subject of the lesson in order to teach any part of it well, and, that each lesson should be enforced by a text of scripture, to be committed to memory by every scholar.

By request of the institute, the order of the program was somewhat changed to allow Mrs. Coard to resume her subject on Friday, when she gave a very interesting and comprehensive lesson upon "The Heart" with black-board demonstrations, showing how God demands and health requires that we live soberly and intelligently, "touching not the unclean thing."

The first point illustrated the structure of the heart, and the effect of alcohol upon it, causing the heart to work so rapidly that it soon tires out and stops. How alcohol causes the blood to clot, so that it often clogs and stops its action, and how, it degenerates the muscles of the heart into fat.

Mrs. Coard developed these points so clearly, referring both to the physical and spiritual heart, that she held the rapt attention of her audience throughout the entire lecture while imparting valuable information in a particularly impressive and attractive manner.

The special entertainment of Thursday evening, was the lecture delivered by Mrs. Wilbur F. Crafts, of New York, on "Illustrative Teaching, as the Best Means by Which to Gain Attention, Hold Attention and Help the Memory."

After the devotional half-hour on Friday morning, to which the opening of every session is given, reports were called for from the delegates, representing the Bands of Hope and juvenile work all over the State, and to which as the brightest gems of the Plainfield Mrs. George F. Opdyke happily responded in the following report:

MRS. PRESIDENT AND LADIES; — As your request I take pleasure in presenting to your consideration a report of the Plainfield Kitchen Garden Work.

Our organization has been comparatively very brief, but I trust that the initial effort in one State will demonstrate the desirability and practicability of our new branch of work "For God, and Home, and Native Land!"

The growth of different system of education for young children has spread and widened until every branch of household and useful art has been moulded into simple language and form for the benefit of our little ones.

The Kinder Garden has been unanimously adopted, and, in immediate succession, the Kitchen Garden and Cooking Garden methods have been developed and formulated.

We are indebted to Miss Juliet Corson and also to Miss Parloa, for their admirable efforts to make the science of cooking worthy the attention of even fashionable butterflies; and, through the work of both the Kinder Garden and Cooking Garden, Miss Emily Huntington, of New York, is a prominent factor at work among the poor of New York, trying to elevate and brighten the miserable homes made wretched by the vice we are banded together to suppress.

The entire control of the well-known Willis Five Point Mission, in New York, devolves upon Miss Huntington, and it may not be out of place to mention, in this connection, the success of juvenile work that was, I believe, first inaugurated there, the Boys' Club. I hope to see these claims organized in every village, town and city where the boys are deprived of all entertaining instruction and elevating influences.

It has taken many years to develop the Kitchen Garden system into its present admirable form, and the brightest gems of domestic life have been, and are now, devoted to this most noble work of educating the little waifs of the East side wilderness.

None but those who have personally investigated the subject can realize the destitutions, and turned sick at the universal squalor and filth can comprehend what such a revolution as the Kitchen Garden, such a woman could have grounded the work and laid the foundation of her labor in faith and prayer. Miss Parloa, of Chicago, is the national superintendent of this branch of work, as was our teacher.

Our own organization is composed of a superintendent and assistant superintendent, both belonging to the Plainfield Daughter of our W. C. T. U.; a secretary, a treasurer, and a corps of teachers, five for each class of twenty children, in order that each may have the undivided attention of two teachers, while the fifth, called the leader, is selected for her thorough capability, is imparting the lesson.

It is of vital importance for the success of the work that all the teachers be thoroughly grounded in the necessary knowledge, for errors are quick to detect any hesitancy and divine the cause. A second lesson can be carefully avoided or disaster will come before it is even suspected. The leader of each class is carefully instructed before the scholars and should never allow a gesture or word of criticism from her associate, no matter what transpires.

Socially all the teachers are equal, but the leader is the leader in each class, and all debatable questions must be settled at the monthly business meeting and at no other time.

As we are under the direction of the Managers of the W. C. T. U. three of their number constitute an Advisory Board, attend our meetings, authorize any necessary expenditure and receive reports of the Board.

Music is an important factor, and every young miss who would deem herself worthy to determine their plans as may best promote their usefulness, should be willing to give all care in regard to the piano arrangements, unless some pressing necessity should occur.

If any ladies present desire to form a Kitchen Garden, I should advocate very great caution in choosing the working forces and in selecting and securing the best instructors. On the surface the system appears simple, but the great trouble comes in an ill-suited teacher, essential to success is the old Latin motto, "Hasten slowly."

The Kinder Garden system comes now with a wood and paper I mean, the varying, varied use of both in the household.

Domestic economy includes the fundamental truths, and the rules are easily remembered, arranged in rhymes as to familiar airs.

The use of the paper teaches the children the correct way to fold skirts, an hem, tuck, and prepares them for the washing lesson.

The second lesson is to wash their dishes, and set a table in a neat, attractive manner.

The children are pleased with all the occupations, but this one is like for them a natural delight, and they are always improving and improving the arrangement of the tiny articles.

The third lesson is that of bed making and sweeping, and the children watch with eager eyes to find out the mistakes of their mates by the little hand models engaged in the demonstration.

By allowing the scholars to feel that they may share in the labor, their interest never flags, and they make varied and often successful criticisms during the progress of the lesson.

It is our practice to seat the scholars before the table upon which rests the dainty bowl in what we call the sewing band. The pins placed in straight lines, an aisle down the centre, directly in front of the leader, and the four front and rear pins for the first hem, so called because they lead the lines and serve as guide.

The first couple commence by arranging the large chairs in position to receive the bed clothes, and five pins are placed in *each one article, unless a fault is noticed*, when the one discovering is asked to explain the fault and then a new pin placed in it. The next couple correct the error and resume their seats.

At a flagrant error I have seen twenty-two hands fly up at a moot the same instant, and it is sometimes difficult to choose among so many willing hands.

In this way all the children may share in the pleasure of making the bed, and do not grow weary and inattentive.

The fourth lesson is washing, and the sub ject and clothes line song divert the little ones after the labor of having a little fine wardrobe without any water or soap.

The fifth follows the former table setting and pricking lesson. The cards for perforation are intended to train the little ever-busy fingers, and to prepare them for the Cooking Garden course. Birds, flowers and animals are delin-ated upon cards of rather thick paper, and the animal shapes being divided in lines, showing the animal as when hung in the meat market (plus the extremities), and become the guide for the child. The variety of quality and location of the different points and cuts suitable for human food.

The sixth lesson in this course is clay modeling and develops talent that is sometimes very remarkable in such young children.

Some of the songs are very pretty and they all illustrate very pretty ideas, as you may judge from the little one entitled, "Put Your Place in the World." It will interest you to catch a few lines of our most delightable setting, and I now present to you my co-workers and their leader, Mrs. Bennett of Plainfield.

Mrs. Bennett seated the children before a long table upon the platform and gave an excellent illustration lesson ably assisted by the girls and warmly applauded by the audience. The demonstration was closely watched through glass and Mrs. Bennett's kindness was so highly appreciated that at the close of the lesson a very generous collection was taken up for the benefit of the association.

Mrs. Baldwin then gave a black-board lesson during which our delegation was compelled to consult their time-table and after expressing thanks for the courtesy and attention received from the ladies of Montclair we turned our face homeward well satisfied with our journey.

Twelfth Annual Report of Warren Mission Industrial School.

The details of our year's work, as herewith presented, will serve to prove what has already been stated with regard to the steady progress of our school.

The school opened as usual on the first Saturday of October, the fourth, and we have not missed a Sunday in any of the present day, with one exception, December 27, when the Chapel was being decorated and otherwise used in anticipation of the Sunday School Christmas festival.

The number of scholars enrolled—Since a larger list than ever before. Our lowest attendance during the year was 85, and our highest attendance was 148. The average for the 35 weeks is 118, the average of last year being only 75, 85 far as numbers go, we have far exceeded any previous record. There are also more who have been present every week, and eight who have been absent but once.

The fancy stitch class and the darning class are new features in our work, and promise to be indispensable branches of our ideal Sewing School. These, together with the cutting class, buttonhole class, and twenty-one other classes for plain sewing, make a total of twenty-five classes.

In order to attain a more perfect standard of sewing, the scholars, large and small, at the beginning of the year, were put back to first principles of the overhanding strips. This made slow, tedious work for many (they did not get started on their garments as early in the season as usual, consequently they have not finished as many as they otherwise would. The children have bought 193 garments with their marks and 312 handkerchiefs.

We finished a patch-work quilt last Fall. The children bought it with their marks, and presented it to the Children's Home. They have also nearly pieced enough blocks for another quilt.

We offered an inducement at the beginning of the year as follows for regular attendance as follows: Any scholar who should be present four consecutive Sundays, and who have her name read as being on the Roll of Honor. When she had been on the Roll of Honor three times she should receive a handkerchief. This plan has worked admirably, and there have been 20 handkerchiefs awarded during the year.

There was also a prize offered for any who should bring in six new permanent scholars. Many have brought one, two and five of their friends into our ranks. One Mary Pearson, has excelled, in that she has brought seven new scholars. This noble effort, however, does not win for her the prize, as only one of the number has proved faithful to her, and remained in the school. The distribution of prizes will reveal the fact that one only has secured her six new permanent scholars.

Our many kind friends have never yet allowed us to want for anything, and we have been furnished this year with our much needed new singing books. They have been a great help to the school, and have added much to the interest of our general exercises. We deeply appreciate the favors that we are constantly receiving, and we can but feel thankful that the Lord is making the Sewing School work to prosper in our hands. We have had an efficient corps of teachers this year, and we trust after a few months re t they will come back to their classes with strong hearts and steady hands.

MISS E. L. CADMUS, Secretary.

Burned By Gasoline.

MATTOON, Ill., June 9.—Last evening Mrs. J. W. Hunsaker took a teacup containing gasoline on a stove on which she supposed there was no fire. The gasoline took fire, and in a moment her clothing was ablaze. She seized the cup and threw it toward an open door, when the blazing fluid fell upon the clothing of her husband, who was coming to her relief. The shrieks of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna attracted neighbors, who with great difficulty extinguished the flames before the sufferers were fatally burned. It is thought both will recover.

Personal.

The family of Hon. Jacob Kirkner are reported in a New York paper to be at Stamford, N. Y., for the Summer.

Dr. R. J. Shaw, the druggist, started yesterday for a week's sojourn at his mother's in Norristown, Essex county, this State. His former assistant, Mr. Davidson, of New Brunswick, takes charge of business during his absence.

Death of John N. Steiner.

John N. Steiner, a prominent resident of North Plainfield for a number of years, died at his residence on Somerset street at two o'clock this afternoon. A sketch of his life will appear to-morrow.

—Plainfield and North Plainfield ladies have taken hold with a will of the work of supplying decorations for Warren Mission, on the occasion of the Dunham Choristers' strawberry festival, to begin this evening. The work may be said to be the most beautiful ever seen in the suburbs.

—The borough fight has been waxing warm to-day among North Plainfield ers.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers selling Lung Balsam at less than the regular price, 5 c., and 1.00, as oftentimes imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 1885.

RECENT LEGAL DECISIONS.

Where a bankrupt debtor orally promises to pay a creditor's debt in full if the creditor will sign an assent to his discharge and enable him to obtain it, and the debtor, after having thus obtained his discharge, in execution of his oral promise gives, a written promise to repay the debt, the written promise is tainted with the fraud and cannot be enforced, according to the decision of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts in the case of Threlfall vs. Freeman et. al.

In the case of Ziebold, in which the interpretation of a prohibition act passed by the State of Kansas in 1885 was involved, the United States Circuit Court for the District of Kansas held that a person committed to jail by a county attorney for refusing to obey a subpœna issued by that officer, and to be sworn and give testimony as provided in the act, was deprived of his liberty without "due process of law" within the meaning of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. The court held that while act was obnoxious to received constitutional principles, as conferring judicial powers upon a public prosecutor and pecuniary interest in the discovery of evidence of offenses committed. The same law was pronounced constitutional by one of the State courts.

A statute requiring persons selling, or offering for sale, patent rights, to file with the clerk of the proper county a duly authenticated copy of the letters patent and an affidavit that the letters were genuine and had not been revoked or annulled, and that he had authority to sell the right patented, was held by the Supreme Court of Indiana to be a valid statute, for the reason that in enacting it the legislature exercised a police power resident in the State, Brookhill vs. Rastadt et. al., decided May 25. The court declared that the power to make police regulations for the protection of its citizens against fraud and imposition was not taken from the State by the national Constitution or by any national statute; that the national legislature could not exercise police powers for the protection of the inhabitants of a State; that the State was not inhibited from enacting police regulations operating on instrumentalities or articles of commerce, provided no discriminations were made against classes or citizens and no restrictions were placed on commercial intercourse, and it held that in the statute under consideration there was no discrimination against patented articles.

A CLERGYMAN of Providence, R. I., recognizing that there was a lamentable degree of ignorance among young voters with regard to political and economic issues organized a course of lectures on these subjects the expenses of which were paid by his parish. Great interest was elicited and the enterprise promises to be a success. The example set by this pastor is worthy the earnest consideration of the controlling powers of churches generally. The principal upon which his action was predicated is of course liable to great abuse, and it should be determined just how far its application should be encouraged.

GEN. GRANT'S BOOK.

INTERESTING EXTRACTS FROM THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY.

His Feelings at His First Battle—The Battle of Shiloh—Meeting Lincoln for the First Time—Gen. Lee's Surrender.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The Commercial Advertiser publishes extracts from Gen. Grant's forthcoming book, which will be entitled "Personal Memoirs of U. S. Grant." The book will be in two volumes of about 500 pages each. The first volume and nearly all the second are now written. The book will, it is stated, contain the inside history of several important operations, hitherto undivulged or incorrectly described.

The dedication of the work is in the following words: "These volumes are dedicated to the American soldier and sailor.

"U. S. GRANT.

"NEW YORK, May 23, 1885."

In describing his origin Gen. Grant says he is of the eighth generation in descent from Matthew Grant, who came to America from Dorchester, England, in 1630, and settled at Dorchester, Mass. Gen. Grant's great-grandfather, Noah Grant, was an officer in the English army in the war of 1756 against the Indians and Indians, and his grandfather, Noah Grant, fought in the revolution against England. Grant was born at Point Pleasant, Ohio. He received his appointment to West Point from the Hon. Thomas Morris, senator from Ohio. The fact that he had no early leaning toward a military life is shown by his at first wishing to resign the appointment. His father, a man not to be refused, told him to go, and he went. His reluctance arose from a fear that he would not pass the examination.

On May 24, 1861, Grant wrote to the adjutant general offering the government his military services in any capacity. No notice was taken of the letter, and it is not preserved in the files of the war department.

Gen. Grant, in describing his first meeting with the enemy, when he commanded a regiment, naively admits that he was very much frightened. On seeing the retreat of the opposing force he recalls the remark: "The idea struck him that their commander was probably as much frightened as he. This view of the matter remained in his mind, and he never after felt trepidation in the presence of the enemy.

In his comments upon the much discussed battle of Shiloh, Gen. Grant dissents from the idea that if Johnston had not been killed the Confederates would have won, and annihilated Grant's army. He remarked: "He defeated the Confederate at Shiloh. We should have been disgracefully beaten if all the bullets fired by us had passed harmlessly over the enemy, and 'if' all the bullets had taken effect after face that Johnson was leading a brigade to induce it to make a charge which had been repeatedly ordered, is not reasonable, and only exhibits the universal demoralization on our side, nor the unbounded confidence on theirs, which has been claimed. There was, in fact, no hour during the day when it doubted the eventual defeat of the enemy." Grant says that Col. William Preston Johnson's description of the battle is very graphic, and causes the reader to wonder why the Federal troops were not all killed. "I witnessed the fight," somewhat sarcastically adds the general, "and I can say that his description is one that I can recognize. The Confederate troops fought well, and deserve commendation enough for their bravery and endurance on April 6, without detracting from their antagonists, or claiming anything more than their due.

No reminiscence of war history will be read with greater interest than Gen. Grant's account of his first meeting with Mr. Lincoln and Mr. Lincoln's charge to him: "Although hailing from Illinois myself, the state of the president, I had never met Mr. Lincoln until called to the capital to receive my commission as lieutenant general. I knew him, however, very well, and favorably, from accounts given by officers under me who were from his old town and had known him all their lives. I had also read the unfavorable course of debates between Lincoln and Douglas a few years before, when they were rival candidates for the United States senate, as I was then a resident of Missouri, and by no means a 'Lincoln man' in that contest. But I recognized him his great ability.

"In my first interview with Mr. Lincoln alone, he stated to me that he had been more professed to be a military man, or to know how the campaign should be conducted, and he never wanted to interfere in them, but that procrastination on the part of commanders and the pressure of the people at the north to operate against the enemy at all points always with him, and forced him into issuing his well known series of executive orders. He said he knew that all of them were wrong, and did not know that some of them were. All he wanted, or had ever wanted, he said, was that some one would take the responsibility and call on him for all the assistance needed."

Grant first met Stanton at Louisville. Stanton handed him his orders, saying he could take his choice. Both contained a military division of the Mississippi, giving Grant command of it, and were identical except in one particular. The document commanders as they were, while the other enumerated Generals and assigned Thomas to that place. Grant accepted the latter, "a very great relief from embarrassment to Chickamauga and retreat upon Chattanooga, Grant says Stanton sent for him, and in great excitement told him that further retreat must be prevented. "I immediately wrote an order assuming command of the division of the Mississippi, and telegraphed it to Gen. Rosecrans. Then I telegraphed to him the order from Washington assigning to Thomas the command of the army of the Cumberland. Mr. Thomas that he hold Chattanooga at all hazards."

The following may be regarded as Gen. Grant's reply to assertions that superior numbers gave the final victory in the battle of the Wilderness:

"Operating in an enemy's country and supplied by railroads at a distant base, large detachments had at all times to be taken from the front, not only to guard the base of supplies and the roads leading to it, but all the roads crossing the front and in the rear. We were also operating in a country unknown to us, and without competent guides for passing, knowing the roads accurately. Estimating Lee's strength in the same manner as ours, the enemy had not less than 80,000 men at the start. His reinforcements during the campaign were about equal to ours, deducting our discharged men and those sent back. Lee was on the defensive, and in a country in which he was perfectly at home, every obstacle to the movement of his troops was every natural defense was familiar to him and was improved. The citizens were all friendly and furnished him accurate reports of our every movement. Rear guards were not necessary for him, and having always a railroad at his back large wagon trains were not required. All circumstances considered, we did not have any advantage of numbers. More severe fighting has not been known in any campaign than that of the 5th and 6th of May, 1864."

GLADSTONE DEFEATED.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS REJECTS THE BUDGET.

A Scene of Tremendous Excitement when the Result is Announced—The Premier Serene and Dignified—The Ministry's Immediate Resignation.

LONDON, June 9.—In the house of commons Sir Michael Hicks-Beach moved as amendment to Sir Hugh Childers' motion for a second reading of the budget. He condemned the proposals of the government in increasing the duties on beer and spirits while declining to impose a fresh tax on real property, and urged an increased tax upon the wines consumed by the rich. He sought to be levied upon beer and spirits. The government proposals, he declared, are unjust and financially unsound, and will result in the buyer's getting an adulterated article instead of a smaller quantity for his money. Why not tax tea additionally? The government was bound to do so.

Sir Charles Dilke defended the budget, and said that tea is already taxed too heavily. The question, he said, is not one of electoral budget, but of life and death to the government.

In the division upon the adoption of the budget in the house of commons the government was defeated by a vote of 264 to 252.

When the figures of the vote were announced there was a remarkable scene. Mr. Gladstone, who had been leaning back in his seat with a calm and cynical smile upon his face, suddenly started up, became quite pale and clutched with nervous grip the rail of the bench before him. The house was in wild confusion. The members of the opposition yelled, stamped and waved their hats and handkerchiefs. Some of the more excited ministerialists tore off their hats and also flourished them in the air, while the shouts from the floor were re-echoed by cheers in the galleries.

The Parnellites, whose votes had turned the scale against the government, were beside themselves with boisterous exultation. Standing on the benches in the direction of the discomfited premier, they hurled at him such epithets as "Coercion," "Buckshot Forster," "Miles Joyce," and other reterences to Ashbourne and Maamtrasna, and insulted their country. In the height of the uproar Mr. Gladstone rose to his feet and stood with perfect dignity, disregarding the noise around him. Finally he addressed the speaker, who was furiously ringing his bell and vainly screaming for order.

Mr. Gladstone stood with pale face and firmly compressed lips for fully a moment before quiet was sufficiently restored to enable him to move an adjournment. As the words left his lips another outburst of yells came from the opposition.

It is certain that the government defeat will result in the immediate resignation of Mr. Gladstone and the Duke's statement, in replying to Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, that the question at issue was one of life or death to the government, is thought to be well founded.

Both The Daily News and The Telegraph state that Mr. Gladstone will immediately place his resignation in the hands of the queen.

Gen. Viles and Gen. Bragg.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The Washington correspondent of The World says: A Wisconsin politician said that there was a good deal of friction between Gen. Bragg, of that state, and Postmaster-General Vilas on account of the rival ambitions of each. "Bench of the cabinet," said he, "of Gen. Vilas I have heard from time to time can be traced directly to Gen. Bragg. Bragg was the cause, in chief, of the Democrats in the last two sensational elections at Madison. He was instrumental in getting control of the legislature to elect Pinkney Sawyer's successor. Gen. Bragg expects to be the United States senator from that state. He understands that the postmaster-general is casting his eyes in that direction. Bragg, therefore is constantly on the alert, fearing that Vilas is going to use his power as postmaster-general to regain control in Wisconsin. It would be impossible for Vilas to suit Bragg, because he is constantly looking at him with the eyes of a viva. There two men promise to have a pretty sharp bout within the next year. Vilas may be a candidate for the senate, but that subject does not at present appear to be very prominent in his mind.

How the Government was Swindled.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Secretary Whitney has received the report of Prof. Chandler, of Columbia college, and Capts. Davis and Hewlett, of the navy, members of the board recently appointed to investigate the dealings of the government with the American Wood Preserving company employing the Bethell process. It is charged that the whole thing is in the power of a ring of steamship owners who compel the preservation of ties to the vessels they designate by preventing the shipment of other ties from making bids. The government is now moving in the matter, and has appointed a committee to report upon it. The necessary changes in the law to make the system efficient. The committee held its first meeting with W. C. Baxter in the chair, and will begin taking evidence next Tuesday. The first witness examined will be Stevenson Hazlewood, secretary of the general postoffice.

Samuel J. Randall's Plans.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Ex-Speaker Randall is almost recovered from his recent attack of rheumatic gout. He expects to go to his home near Philadelphia in a few days and remain there until fall. Before leaving Washington, it is understood that he will see some appointments made in which he is interested. In this connection are mentioned the appointments of ex-Mayor Fox, of Philadelphia, superintendent of the mint, and Gen. W. H. H. Davis as pension agent in that city.

Is it Scott, the Tester?

MONTREAL, June 9.—Detective Fahey applied for a warrant for the arrest of Scott, the New York defaulting teller. He believes he has a few hundred thousands, and has sent one of his men, with a detective man, with the warrant, to Prescott, Ont., where they place a man answering Scott's description is staying at a farm-house.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Gen. Logan called upon the president and paid his respects.

The Iowa editors visiting the city were received by the president.

Judge Edmunds of the charity and corrections conference called upon Mr. Blaine and by invitation and were introduced by Miss Phoebe Couzens.

Gen. Rosecrans qualified and entered upon the discharge of the duties of register of the treasury. He was the recipient of a large number of congratulatory calls.

The navy department is notified of the death at Lisbon, Portugal, of Lieut. John Aspinwall of Commander Clark, who commanded the United States ship Alliance. Death was caused by Bright's disease.

SPORT IN ST. LOUIS.

Dust Also and the Jap Wrestle—It Is Like a Swindle.

St. Louis, June 9.—Weather cold, strong northwest winds. First race—Purse $200, of which $100 to first, mile and an eighth; Buchanan first, Lemon second, Rudman third. Time, 1:58½. Mutuals paid $9.50 for winning horse; place, $12.80.

Second race—Horse trailers' stakes, purse with $250 added, $150 to second, three-quarters of a mile; Ben Fox first, Blue Wing second, Revoke third. Time, 1:21½. Mutuals paid $27.50 on winner, and $41.50 for place.

Third race—Ellis Wainwright stakes, $250, with $500 added, one mile and a quarter; Kosciusko first, Isaac Murphy second, Swing third. Time, 2:03¾. Mutuals paid $17.60 on the winner.

Fourth race—Running purse $600, of which $100 to second. Heats three-quarters of a mile; First heat—Dudley Oaks first, Kookie second, Revoke third. Time, 1:18¼. Second heat—May Hamilton first, Kookie second, Kershaw third. Time, 1:18¾. Third heat—May Hamilton first, Dudley Oaks second. Time, 1:20¼. Mutuals paid $37.50.

In the first heat of this race, in going around the turn at the mouth of the chute, Al. Robertson, ridden by Barnes, was crowded against the fence rail, and a projecting rail struck him in the fore shoulder, splintering the whole shoulder blade, breaking his leg and totally disabling him, so that he had to be shot. The jockey Barnes was thrown over the fence and had quite a narrow escape, with a sprained ankle.

Fifth race—Selling, purse $600, of which $100 to second, mile and a quarter; Hazarus first, Taxgatherer second, Whizgig third. Time, 2:11.

Very Queer Wrestling.

WILLIAMSBURG, L. I., June 9.—Turn has was crowded with spectators to witness the wrestling match between Ali Abs, the Hamburg giant, and Matanda Sorakichi, the Jap, for $250 a side. The conditions were the best three falls in five, two styles, Greco-Roman, two Japanese and one catch-as-catch-can. Abs won the first fall, Greco-Roman, in ten minutes. Sorakichi won the second fall, Japanese style, in four minutes. The next fall was Greco-Roman and after fifteen minutes' struggle the Jap claimed he had hurt his arm and refused to continue. The referee gave the match to Abs. The affair had all the appearance of a swindle.

No Racing at Brighton Beach.

NEW YORK, June 9.—On account of a heavy rain in Brighton Beach races were postponed until to-morrow. The track was very heavy and dangerous for the horses. The entries are declared off.

Baseball.

At Chicago:

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1—2
St. Louis	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1—5

At Providence:

Providence	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

At Boston in fifteen innings:

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—5
Cincinnati	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—4

At Philadelphia:

Athletic	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0—11
St. Louis	0	0	6	1	2	0	4	0	1—14

At Buffalo:

Buffalo	2	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0—5
Detroit	1	1	0	0	6	1	0	2	0—11

At Brooklyn:

Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Pittsburg	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1

At New York:

Metropolitan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—4
Louisville	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	0—6

At Boston:

The game between the Bostons and New Yorks was postponed on account of rain.

A CLAIRVOYANT'S FREAK.

Becoming Suddenly Insane She Sits all Night on a Fence.

BUFFALO, June 9.—At 5 a. m. Catholics on their way to early mass at St. Joseph's cathedral saw seated on the granite steps of Bishop Ryan's house a strange and terrifying figure dressed in red flannel wrappings and wearing a horrible white mask and a flowing board that reached to the front. As the crowd collected, but the figure paid not the slightest attention. At last a patrolman came and the strange masquerader was led away. It was a woman whose death chamber with red. She would not speak a word and no one knew who she was. Dr. Halbert, police surgeon, provided her with clothing and ordered that she be put to bed in the police building.

She told him all about her case. She turns out to be Miss Frances Burns, of No. 301 Sixth street. She is a clairvoyant, and is a member of the Baptist church. She claims to be under the influence of a spirit that drove her out to seek for lost souls. She said she was driven out to talk to a convert to her faith, Bishop Ryan. She did not want to see him. The prisoner said that she saw lightning, and the spirit told her if she did not go she would be struck dead. Her mother insanity is a great shock to her family. She was sent to the state asylum.

An Editor Caned by a Woman.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 9.—There has been for some years a feud of bad blood between Col. John S. Williams, editor of The Lafayette Sunday Times, now third auditor of the treasury department at Washington, and Mrs. Gougar, a prominent member of the Women's Christian Temperance union and female suffragist. Mrs. Gougar sued the Sunday Times for libel two years ago for $10,000 for slander, and The Times defended Mandler and criticised Mrs. Gougar severely. The case was heavy and created a great sensation at the time. Capt. Lew Wallace, a prominent attorney whose name was unpleasantly associated with that of Mrs. Gougar in the libel suit, and Col. Williams at the time, but did little damage. Williams arrived home Saturday and his Sunday paper contained two or three references to Mrs. Gougar which angered her greatly, and she met Col. Williams on the street and assaulted him with her parasol. The colonel warded off the blows with a small bamboo cane, when Mrs. Gougar snatched it away and struck the colonel over the head and shoulders several times.

Killed Through Religion and Study.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Walter C. Whipple, a son of Adjt. Gen. Whipple, of Governor's Island, committed suicide at No. 305 East Twenty-fifth street by shooting himself in his room, by shooting himself in the left breast. The deceased was a medical student of the university of New York, and was to have taken his degree this spring. He was 24 years of age, and the cause of the act is attributed to religious excitement brought on by over study.

The Pennsylvania's Monopoly Must Go.

PHILADELPHIA, June 9.—There was a well attended mass meeting of citizens at the Academy of Music at noon to-day. They were made and resolutions adopted in favor of speaking to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad its privileges of transit through the city unless or in its behalf.

SAYARD ON INDIVIDUALITY.

The Kroll Assizes of Corporations Failing to Encourage Mere Wealth.

LAWRENCE, Kan., June 9.—This has been one of the greatest days in the history of this city, the occasion being the visit of Secretary of State Bayard. Ten city hall with people from all parts of the west. Primrose lines of bunting were adorned with flags and bunting, and a most hearty reception was accorded the guests.

Mr. Bayard delivered the annual address to the literary societies of the University of Kansas in the immense hall. Thousands were unable to gain admission. The secretary spoke upon "Individuality." He said: "The new system of society, and despotism is that of numbers, for it renders impotent the sacred right of revolution, which may check a single tyrant, but not a majority composed of tyrants. In our day and time another force has grown into magnitude which calls for the resistance and counteraction of sturdy individuality. I refer to artificial combinations called corporations which have had many valuable results, but accompanied by other consequences subversive of the principle of individuality. Our evil, I fear, is the impatience of the people and their intolerance of opposing opinion, and the consequent suppression of individuality in public assemblies. We must cherish individuality against the sweep of a suddenly aroused and impatient majority."

Secretary Bayard in the secretary said: "Hero worship is high and beautiful sentiment, but worship I desire to encourage. But who is the hero? Is it the successful or the unsuccessful? Washington was a hero, but he is to be found in what caused his success, or the lack of it? I believe we ever cease to reverently remember that the truest crown ever worn on this earth was a crown of thorns."

After the address a reception was held, and after that there was a magnificent banquet, which was attended by one of the most illustrious assemblages ever gathered together in Kansas.

AWFUL EXPERIENCE OF YACHTSMEN.

Five of Them Cling to an Overturned Boat—One Goes Mad.

CLEVELAND, June 9.—The Dunwoody, James Blessing, Fred. Brooks, Al. Bardley and J. Z. Bayliss started from Colts, Ses. Pa., on the 6th in a small sloop yacht for a sail. About 8 o'clock, when about 10 miles from shore, a sudden squall struck the boat, capsizing it and throwing the men into the water. The heavy boat righted, and the boat ran very high. The men got a hold on the boat and there they clung throughout the long hours of that night.

About 8 o'clock Monday Saunders, a coach man of W. J. Gordon, the millionaire owner of Gordon's park, took the horses out to graze on the lake shore. His attention was attracted by voices out in the water, and in that direction he saw a boat on its side and several persons clinging to it. It was then drifting nearly a mile from shore and almost opposite the lighthouse at the mouth of Doane brook. He gave an answering "Hallo," which was responded to by the waving of hats and handkerchiefs. He at once called for assistance, and with one of Mr. Gordon's boats hurried to the rescue. Reaching the wrecked boat a pitiable scene was presented. Fred Brooks apparently dead and was held up by his companions. Young Blessing had been driven insane by his terrible night and from small town along the path of the storm.

When about fifty miles west of this city, the storm appears to have struck the more severe part, taking a course directly through Walworth county. As the famous summer resort of Lake Geneva, wind and lightning did much damage. Other resorts exposed to the storm withstood the attack. One florist sustained a loss of $1,000 from his hot-houses. Other big greenhouses met a similar fate. The residences of the many beautiful summer residences of N. K. Fairbank and L. Z. Leiter, of Chicago, located on the shores of Lake Geneva, were totally destroyed. Trees about the lake and the village were stripped of their foliage.

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Cleveland Denied a New Trial.

RICHMOND, Va., June 9.—Judge Atkins overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of T. Cleveland, convicted of the murder of Lillian Madison. The prisoner's counsel entered a motion for an arrest of judgment and asked that the bearing be postponed until Thursday next. This is, in order to give them time to examine the record as to the precise point to bring to the attention of the court and to prepare bills of exceptions.

Augusta's Pestilence Struggle.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The appointment of Col. Morton as surgeon of Augusta, Me., still hangs fire, and it is said that Senators Hale and Frye have announced in advance that they will not vote for Morton's confirmation, which will defeat it.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The Emperor William will go to Ems on Sunday.

Dr. Loiseau has been appointed president of the exhibition of 1889.

Dr. Schliemann will spend the coming winter searching for the tomb of Alexander the Great at Alexandria.

Sublet sailed for the Sisters at Mount Lebanon, Columbia county, New York, are to be opened on Sunday.

The secretary of the treasury has been informed of the defalcation of a disbursing officer at the sub-treasury at New Orleans. He had to Mexico, where he is interested in some mines.

Mr. Mary Ann Simmons, of London, Ont., refused to give her husband money to buy whisky, and he drew a knife and stabbed her in the breast, killing her instantly. Simmons has been arrested.

The M. E. T. Allison Methodist college at Sackville, N. B., has conferred the degree of D. C. L. on Miss Hattie Stewart. This is the first time an educational honor of this grade has been conferred such an honor upon a woman.

Fire in Suffolk, Va., destroyed all the principal business houses in that place, including the Suffolk hotel, the Southern telegraph office and the Commercial bank. The loss is $100,000. The fire started on the south side of Washington street, spread rapidly east, west and north, swept both sides of the square, the main business street of that town, leaving only three houses standing. It also crossed Main street, destroying both sides of Kirby street and down the west side of Main street.

A CYCLONE'S WORK.

TWO SMALL WISCONSIN TOWNS ALMOST DESTROYED.

Houses Swept Away, Barns Overturned and General Destruction Wrought, the Gigantic Hailstones Injure the Cattle—A Demand for Gloves.

MILWAUKEE, June 9.—Reports now coming in from country towns located in the south of Sunday's storm indicate that it was about eighty miles in breadth and swept the entire state, from the Mississippi river to Lake Michigan, the counties of Vernon, Rock, Dane, Jefferson, Richland and Columbia being the greatest sufferers. The storm originated near the Mississippi river on the Minnesota side, where it assumed the nature of a cyclone.

The little village of New Albin, Houston county, was almost destroyed. The railway elevator, school-house and seven residences were blown down in an instant. The fronts of all business blocks were broken in, twenty houses were unroofed and many barns blown to parts unknown. Four people were killed and one child dangerously. The school-house, a fine two-story frame building, was raised high in the air, dropped and crushed to splinters. Boards were driven like arrows for miles. The loss to New Albin and vicinity is $50,000.

The village of Victory, in Vernon county, opposite the river from New Albin, was entirely destroyed. The following houses, two small elevators, hotels, church, schoolhouse, three stores and fifty residences were wiped out of existence. The loss to Victory is placed at $100,000. Several persons were seriously injured there, but no fatalities are yet reported.

From this point east to Lake Michigan the damage thus far reported was confined to occasional overturning and demolition of farm houses and small buildings and injury to growing crops, gardens and fruit by hail and wind. The force of the hail storm was unprecedented. In many places the fall of ice continued for fifty minutes, covering the ground to a depth of from four to five inches. Everywhere within the path of the storm windows having a west exposure met with wholesale destruction. Many hundreds hailstones measuring from seven to eight inches in diameter were picked up. In Dane county a great number of hogs and sheep were killed and horses and cattle badly bruised by the hail. In this county many buildings were also unroofed by the winds, fruit trees uprooted and timber destroyed. Likes damage was reported in the Rock River Tank county, where no less than one hundred windmills were blown down. Hailstones in the vicinity of Madison fell with such force as to split clapboards on the sides of houses and to reduce a roof to splinters. From every section in the state in the storm's path come reports of serious damage to fruit, damage to crops, trees and gardens. In some places the storm of wind and hail was followed by terrific thunder, and there are numberless reports of stock having been killed by lightning.

In small towns the call for window glass and putty has been unprecedented, and in many cases the supply was entirely exhausted before half the demand had been satisfied. At Lacrosse orders for three carloads of glass have been sent from small towns along the path of the storm.

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Terrific Gas Explosion.

CARNEGIE'S, Penn., June 9.—The terrific gas explosion at the Isabella furnace, by which William Bulter, one of the fillers, was fatally injured, occurred while the men were attempting to blow out the furnace. The explosion took place at 11 o'clock Thursday night, knocking off the entire top of the furnace. Butler was in the cage at the time watching the fire to prevent the wood work from igniting. He was literally covered with the molten metal; his clothing was burned from his person and his body was frightfully mutilated. Notwithstanding his injuries he ran to his home, some distance away, and gave the alarm to his family. He died shortly afterwards.

Canadians and the Chinese.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 9.—Secretary of State Chapleau has received a telegram that on Thursday he will introduce a resolution to provide for a Chinese interpreter at a salary of $1,200 per year. To take up the question of Chinese immigration immediately.

The bill now before parliament regarding the Chinese question falls far short of protecting the country against Chinese immigration that the people of British Columbia are demanding.

Serious Railroad Accident.

NEW ORLEANS, June 9.—As the regular Sunday excursion train between this city and Baton Rouge was returning, it ran into an open switch at Gonzales where a freight train was standing. The train consisted of seven coaches, all crowded. Each coach left the track and the engine was overturned. Charles Jones, the fireman, was killed; Engineer Charles Ferguson, dangerously scalded; W. H. Seymour, a passenger, has a leg broken, and twenty other passengers received more or less injuries. The wounded were brought to the city on a relief train.

Lost Over $3,000,000 in the Bank.

MONTREAL, June 9.—In the superior court L. G. MacDonald, of St. John, Que., acting for himself and co-shareholders of the defunct Exchange bank, began suit against John Rankin, ex-president, and Sir Francis Hincks, ex-director, to recover $3,500,000 which are alleged to be due to mismanagement of the affairs of the bank. It is alleged in the suit that General Manager Rennie, who fled to St. Paul, Minn., deceived them by falsifying the books and accounts.

Suicide Under an Express Train.

NEW HAVEN, June 9.—An unknown man named Lewis, a native of Germany, jumped out from New York, a few miles from West Cos Cob. Every stitch of clothing was stripped from the man's back. His right leg was severed from the trunk and his body thrown from the track.

Naval Cadets Afloat.

ANNAPOLIS, June 9.—One hundred and fifty naval cadets embarked on the practice ship Constellation, which sails in a few days. The Constellation will visit the ports of call to the main at the academy during the summer. The headquarters for the cruise will be Portsmouth, N. H.

New Hampshire Senatorship.

CONCORD, June 9.—As the senatorial convention opens here to-day their leads all candidates, and will obtain the unicus nomination.

"SUNSET" COX.

HIS METHODS OF WORK, LITERARY AND CONGRESSIONAL.

A Peep at His Workshop—The Secret of His Success—A Desk with a History—Dreams of Labor.

[Frank J. Carpenter in Detroit Free Press.]

Mr. Cox is perhaps the fastest worker among American writers, and there is no congressman who accomplishes one-third the amount he does in a given time. On the floor of the house of representatives he seemed to have devoted nights of study especially directed to every question which was sprung upon congress. He was found at every big dinner party and was noted as making the best after-dinner speeches of any of his fellows, and at the same time the press and the magazines were teeming with articles from his pen. To-day he would make a long and thoughtful speech on the floor of the house, and to-night you would hear of him delivering an address to some great association or giving a lecture on music, science or art to crowded houses. In the midst of all this he has had time to chat with his friends, receive his constituents, and carry on the business relating to his private fortune, which in connection with that of his wife is no small matter.

How does he do it? I asked him the question the other night while we were seated together in his library talking about his book and his answer was "system!" Said he, in substance, "I began my life in a county clerk's office, and I there learned good business habits. My college days were spent at Brown university under Dr. Wayland, the man who wrote the political economy. Dr. Wayland was a great advocate of exhaustive thought analysis, and he made his students analyze everything they took up. In that way I learned analytic thinking, and this I found of great advantage to myself in after years. When I began a debate on the floor of the house, I saw the end of my speech before I said the first word, everything fitted itself to its proper place, and I did not repeat, as is often done, What I studied. Blackstone after leaving college, by the aid of my training in analysis I found that I could repeat almost the whole of it in my own language, and since then, through all the ups and downs of my life, I have found analysis and system of the greatest advantage. Before I commenced my book I had a skeleton of the whole work in my mind, and I had only to fill in the flesh and send the life blood coursing through its veins. I am now engaged in making the skeleton of the finished structure."

Mr. Cox here showed me an outline of his book by chapters, which he had drawn up during its first stages, and then some of the completed work, showing how closely his first ideas had been carried out.

His workshop is well arranged for a systematic worker, and evidences of Samuel Cox Bill every part of it. It is a large, airy room on the second floor, with great windows which look out at the Potomac and Arlington on one side and over the fashionable part of Washington on another. Near one window there is a big mahogany desk with a case of pigeon-holes on its top, and over it a big bronze boat, about three feet square, representing Don Quixote in the midst of his vain fight with the windmills. This desk is devoted entirely to congressional work, and whenever he writes or thinks in regard to matters going on in congress it is here Mr. Cox sits. That desk, however, has a history. It is one which stood in the speaker's room at the time John Quincy Adams died there, and I doubt not that the old statesman has sat in it. It is filled now, as then, with congressional documents, and now in far better order than were those which it held, when, bright and new, it first took its place in the capitol to accommodate the sittings of Clay, Webster and Calhoun.

Not far from this desk stands one of the funniest little mahogony whirligig set of pigeonhole shelves, very much like a revolving bookcase, but you often see in a lawyer's office. But this is round and not square. It has many shelves, and these Mr. Cox keeps filled with his work upon which he is engaged in the outside of congress from time to time. All is in perfect system, and everything is always ready at hand.

Mr. Cox has good habits of work. He rises early and comes into this room at 7 o'clock and works at his mail until breakfast time. After breakfast during a session he usually worked on until 10 o'clock, when it was time for him to start to congress. In the evening, when not engaged elsewhere, he would be found again working here, and at 11 o'clock you will see the light burning in his room if you pass by. Of course he was a shorthand man, and to him he dictates at lightning speed. Some of all his literary work is dictated. The finer passages, however, he has written himself, and the most vivid descriptions have caused him many a visit to the congressional library to refresh his memory and to saturate his mind with the spirit and feelings of the times of which he is writing.

What They Fried the Steak in.

[London Referee.]

My editor and I once started to walk to St. Albans with a valued friend, who was by profession a pedestrian and a piano-forte tuner. Midway we put up at a snug hostelry, and ordered, for the comfort of the inner man, a dish of ramp steaks. While this was being prepared we sat in pleasant converse, which was interrupted by a peculiar hissing and frizzling sound that unmistakably came from the kitchen. "Why, hang me," suddenly exclaimed Pendragon, with his hair almost on end with horror, "hang me, if they're not frying it!"—the "it" of course he referred to the steak. Our lamented friend thereupon drew from his pocket a tuning-fork, struck it upon the table, and quietly remarked, as he applied it to his ear, "Yes, and hang me if they're not frying it in G!"

A Costly Little Painting.

[Chicago Herald-Train Talk.]

"My, but these art works do run into money," remarked a gas-sniper whose breath smelled like the south side of the Ohio river. "It beats all what fools some folks make over pictures. When I was in Chicago I saw a little painting about a foot square that was held at $500. 'Spect some dumpish will come along and buy it. If I had a million of money you'd never catch me paying $500 for a little painting like that."

"That's the way you talk," spoke up a bashful drummer, "but I'll bet that you've paid four times as much money for a painting not a tenth part as big."

"What, me?"

"Yes, you."

"What kind of a painting?"

"The one at the end of your nose."

Encouraging Home Industry.

A law has been enacted by the Alabama legislature fining a man $100 if he gets drunk out of his own house.

"Guth": I once heard a hotelkeeper at Washington say: "Almost every man can be relied upon to do something foolish after he is 40."

A FIFTH AVENUE BATH.

How a Scion of Upper Tendom Goes Down into the Water—"Festivities."

[New York Sun.]

The "Professor" was interrupted by the entrance of what looked like a well-built young man, with a bull pup and a huge walking-stick. He was clad in the very extreme of fashion. His trousers were very wide and big, his coat tight and natty, and he wore a waistcoat of ribbed drab velvet or velveteen. His overgaiters were of the same color as the waistcoat. English tan gloves, a big hat, and a single glass, which screwed into his right eye, completed his outfit. The cane had a big horn head, and the dog had been trained to walk alongside of his master's left foot. He was a thoroughbred bull, and evidently proud of his master, at whom he occasionally glanced with entire commendation. His legs were bowed—bulldog points to master and dog—and his jaw—the dog's—hung savagely. The youth and the dog glared surlily at the reporter, and then the youth opened his mouth with an effort and emitted a sound something like "Or-yr."

"Quite well, thank you," said the professor with a bow of extreme respect. "How are your?" Then he explained in an awe-struck whisper, which was perfectly audible to the young man as he strode away toward his dressing-room, that the new comer was the son of a well-known Wall street banker. "Admirable family, you know—blood," said the professor solemnly. "However, to continue: I know of no such a place as this would pay because everything has shown of late years that the tendency of the better element of New York society was toward exclusiveness, and if this element could find a bath that was not common, they would patronize it. Two years ago society people established a swell roller-skating rink. The masses crept in, and society gave up skating. They patronized polo and cricket because the crowds went to see base ball. Give them a thing that they can call their own and they'll take care of it.

A few moments later the bull pup trotted in after a great swagger, mounted the steps to the ten feet high platform, lay down on the edge, put his nose on his paws and watched his master closely. The master had just emerged from his dressing room. An astonishing change had taken place. Shorn of the single glass, the English clothes, the padding, and all, he was no longer an impressive swell. He had a very prominent nose, a thin neck, thinner legs, and enormous feet. A number of showy rings sparkled on his fingers, and he carried a sponge daintily in his left hand and a small pail of water in his right hand. These he placed carefully on the edge of the pool, and then he went down step by step backward into the water. He did not release his hold upon the banister until he was up to his shoulders. Then he struck out bravely—the water was about four feet deep—and swam with rapid and nervous strokes about six feet. Then he stood up, turned around and swam back again. He climbed up, sat down on the edge, dipped the sponge in the pail of water, and sponged his face and chest carefully and gently. Then he squeezed the sponge and laved his hands. This done he sat there passively and looked up at the bull pup, which was regarding him with admiration.

"He is very fastidious", said the professor, "and does not like to have the same water that he bathes in on his face and hands. I taught him to swim. It was seven months before he learned, but now he is proficient, as you see."

After resting for some time the young man made another excursion into the water of about the same distance, and then repeated the ceremony with the sponge and pail.

Snails as Food.

[Lower California Letter.]

The other day Betsy and I were entertained at an exceedingly swell banquet at the home of a wealthy pearl merchant. Among the numerous courses of the dinner were some enormous snails, which had been fattened for Lenten food, as is the custom in some parts of northern Europe. The snails are kept in large reservoirs, the floors of which are strewn with herbs and flowers. Doubtless the fashion was borrowed from the luxurious Romans, who, if we may believe Varro, fed them on bran and wine till sometimes a single shell would contain ten quarts! But that course remained untasted, despite our utmost efforts to do as the Romans do.

At a later stage of the banquet two servants appeared staggering under the weight of a huge mangrove branch, laden with parasitic oysters. This was placed in the center of the festive board. Each little bivalve, moored by its own byssus or spinning, clung so tenaciously that a hammer was needed to displace it. This circumstance aroused our interest in the oyster family, and determined us to cultivate their acquaintance.

The particular of tree oyster is as common here as in the Indian seas, and looks so exactly like a dried leaf as to deceive even the fishes that seek it. It is found attached to the roots and branches of the mangrove tree, which grows in sheltered bays at the edge of the sea. These odorous groves look like marine forests, their lofty branches dipping the waves during high tide.

Gold in Thibet.

[The Current.]

A Russian traveler predicts that Thibet will prove to be a second California, as, during a recent visit there, he found the natives gold-washing in the crudest way, but with the richest results. If the same class of men should be attracted to the gold-bearing districts of that barbaric country as went to California in '49, it is very probable that the civilization of that region would be accomplished with a degree of rapidity which would prove most salutary in its lesson to the czars, emperors, queens and amears who are struggling for empire in that part of the world after the manner of the middle ages.

Journalists as Playwrights.

[St. Louis Globe Democrat.]

"Journalists make good playwrights," said John T. Raymond the other day. "They are students of human nature—of life in all its phases. They know something about stage action, about the passions, and where a stage picture should be."

"How are the most successful plays written?"

"Happy thoughts hooked at the time, worked out in bed, in dreams, by gaslight and by daylight. Anybody's apt to write a good play if he is familiar with what a play needs."

Something to Boot.

"Can I make a trade with you for your daughter?" "Well, I don't know but you might. You'd make a pretty good son-in-law, I guess. I always like to get something to boot when I make a trade."

A Missouri Audience.

At a recent performance of "Richard III," at Sedalia, Mo., when the king exclaimed "A horse! a horse! My kingdom for a horse!" every man in the audience sang out "That's a chestnut."

The supreme court of the United States is in session only seven months of the year, with a holiday vacation at Christmas.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

THE MINISTERIAL CRISIS.

A Stormy Session of the English Cabinet.

By the United Press to THE NEWS.

LONDON, June 9.—Mr. Gladstone and his colleagues met at noon to-day and remained in session fully one hour and a quarter. The session is said to have been a stormy one. During the sitting it is said that numerous accusations, and recriminations were indulged in, but it was unanimously agreed that there was no alternative but to resign at once. This step having been fully resolved upon the members of the cabinet are said to have individually tendered their resignations to the Premier, who will, it is expected, proceed to Windsor and tender them together with his own to her majesty, the Queen, before another 24 hours have passed. The political situation is viewed as very grave at this time and the news that the cabinet had decided to resign has caused much gloom in commercial and financial circles. On the Stock Exchange a very unsettled and shaky feeling prevails, and values have declined sharply. Consols are down 5-16 and Russian bonds 1-2 per cent. Advices from the provincial exchanges report a much greater depression.

A Big Oil Strike.

BELLAIRE, Ohio, June 9.—It leaked out yesterday, through the filing of nearly one hundred land leases at St. Clairsville that a big oil strike was made at the Armstrong mills, Caswell, ten miles south of this city, about a week ago. The well is said to have flowed heavily but was at once plugged up, the derrick house boarded up and the place to all appearances abandoned. The proprietors swearing their employes to secrecy at once began to lease land right and left and the filing of these documents gave the thing away. The Belleville well is also reported in the sand and flowing. There is great excitement in the neighborhood and another oil craze may be looked for.

A Child Badly Burned.

On Saturday evening as Fay Howley, a young lady of twelve years, was lighting the gas in a room on the second floor of Councilman Goddard's residence on Third Place her clothing caught fire. Her cries attracted the attention of the family below, and Mr. Goddard rushed upstairs and wrapt a silk quilt around the child, and thus extinguished the flames. The girl was badly burned, but it is now thought she will recover. The Councilman's clothing was somewhat singed.

The Franco-Chinese Treaty of Peace.

PARIS, June 9.—A formal treaty of peace between France and China will be signed on Wednesday.

Meal Worms for Birds.

[New York Sun.]

In answer to a question, the purveyor of worms said: "I've caught meal worms for ten years. Bird is generally good and I can make $15 a week. Where do I get 'em? Why, in meal, of course. In these big grain warehouses on the river front, in flour mills, and in old feed stores you can always find 'em. Any one who wants to look for 'em. Do people not own them ers places are only too glad to have a perfesh ional like me come in, one they breed fast and eat up lots of stuff. When I fast begun catchin' 'em pole boxes used to pay me a half; but when dey found out dat I sole 'em again, dey shut down on de racket.

"How do I get 'em? Wid my hands, and sometimes wid a sieve. Dey generally go in gangs together, and when you find one of dem, you find many. Easy? Oh, I get 'em in tin mustard boxes, which hold one or two thousand, according to de size. Some days I get 200, some days, when luck is good, I get 3,000. Den I go round to my customers. Meal worms are good for mocking birds, and nearly all birds with soft bills."

Fashionable Dogs in New York.

[Blakely Hall in The Journal.]

In all probability the fox-terrier this year will be the fashionable favorite, though the bull-dog holds his own steadily. Fox-terriers of the proper breed are rare, and that is what makes them fashionable. Pug-dogs have entirely lost caste in the fashionable world, but the bull-dog is much admired just. The proper thing in bull-dogs is very small and pure white, though an occasional black spot may be allowed. The preference is sometimes expressed for dogs with a dash of terrier blood, as bull-terriers are somewhat less fierce than the pure-blooded bulls. But to be absolutely right, the dog should be full-blooded, with bow legs, short nose, villainous scowl, and stubby tail. They are much better than the sickly poodles and tiresome spaniels, so long in vogue. Bull-dogs, no matter how much they may be pampered or over-fed, always retain the qualities of courage and fidelity.

The Khan and the Pansies.

[Exchange.]

During the conference between Gen. Kaufmann and Abdul Rahmav at Tashkand, in 1869, the ameer professed great admiration for pansies. "What is the Afghan name for these flowers?" asked the general. "I forget," said the khan, "but if you had asked me the name of those flowers in Hindostanee I should have been able to tell you. With us children are brought up in the zenana, and I have lived among Hindoo women till I was 12. The Hindoo language, therefore, is familiar to me than Afghan, the language of my fathers."

A Company Extinguished.

[Exchange.]

The Twenty-first Massachusetts was the regiment of the armless Sergt. Plunkett, of national fame, who has just died. On the march to Petersburg, Company A was reduced to three privates. It happened at the end of that march that a single solid shot struck down those very three; so that the gallant company, which had marched from Templeton 100 strong, was for the time being completely extinguished—a dramatic climax to a wonderful three years' work.

The Telescopic Flea.

[The Current.]

The latest idea of public buildings is that of having them made on the telescopic principle—the stories being shoved up by hydraulic pressure. In case of a fire in the twelfth story, or any height, the building is let down until all is on the ground, when the flames can easily be put out. It is to be built of boiler iron. The furniture is all to be made like the cow-bell.

It is estimated that there are in round numbers 4,000,000 professed spiritualists in this country.

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Why a Chinese Governor Was to Have Typesetting of Local Texts by Negro Students. —Some Startling Facts Developed.

[Boston (Ind.) Tribune.]

C. H. Smith, formerly a correspondent of The Cincinnati Gazette, and now writing for The Chicago Inter-Ocean, contributes a long letter to his home paper in western Indiana. From this letter the following interesting extracts have been taken:

I have talked with, and all over the north, I suppose, the idea prevails that our colored people are not true specimens of the race, and that in the south they appear to much better. As applied to three-fourths of the south, this is a mistake. The colored people of my home village average no whiter than those of Columbia, Charleston and Chattanooga. The race map with the tenth census shows that one-half the south has fewer negroes to the mile than southern Ohio or Indiana; and I am now satisfied from a number of tests that men of pure negro blood are a small minority of the colored. I have tested the ratio in various ways: first by consulting the best-posted southerners of both races; and then by count. In each town and city, I took my stand at a street corner and labelled each color as they passed, in three classes. I then did the same in the schools I visited. But in this I saw that I had missed one important class on the street—those who are called negroes and associate with them, but are so white that no one would know, unless told, that they were "niggers." In every colored school I saw two or three children white as mine, and in the colored high school here is a lady teaching who is white as the whitest of the north, with golden hair and brown eyes. But her mother was a half-octoroon. The following shows the proportion per hundred in each city. By "whites" in the first column I mean white as an average white man:

	White.	Black.	Mixed.
Chattanooga, street.....	9	91	
" school...	3	6	92
Atlanta, street.....	0	11	89
" school...	2	8	90
Charlotte, street.....	0	14	86
" school.....	2	13	87
Columbia, street.....	0	28	72
" school.....	5	12	83
Augusta, street.....	0	34	78
" school.....	9	14	77

The average would be: four white; fourteen black; and eighty-two brown-united in each 100 colored. But this table is subject to two important deductions: the light colored people crowd to the cities, and the undiluted Africans are each all black. Everywhere in the old states, and especially in South Carolina, are seen unmistakable types of at least three negro nations. The Mandingoes average half a head taller than the "Guinea niggers," and are little if any darker than a Bulloo mulatto. When mixed with whites the result is not a mulatto brown—their mulattoes are yellow, or ginger cake color, and their quadroons merely dark ruddy. For this reason the rim of negroes along the border of the Carolinas are noticeably taller and lighter colored than down on the coast.

Above the Mandingoes is, or was, (the tribe is exterminated) a very superior race; and their mixed descendants have almost nothing of the negro but color. Their noses are straight as Apollo's, their features of the Greek ideal and their hair just wavy enough. There is now probably not a pure blooded specimen of this race left, but the domestic women were never put to field work, being too valuable for household services. Octoroon girls of this strain have sold as high as $4,500!

One thing I have noted on this trip is a decided revelation to me: the small proportion of the colored people who are quite black, and the number of the mixed bloods who are as white as any of us. I have spoken of this before, but the more I see of it the more I think it worth mentioning as an important factor—nay, as the important factor in the situation. For instance: I have just returned from the afternoon session of the Colored Teachers' association, where able addresses were made by Dr. J. L. M. Curry, D. D. and L. L. D., of Virginia, and Hon. Buenvs J. Orr, commissioner of education for this state—both white, both Democrats and both old slaveholders. The comments on these addresses, and other speeches made by colored persons; and yet in a three hours' session I could not discern the slightest difference in any respect between the races. In courtesy, ability, in mutual regard for each other's feelings, they might have been of one color. When the introduction music came, a lady as white as the whitest in my home village took her seat at the organ; and a gentleman as black as the blackest in my native county stood by her to lead the singing. Yet both ranked as "negroes." In the association I counted nine ladies as white, as well dressed, as genteel and as handsome as you will see at church in the north; but they are all "niggers."

Professor Richard R. Wright, the eminent colored educator of Georgia, and now state school inspector, is a mulatto of the eighth white; but on the other side he is pure Mandingo. He is of as pure north of the equator and on the remote highlands, who are far superior to the Guinea type. Said where the Mandingo was a race with long noses and forehead, thin lips and hair but slightly curled; but they are extinct, and the race is nearly "bred out" in America. Now it so happens that the finest specimens of remains left in southern Georgia and Carolina are the Mandingoes, were taken to the northern section of South Carolina; and from them are descended nearly all the talented negroes in the United States. Far below the Mandingoes, but still above the "Guineas," were the Dahomes, Loangoes and Kawsaws. But all these are merged in one type in America. To tell one of them from a white along the border of North and South Carolina is not a very easy matter and hence, as and so much smarter than those of the coast region.

Important facts prove it; attention; and the reader will please observe that I do not make facts—I simply relate them. If they are not true, some one can send a quarrel with me. The theorist who vaguely hopes that the negro will get away somewhere, may wonder his mind. The fact is, he is neither the nor move out. He is here to stay. His population between the census years has every month. He is for good or he is for ill, the white and the colored man are getting nearer together every day. To-day 150,000 colored children are in Georgia schools, supported by the state. To-day 1,884 colored teachers are paid from the public funds of this state. To-day 1,004,000 colored children are taught in the schools of fourteen southern states.

Another fact demands attention. There are in the south about 6,000,000 colored people. One million a year for the next 10 years less than 250,000 are so white that a northerner would not suspect the African in them. Thousands of these are yearly going north, to the ranks of the white; by 5, by 10, by 20 years. Every one of these is a recruit to the strongest people in the north with African blood in them who do not know it!

AMERICAN HUMOR.

DECLINE EVIDENCED IN THE PAUCITY OF FRESH SUBJECTS.

Presentation of Statistics Carefully Prepared—A Remarkable Falling Off—The Possibilities of the Roller Skate Very Encouraging.

[Boston Transcript.]

To the casual observer it might appear that American humor was in as flourishing condition as ever; that, notwithstanding the heavy drafts which it has sustained during the last decade, the supply was still abundant, not to say inexhaustible. But such, alas! is not the fact, as can be conclusively shown by the presentation of statistics carefully prepared, all unobtainable expense, and which will be given in detail further on.

The most serious evidences of the decline in our national humor is shown in the paucity of fresh subjects; there having been in the first four months of 1885 but eleven new subjects used in the construction of newspaperial wit, against forty-two in the corresponding four months of last year; and while several topics which were once under constant treatment have sunk into desuetude and are now no more heard than if they had never been, it is also true that scores of other favorite marks for the shafts of the funny men have shown a gradual falling off in paragraphic favor.

The stovepipe joke is a notable instance of the former class just alluded to, the class which has utterly disappeared. Full mirth-excitant, which in the year 1875 reached the marvelous proportions of 2,784 paragraphs per month, or 33,168 during the entire year, had fallen off in 1884 to 95 per month, or 380 during the first four months of the year, while for the corresponding period of 1885 but 17 cases have been recorded, an average of only 4¼ per month. A similar, though not so excessive, falling off is shown by many other old stand-bys; notably, the mother-in-law joke, the turn-up on the cuffs, the oldest Mason, and so forth. But we have the figures handy. Let us consult them.

During the first third of 1884 the mother-in-law formed the subject of 4,987 paragraphs or articles, whereas the corresponding term of the present year can boast of but 215, and 214 of these are essentially reprintions. Goat and the circus poster, 1884, 3,804; 1885, 24. Oldest Mason, 1884, 941; 1885, 53. And here are several more, the first figure indicating the number of times a joke was utilized from January to April, both inclusive, in 1884, and the second figure referring to the number of appearances during the first four months of the present year:

Messenger boy, 4,231—4,209; oyster, 1,774—297; dude, 3,648—344; hair in the butter, 1,423—9 (which, by the way, is six times too many); big bat at the theatre, 1,262—48; game of poker, 1,813—135; whisky drinking, 4,384—3,502; boarding-house hash, 3,112—194; strong butter, 2,076—111 (oleomargarine not included); Chicago girl's overexertion of the lungs, 2,125—2,008; cake of soap on stairs, 488—21; coal-hole cover, 976—43; banana skin, 816—37; editor and poet, 3,305—2 008; green apple, 4—1 (and in season); ice-cream, 1,748—1,284 (rather early for this article); ice man, 4,981—2,605; plumber, 9,871—6,432; pienic, 401—80 (rush usually comes later); Niagara hacking, 776—614; tent pin, 7,671—2,431; umbrella, 7,841—2,432; watermelon (out of season), 148—125.

In almost every instance it will be seen that there has been a great disparity in the present year's figures as compared with those of the year previous. The messenger boy, it is true, has very nearly held his own, and no excessively marked falling off is noticed in whisky-drinking or the Chicago girl's feat. The wonderful divergence which is shown in the figures relating to the dude is to be explained by the fact that he was a novelty in the paragraphic field last year; but, thank heaven, he is a short-lived creature, as our statistics show, and haply after another year he shall be heard of no more forever.

Jokes on love-making, matrimony, millinery, twins, divorce, and kindred accidents in separable from one's earthly pilgrimage hold their time-honored places. They always have been and always will be, world without end; therefore, it has not been thought worth while to collect data regarding them. And for other but equally cogent reasons no notice has been taken of alleged witticisms on deaths by drowning or other self-extinctions; nor, indeed, in any account been made of personnomasia. Punning is not joking, and a new pun is well-nigh an impossibility.

From our statistics, then, it will be seen that there has been a marked decline in almost every department of American humor, and that the cause of this decline is the evidence which we have at hand. We have only given a few samples of a very large invoice, which we might draw upon almost without limit.

But in this general decline it is pleasant to know that there is one subject at least which has come forward partially made up for what has been lost. Need we say we refer to the roller skate! During the first four months of 1884 the roller skate was the foundation of but seven paragraphs; during the corresponding period of 1885, it has furnished the raison d'etre of 17,264 witticisms of different lengths and of various quality. Therefore, providing there shall be no increase in the monthly returns and the probabilities all point in an opposite direction, we have in store during the entire year, 214,368 mirthful allusions to the skating-rink set before the readers of American newspapers.

Finally, then, while deploring the decline of American humor in general, let us thank heaven and take courage, in view of the marvellous possibilities presented by the roller skates, and let us pray that this last bulwark of our nation's wit may forever withstand the ravages and tear of time and the strain of constant use.

Properly Prudent.

[Philadelphia Call.]

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"What's his office, then."

"He's a building inspector."

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Bolles' drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	50	6 a. m.	67
9 a. m.	62	9 a. m.	68
12 m.	75	12 m.	72
3 p. m.	76	9 p. m.	80

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise.....4.28 a.m.	Sunrise.....4.28 a.m.
Sun Sets.....7.31 p.m.	Sun Sets.....7.31 p.m.
Moon Rises 2.47 a.m.	Moon Rises.... p.m.

Chronological Events.

Big Bethel, 1861.—Crystal Palace opened 1851.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair, warmer weather.

For Thursday.—Fair warmer weather is indicated for New England and the middle Atlantic States.

JOTTINGS.

—The Union County Board of Agriculture meet to-morrow.

—George C. Carpenter, professional stenographer, presents his card in another column.

—*There is music and dancing every evening* at Hotel Netherwood under the direction of Prof. Walsh.

—The Plainfield Saengerbund are called by a notice elsewhere to attend the funeral of the late John Steiner.

—The essays to be submitted by members of the High School in competition for the prizes offered are to be handed in on Monday.

—The Seniors of the High School are busy giving the final touches to their studies and essays, and the beginning touches to their dresses.

—The city court has been in readiness during the past few days to try several nuisance cases, but the defendants have not yet been brought to hand.

—The regular weekly prayer meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock in the parlor of *Reform Hall.*

—A burning brush heap on Alexander Tinworth's place on West Second street caused an alarm of fire yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock. The department turned out.

—There will be a special meeting of the Board of Managers of the W. C. T. U. held to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in Reform Hall. A full attendance is requested. By order of the President.

—At the Hotel Netherwood on Monday evening there was a very successful, progressive euchre party. Thirty-two players participated. Mrs. Randolph won the first prize and Mrs. Churchill the second.

—Communications unaccompanied by the name of the writer, not for publication, but as evidence of good faith, we must reject. Persons who have sent us such recently will understand why they are not published.

—A man stopped in a grocery on Madison avenue, one day recently, and after purchasing goods amounting to two cents, put a five dollar piece on the counter, and walked out without noticing his mistake. The grocery man, however, will return it.

—J. H. Stockton, of Flemington, has *offered a gold badge for the best pool player* in Hunterdon and Somerset Counties. North Plainfield has some good players, who would undoubtedly give the Hunterdonites all they could do to beat them. The contest for the badge takes place this evening at Flemington.

Personal.

Miss Emma Silleck, of College Place, is visiting friends in New York city.

Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, of Peace street, who has been dangerously ill for several weeks past with lung trouble, has recovered.

Morgan S. Taylor, of Somerset street, leaves for Beach Haven on Friday, where he will spend the remainder of the present month and the month of July.

Gabriel Bachman and wife, of West Second street, sail for Europe to-day. They were to have gone several weeks ago, but Mr. Bachman was suddenly taken ill.

Rev. Mr. Honeyman has received an urgent call from the First Presbyterian Church, near Dover, to become its pastor. He has been sojourning at Mount Freedom, near Dover, the past few weeks for health, and had preached a few sermons to the church referred to. *He declined on account of ill* health, but a second committee has been appointed to wait on him next Saturday, to ask him to reconsider the matter and trust to Providence for his health. According to the State survey, if he should accept he would practically, if not theologically, be located nearer heaven above than if at any other point within the boundaries of the State, the location being even higher than the Schooley Mountains.

Found at Westfield.

Miss E. S. Miller, of Philadelphia, having been missing for about a week, was found Monday at Westfield. Miss Miller is twenty-five years of age, and had just been released from the Frankford Insane Asylum, Philadelphia. On May 20 she suddenly disappeared, and had visited Boston, New York, and on Friday was at Elizabeth, from which place she went to Westfield, where she was subsequently found and taken home by her two brothers.

Nearly a thousand haters from Orange will take part in the labor demonstration at Newark on July 27.

"THE CHESTNUTS."

Commencement Exercises.

Last evening at "The Chestnuts," allusions were to be had of white-robed figures hurrying up the winding paths, of carriages whisking through driveways, to discharge their fair freight beneath the towering trees before the entrance, which opened upon a scene of youth and beauty.

Invitations to the Commencement exercises of 1885 had been issued by Miss Kenyon the efficient principal of the Seminary, and the elaborate decorations which had been made for the Ulsia Club entertainment given a few evenings since, were retained, these being enhanced by a profusion of flowers, which delighted the eye and filled *the air with fragrance. Mingled with the* large audience, many of whom appeared in full evening dress, were the young ladies of the school, in robes of white, or rose, or old time, their gallant escorts resplendent in dress suits for the occasion. At 8.15 o'clock the Graduating Class entered the hall, immediately followed by the Rev. W. R. Richards.

Without announcement the exercises were opened by Miss VanDerbeek and Miss Martens, with a duet, "Gypsy Life," by Schumann, and it was not difficult in their rendering to fancy dark-eyed maidens and the joy and sadness which surrounds them.

Miss Murray, in her essay on "Light," described it as a Neptunian and satisfactory theories, and then continued her subject metaphysically, with pleasing similes and metaphors.

Mendelssohn's Andante and variations in E flat was beautifully performed by Miss E. Sandford, which elicited a great applause from the *audience and graduating class alike.*

Miss Van Derbeek gave a most interesting account of the Historical and Literary Associations of New Jersey, the little State, under her loving touch, yielding up all that was brightest and best in its history, and revealing traits which might have eluded a less discerning eye. It abounds with places made interesting by the revolutionary and civil wars, and like Boston can boast of a Tea Party. Its colleges and other institutions of learning stand unrivalled, while it presents a brilliant array of poets and poetesses, of writers, artists, statesmen and army officers, and it remains with the boys and girls of the present generation whether its glory shall be perpetuated.

Miss Van Derbeek showed much thorough and efficient work, and again contributed to the entertainment of the evening in a Nocturno, Op 72, No. 1, by Chopin.

Chopin's Ballade in A flat and Beethoven's Moonlight Sonata were interpreted by Prof. Venino in a manner that would have given only congratulate the pupils at "The Chestnuts," in having so able an instructor.

"In Limine," (At the Threshold), an original poem by Miss Dorman, revealed much poetical genius on the part of the *fair young* lady, and in the hands of a loving farewell of teachers and classmates.

The presentation of diplomas was by the Rev. W. R. Richards, and in his remarks he gave tender tribute to women, who had always been first in Christianity, and he impressed upon the graduates the glory of making use of the education and culture, which it had been their privilege to enjoy. Much gratification must have been felt by teachers, parents and friends, and many the young ladies carry with them their close attention to die in them (from day to day).

After the exercises, an informal reception was held, and credit is due to the ushers for *their kindly attention to guests during the* evening. MARGERY CHANNING.

A Theft by a Servant Protected.

Kate Coddington is a girl from the farthermost recesses of Somerset County, who is employed as a nurse by Mrs. Capt. Taylor, of Central avenue and Fourth street. A few days ago Mrs. Taylor spent a few days with her friend, Mrs. Blauvelt, of Bonella. Kate, of course, accompanied her. At Mrs. Blauvelt's was a German girl who had a magnificent gold watch and chain, which had been presented her by her father before coming to this country. She showed the watch to Kate, who greatly admired it. When Kate came back to Plainfield, the watch was missing. Last evening Mrs. Blauvelt came to this city to attend the Seminary soiree. She passed the evening at Mrs. Taylor's, and spoke of the loss of the watch and her suspicion that Kate had taken it. Mrs. Taylor said that Kate had been wearing a watch since her return. Together they taxed Kate with the theft, which she stoutly denied. She said the watch she had been wearing belonged to her brother-in-law. She persisted in her denial for a long time, but when threatened with arrest she finally owned up to taking the watch, which she then gave up. She should be very thankful to both Mrs. Blauvelt and Mrs. Taylor that she was not arrested, and must now suffer the consequences of her crime. She, however, did not seem to be in the least penitent, and when discharged said she could immediately get another place. The place will probably not be in Plainfield.

The State School Funds.

The State Board of Education yesterday received to invest $250,000 in Government bonds. They will then find investment for $420,000 of the sum lying idle in the school fund; about $100,000 will still remain idle, however. The Boards finds great difficulty in investing the interest of the school fund, so as to realize any income from it, and the accumulation is so rapid that the loss to the fund from money lying idle is considerable. An effort will be made to secure the repeal of the law prohibiting the investment of the fund in bonds and mortgage.

School Children on a Picnic.

The spacious grounds of Mrs. George Lisignola, at Netherwood avenue and East Front street, were gay yesterday with the young misses who are pupils of the Misses Butler's school. The occasion was the annual picnic of the school, which has come to be a very pleasing feature of the school year. There were about thirty-five children present during the day.

THE BOROUGHITES VICTORIOUS.

North Plainfield Rises One Round in the Ladder of Fame.

The residents of North Plainfield were thoroughly aroused yesterday, indeed more so than at the Presidential election. The occasion for this was the second balloting to test the feelings of the people on the question of incorporating the thickly-settled portion of the township as a borough. The exponents and the opponents of the scheme were out in large numbers, and the voting was lively.

On counting the ballots at the close of the polls it was found that 497 votes had been cast, of which the boroughites had secured 248 and the opponents of the measure 219. *The boroughites thus won by a majority* of 29. P. M. French and Frank Whitely acted as Inspectors and H. N. Spencer as Clerk.

The next step to be taken toward bringing forward the consummation devoutly to be wished by 29 majority is not known to the majority of the voters and is awaited with interest.

It is not saying that time brings its own revenge. It would be a strange and rather awkward fate, indeed, if at the coming election for borough officers, an anti-boroughite should be chosen to the position of mayor.

Such an idea is suggested by one anti-boroughite, for one has been found to-day opposed to progress, and in favor of keeping a thriving town of nearly four thousand inhabitants in the garb of a backwood village. Scarcely anyone is willing to admit this morning that he opposed the granting of what *citizens who have labored so earnestly for* the general welfare of the community, and who will no doubt see that proper men are elected to give practical benefit to yesterday's result.

The defeat of the boroughites at the first election for a borough was undoubtedly due to the matter not being understood. Even at the election yesterday, there were many good citizens who opposed the scheme because glaring falsehoods emanating from city tongues to be well disguised had misled them. Voters are too intelligent now-a-days to be swindled by roorbacks. The one issued in the anti-borough circular was enough of itself to *defeat* the promoters upon the truth becoming known. Any measure which cannot be opposed honestly, by its friends, is usually safe to say is good enough to favor.

The men who favored the borough were satisfied from the start that it was the best system for the present to meet the wants of *the people, and the leaders of the movement* are of the same belief. Their friends have given only congratulate the pupils at "The Chestnuts," in having so able an instructor.

Of course the people have got all to say about the amount of money to be voted, the result of the election yesterday simply provided a means to that end, and for the expenditure of the money for the benefit of the town, under the direction of townsmen of their own choosing.

The first election for a borough was held on Tuesday Feb. 17. The total number of votes polled was 541; borough 317; no borough 224; majority against borough 7.

No Quorum.

Owing to some misunderstanding between the members in regard to the meeting place, there was no meeting of the Fire Commissioners last evening. At eight o'clock a reporter of THE NEWS visited the city court room, the place where the meeting was to have been held, and found no one present but the janitor, who informed him that the Board was to meet in Alert Hose Co.'s house first, and come around there afterward. Upon visiting the latter place the reporter found two members of the Board, Messrs. Livingston and Brower, present. They waited until after the appointed hour, eight o'clock, and adjourned, no quorum being present.

At about quarter-past eight, President Jones and Mr. Morris, accompanied by Assessor Hubbard went to the city court room and when told about the other members having adjourned, were much surprised. President Jones said that it was always customary to wait for ten or fifteen minutes.

The June meeting of the Board is about the most important meeting the Board holds during the year, at that meeting the Assessment roll is presented for approval, which requires him to present them within sixty days after his election, and the Board confirm them. If the Board do not hold a meeting by June 11, it will be contrary to law. After looking over the books Messrs. Jones and Morris left.

The President stated that he would call a meeting for Thursday evening, and if a quorum can be secured the meeting will be held in time to comply with the law.

Postal Changes in New Jersey.

The Postmaster General has issued an order discontinuing the mail routes between the following points: Bridgeborough from Riverside; Bould Town from Tombertown; Cecil from Williamstown; Cinnaminson from Palmyra; Cohansey from Califon; Edgewater from Fairview; Evan's Mills from Mullica Hill; Fairmount from Rancocas; Greenwich from Stewartsville; Hackettstown from Mendecook; Hilton from Irvington; Lodi from railroad station; Montgomery from Nashanic; Mountainville from Lebanon; Mount Hope from Rockaway; Porter from Chester; Ferry from Palmyra; Scotland from Beverly; Smith's Mills; Wagaspeake from Warwick; and Willow Grove from Newfield.

Major General Plume.

Major General Plume last week issued orders directing the First brigade to go into camp at Sea Girt, from the 25th of June to noon of Saturday, August 15, to the morning of the following Saturday.

A game of base ball between Jersey City and Plainfield on the Hamilton Square Park for the benefit of the Hamilton Square Festival Fund will be played to-morrow.

[CONTRIBUTED.]

"YONDER."

BY Q. R. G.

Father I look to Thee calmly
For grave my bosom to stave,
Surely Thy arms are around me
The heavier portion to bear.

Briars and thorns shall not sting me,
The poison of self shall pass by,
And only the Mars of mercy
Shall descend from out the sky.

Even in the heart of the battle
While the sunday sun rides high,
God guides the course of the conflict
And the Angel of Faith sits nigh.

Faith without works fails fainting,
Works without Faith barren bare;
Heaven gives no answer our earthly pen
If our eyes are fixed firmly there.

Strawberry Festival.

An abundance of flags, Chinese lanterns, and plants, including magnificent ferns, tastefully arranged, music by Prof. Gutsman's orchestra, an attendance of men, women and children thronging out the doors, was the scene presented at the Warren Mission Chapel last evening on the occasion of the strawberry and ice cream festival, for the benefit of the Dunham Good Will Choristers, who were present in force. Such an attendance and entertainment alternately, including strawberries and cream in liberal doses.

To accommodate the constantly increasing numbers, even the entrance had to be improvised, benches being arranged for those who could not find room in the main parlors. *It was estimated that one thousand persons* were present during the evening.

The Choristers were kept too busy to figure up the financial results of their opening night, but about eleven o'clock, thoroughly tired, departed each unto his little cot, to dream over the sang sum realized, and prospectively the large increase to result from the gathering again of their friends, old and young and old and new, this evening, which will be the last night, when the sailing craft will probably fully equal that of last night, judging from the number who were a-ranged to attend. There will be good and instrumental music as before, and plenty of strawberries and cream.

The white coats in which the Choristers appeared last evening and which attracted considerable attention were furnished by Schwed Bros., of this city.

The following was the program rendered by the Choristers:

1. "Don't Leave Your Mother."
Solo—C. H. Farley, with full chorus.
2. "Whisper Softly, Mother's Dying."
Solo—E. Vail, with full chorus.
2. "Roses Underneath the Snow."
Quartett—C. H. Farley, H. Williams, John Hope, C. J. Ackerman.
4. "A Boy's Best Friend is His Mother."
Solo—John Hope, with full chorus.
5. "Pa's a Coming By an. By."
Solo—C. H. Farley, with full chorus.
6. "Sailing."
Solo—C. J. Ackerman, with full chorus.
7. "Kiss Me, Mother, Ere I Die."
Solo—J. H. Thompson, with quartette chorus, John Thompson, John Hope, H. Williams, C. J. Ackerman.

The Prizes Awarded.

The prizes awarded at the Warren Mission Industrial School last Saturday afternoon were as follows:

First prize for regular attendance (the girls having been present every Saturday during the year), Hattie Kreweson, Carrie Case, Lina Sargeant, Annie Bird, Emma Winnis, Lavina Westcott, Hattie Oblinger, Ella Bolsterle, Lizzie Bird, Minnie Bolsterle, Louie Kohler.

The second prize for attendance, (the girls having been absent but once during the year): Lulu Avery, Fannie Spencer, Carrie Kitchen, Fannie Staats, May DeFreest, Julia Frost, Maria Do d, Amelia, Kester.

Prize for bringing six new persons to scholars during the year: Hattie Oblinger.

Prizes for sewing: Felling, Amy Ryer; Hemming, Dottie Sears; Overhanding, Fannie Spencer; Darning, Annie Bird; Buttonhole, Lizzie Smith; Backstitching, Jennie Middleton; Over casting, Maude Gardner; Fancy stitches, Minnie Gardner.

The Late John N. Steiner.

John N. Steiner, whose death occurred yesterday afternoon, was one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Plainfield. He came to this city about thirty years ago, and has been engaged in business here ever since. He has held various positions of honor and trust. He was at one time a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, and also served as a Commissioner to the County Court of Appeals. He held various offices in the church of which he was a member. He was a respected member of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 35, F. and A. M., and at the time of his death was the Treasurer of Jerusalem Chapter. As a citizen he was highly respected by all who knew him. He was of a cheerful disposition and bright in his business. His funeral will take place from the Methodist Episcopal Church on Friday afternoon, at half-past two o'clock. He will be buried with Masonic rites by Jerusalem Lodge, in the Presbyterian Cemetery.

State Notes.

Pickpockets are plying their vocation in Newark's streets.

The steel season closes to-day. The catch has been poor the past two weeks.

It is reported that some parties are looking for minerals in Hackettstown, and have been engaged in boring for oil, on the Hazel farm, near Stoneberry.

At Passaic on Monday evening a Jewish thief stole money and jewelry from the house of Mr. Benjamin Mr. Benjamin in Lafayette-ave., and escaped.

Amanda Meyers, in whose house, on 10 Troy street, Jersey City, the bodies of Mrs. Hall and Miss Stevens were found, has been arrested for the murder of Mrs. Hall.

The pastors of the Methodist churches of the Jersey City district met in Hoboken yesterday and discussed matters relating to the church. Rev. Dr. Buckley presided. The meeting was opened and adjourned in particular of an informal character.

The Hoboken Common Council, after being forced to organize by an order from the Supreme Court, held a boisterous afternoon to make appointments for the city offices. They were deadlocked from the very beginning and stood four to four upon every ballot. They tried to elect a City Clerk, but failed and adjourned. The two factions are determined to fight for the spoils. It was only in the case of Joseph Winthal, the Assistant City Clerk, that there were unanimous. He was reappointed without a dissenting vote.

Caution.

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Deaths.

STEINER—On Tuesday, June 9, of acute pneumonia, JOHN N. STEINER, aged sixty-one years, six months.

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AN INITIATION.

STARTLING INCIDENT IN A COLLEGE SECRET SOCIETY.

Story of a Dealer in Regalia—Skeleton Said to Be a Part of the Stock —Imported from Europe's Catacombs.

[New York Sun.]

"The most successful initiation ceremony that I ever saw in a college secret society was one that was popular at an Ohio school until accident happened. Then part of it was dropped. That part was a skeleton."

The speaker was a dealer in society regalia. He continued:

"We were initiating a sturdy young fellow who said he didn't believe in spirits or anything supernatural and this is how we did it. He was stripped to the waist, one foot was bare, and he was carefully blindfolded. When we led him into the darkened lodge-room, where two guards grasped his arms firmly. As they led him slowly around the room one of them said, in a melancholy voice: 'My friend—for I can not yet call you brother—the journey of life is before you. Consider it. Life is what we make it, but trial must come, and sorrow and distress. Look well to your path-way.

"That injunction was rather aggravating to a man who was blindfolded and led by two strong companions who were guiding him to a short, smooth plank at an angle of forty-five degrees. 'Man rises suddenly in life,' said the guide as the victim stumbled up the plank, 'an quickly drops into a pit-fall and is lost.' With the last word he tilted the plank from the plank to a hassock placed on edge, which rolled away and let him sit down on the floor.

"He was picked up and led on as the guide said: 'The path may be smooth for a time, but obstructions are sure to lie across it, and then the victim stumbles.' He then stepped over a ladder supported three inches above the carpet, while his conductors groaned in unison. 'Even in trouble he finds himself a man, he called upon to help a brother, and his he should do to the utmost,' said the guide, who helped himself to the victim's pocket-knife. 'Lack of aid comes Death. He is terrifying at best, but should it be your fate to meet him alone show yourself a man, for a crown awaits you beyond.'

"The victim had been led through double doors, into the closet. The twine that held the hoodwink over his eyes was loosened. The doors closed melodiously, and the guide and other officers of the lodge placed their eyes at the peep-holes. For a moment the victim stood motionless; then the hood-wink dropped off. He rubbed his eyes with his hand, and then his jaw dropped. A blue light flamed in the skull of the skeleton before him, and poured out of the eyes and through the peculiarly marked teeth, that were opened half an-inch. The air of the blue-lined closet seemed to wave and dance as the bony arm of the skeleton was slowly raised until the fleshless hand rested on the young man's shoulder. Then the melancholy voice said: 'I am thy fate.'

"The victim drew his hand slowly across his forehead, and then over his eyes, and looked again at the skeleton more closely. Then he said: 'At last!' and fainted.

"As I said, part of our ceremony had to be dropped. The victim was not frightened; he had recognized his father's skeleton."

"Do regular business secret societies use skeletons in their ceremonies?"

"Certainly. There are several orders that use them. Some have them in plain white stantly. They are packed in half-length cases, made of pine or walnut, and are shipped by express all over the country."

"Some skeletons are plain with steel articulations; others have silver-plated articulation, and where there is likely to be no strain the hinges may be made of silver. Some of these high-priced skeletons are carefully polished and glazed in the light of the lodge-room. Fine ones go with high-priced goods."

"How high-priced?"

"A fine skeleton, elegantly mounted, will cost as much as $50. A specially strong and able to stand the racket of the goat's attacks may be had for $30."

"Makes business for the resurrectionists?"

"No, it does not. These skeletons are all imported, and are taken from the catacombs of the old country. There is no tariff to protect home industry in skeletons, and we can import them cheaper than we could dig them here. The demand is very irregular, according as an order is spreading or not. They are shipped all parts of the country impartially, and are very effective in saving a fresh candidate for light and instruction."

Remarkable Mechanical Accuracy.

[New York Sun.]

An interesting comparison in the mechanical work of past and present times is presented in the claim made by James Watt, namely, that he had attained remarkable accuracy in boring a cylinder of a steam engine and fitting the piston so closely that "the thickness of a half crown could not be introduced between them," and the fact that standard gauges are now made that show errors of 1-1,00,000 of an inch. Such work is positively exactly to 1-50,000 of an inch.

Such accurate work is not, however, generally necessary, except in the construction of gauges, the standard gauges being the means provided for keeping or producing within proper, useful, and practicable bounds thousands of pieces of the same size and shape, in which oftentimes a certain amount of variation is allowed, both plus and minus. A certain amount of looseness is to be allowed, for instance, in the fit of journals and bearings, the amount to be determined according to the length and size of the journal; but this variation is to be referred to some particular gauge as a standard, hence the value of accuracy in the latter.

The Doolittle's Secret.

[Chicago Times.]

Paul de Cassagnac, usually noted as journalist, politician, and duelist, says his skill with the sword is not due to assiduous practice in youth. "I never was a good fencer," he says, "and never cared to be. I fenced only to amuse myself. All that is said about my master tricks is pure invention. The whole secret is this: I am pretty strong and very quick of hand and eye. Then, I don't mind getting hurt. If I am proud of anything it is of being a good shot. I modestly consider myself one of the best in France."

But One Survivor.

[Texas Siftings.]

Parson Wheagdoodle Baxter distinguished himself once more at the funeral of an aged colored man: "Our deceased brudder was married fosh time during his life," said Wheagdoodle, "but only one ob dem wimmen am so fortunate as to be able to survive him long enough to be present on dis heah solemnious occashun."

Lost His Head.

[New York Graphic.]

"Yes," he observed, "I was more than surprised. I had my head."

"Ah!" she returned, with an aggravating look, "who told you?"

WHICH IS THE STRONGER?

A Woman's Way of Putting the Question—Weak Women Indeed!

[Annie E. Noxon in St. Louis Republican.]

Once more the stout wire-nerved, limber-toed, iron-hinged man performing in the arena of private life is asked to come to the mourners' bench and contrast his accoutrements with those of his weak, feeble, and nerve-shot sister woman, and to see himself whether or not the king of beasts as he is—he thinks he could frolic around with all his muscles, tendons, sinews of war, and solid flesh if he were compelled from back to heel as woman is. He may claim six feet in his stockings, or as many as a centipede if his pleases, but he will tell you that he can't leap-ring worth a baubee unless he lowers a notch in his suspenders. He may be able to wrestle with Truth and throw it like a Herkimith but he first demands a ring, fair play, and no tight waistbands.

His cranium wouldn't be worth an empty cocoanut for mathematics if it done long, crooked hairpins were jabbing his thinking apparatus. He will not be his below the belt, and he takes off the belt when the mark has been sufficiently made in that region. In fact, man is a pretty good forty-horse power engine without harness—all his trammels gone and a space to move in left him. But hamper him in, roof him, buckle, strap and shackle him as women are; stick wires in his brains, gird in his lungs, liver, heart, spleen and stomach with no more chance for a good, long, yard-wide breath than a thaw would have in his iron coffin, then turn him loose.

Pin his arms to his sides in tight gros-grain silk sleeves, choke his Adam's apple in a No. 10 collar clenched with a diamond button. Pinch him in most where he lives and when he does tremble and the cold sweat runs off his ample brow, add one more indignity—nay, fifty others—in the shape of tight, stiff undergarments, bustles, lop sided from their own heftiness, plait after plait of heavy woolen, bouffant fatness of cashmere, all in a weak spot, just where nature never expected to give way and curve like a ram's horn if pressed too much. Then loose what there is left of him in jutted Jersey as heavy as a coat of armor or cuirass of Charlemagne, weighted down with long spikes, balls, tassels, and chunks of jet.

Put on him elbow kid gloves so tight as to give his thumb a deathly cholera-infantum grip in two seconds; put on his head a bonnet prickled with burrs and stalkey with beads; tie this under his left ear in a knot which threatens strangulation —then ask him to maneuver, jump dances, romance, fight, wrestle, play copenhagen, leap-frog, or any of his gymnastics, and watch this giant fall down right away in a fit and grow black in the face. Poor, weak woman, indeed!

Tobacco and His Cigar.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

There are ministers of religion to-day indulging in narcotics, dying by inches, and they do not know what is the matter with them. Dr. Talmage says he has his own experience. It took ten cigars to make a sermon. I got very nervous. One day I awakened to the outrage I was inflicting upon myself. I was about to change settlements, and a generous wholesale tobacconist in Philadelphia said if I would only come to Philadelphia he would send me the rest of my life provided me with cigars free of charge. I said to myself: "If in these war times, when cigars are so costly and my salary so small, I could smoke ten cigars a night what would I do if I had gratuitous and illimitable supply! And then and there, twenty-five years ago, I threw away the stub and never, in all the years since, have I smoked a cigar. It made a new man of me, and then as I have since then done as much hard work as any one I think I have had the best health God ever blessed a man with.

"Literary Syndicates."

[Mark Twain in Pittsburg Dispatch.]

These combinations of newspapers which print stories and sketches once a week will, it seems to me, give rising and capable writers the field they desire as well as the market. Charles Dudley Warner told me of these syndicates which is in charge of Thornydyke Rich, of The North American Review. He has fifteen of the leading papers of the country which pay liberally for a page of matter either for their Sunday issue or for any other day they may select. The idea is, I believe, to give at least one sketch or story by some very well known writer in each issue, and to give other artists the same page by clever people not so well known. This will bring into Mr. Rice's hands about $10,000 a month to pay his corps of writers. He can pay them just as good if not better prices than any of the magazines, and besides he can handle matters of passing interest before the magazine gets at them.

A Solemn Question.

[Boston Record.]

A distinguished Boston divine of unusually solemn and impressive appearance went out to a country town not long ago to lecture. He arrived early in the afternoon, and all the town of course spotted him within five minutes as a very great and very solemn personage.

He went into a drug store, and, in tones that froze the young blood of the clerk behind the counter, said:

"Young—man—do—you—smoke?"

"Y—yes, sir, said the trembling clerk; "I'm sorry, but I learned the habit young and haven't been able to break it yet."

"Then," said the great divine, without the movement of a muscle or the abatement of a shade of the awful solemnity of his voice, "can you tell me where I can get a good cigar?"

Overloaded with Freight.

[Chicago Ledger.]

A medical journal fills several pages with scientific jaw-breakers trying to explain why it is that the percentage of bow-legs is eight times greater among boys than girls. The reason adduced is purely scientific, and altogether unintelligible to the average mind. It browns around in search of herbage of a common-sense nature. Any mother who has ever turned a boy's pockets wrong side out can throw more light on the question than all the doctors.

Wasn't Responsible.

[Reading Times.]

Judge—Murphy, you are drunk again. M.—Yes-h, your ronor. J.—Didn't you solemnly promise me when I let you off last time that you would never get drunk again? M.—Yash, your-ronor, but I was drunk at the time, your-ronor. I wushn't 'sponsible for what I said.

Unsung Songs.

"Are you at all esthetical in your tastes?" she asked, with a sprightly manner, as she moved toward the piano. "Well, a little," he answered. "I'm esthetical to the extent of having an admiration for unsung songs." There is a great gulf fixed between them which nothing can bridge.

Delaware's Big Peach Tree.

The "boss" peach tree in the Delaware region, according to local fame, is a tree eight or ten inches through, and hoary with age. Last season it yielded eight crates of merchantable fruit, besides a bushel and a half picked from the ground.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

The English Crisis.

By United Press to THE NEWS.

LONDON, June 10.—There is little change in the ministerial crisis to-day. Mr. Gladstone's presence in London is considered as an indication that the Queen has not yet reached a decision. The statement in this morning's Standard that Mr. Gladstone went to Balmoral and presented his resignation in person is now denied.

Advices from Dublin state that Earl Spencer continues at his post.

Considerable space in this morning papers is given to the discussion of the Cabinet situation. No predictions as to the final settlement is advanced, however.

A Noted Horse-Thief Captured.

SAN ANTONIA, Texas, June 10.—Doc. Harris, the notorious leader of a gang of horse-thiefs, now operating in Western Texas was captured by Capt. Smith of the State rangers and brought in and surrendered yesterday to the Sheriff of this County. There are thirteen separate indictments hanging over Harris, the aggregate sentences under which would amount to about 200 years' imprisonment.

Death of a Veteran Editor.

ELIZABETH, June 10.—The veteran editor, Secchi Di Casolia, a warm friend of Garibaldi, died this morning in this city. He was to have had the remains of Piero Maroncelli, the celebrated patriot and fellow prisoner of Silvio Pittico, from Greenwood Cemetery to Forli, Italy, this year, where an imposing celebration was to take place.

A Steamer Burned.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 10.—The Peerless, the best passenger steamer on the Lower Ottawa, was destroyed by fire last evening about 20 miles below this city. The students of the Ottawa College numbering about 400, were on board at the time but escaped without loss of life. The vessel was valued at $50,000 and was insured.

Appointments by the President.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 10.—The President to-day appointed the following named persons Collectors of Internal Revenue: J. T. MacGonigle, 9th District, Pennsylvania; Alcilla Cox, 5th District, Kentucky; George N. Davis, 4th District, Michigan. J. T. MacGonigle is an ex-Mayor of Lancaster, Pa. 11

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[The Advance.]

I know that deep within your heart of hearts
You hold no desired apart from common things,
And that my step, my voice, can bring to you
A pleasure that no other presence brings.

And yet, dear love, through all the weary days
You never speak one word of tenderness,
Nor stroke my hair, nor softly clasp my hand
Within your own in loving, mute caress.

You think, perhaps, I should be all content
To know so well the loving place I hold
Within your heart, and woo no not dream
How much I long to hear the story told.

You can not know, when we two sit alone
And tranquil thoughts within your mind are stirred,
My heart is crying like a tired child
For one fond look, one gentle, loving word.

It may be when your eyes look into mine
You only say, "How dear she is to me!"
And, well assured it in your softened glance,
How radiant this plain old world would be!

Perhaps, sometimes, you breathe a silent prayer
That choicest blessings unto me be given,
But if you said aloud, "God bless thee, love,"
I should not ask a greater boon from Heaven.

I worry sometimes of the rugged way,
But also you say, "Though the journey dim
Its is a sweet,"
The straitest desert that our path could cross
Would suddenly grow green beneath my feet.

'Tis not the bountiful waters ocean holds
That give refreshing to the thirsty flower,
But just the drops that, rising to the skies,
Pass down descend in softly falling showers.

What matter that our granaries are filled
With all the richest harvest's golden hue,
If we who own them can not enter in,
But faint-hot stand before the close-barred door,

And so 'tis sad that those who should be rich
In that true love which crowns our earthly days
Go praying with white lips from day to day
For love's sweet tokens, and receive them not.

BARNUM'S PRIZE BABY.

The Winner of $100 and a Gold Badge Turns Up Unexpectedly.

[London Truth.]

The real name of Perugini, the tenor, is Chatterton. He proves Wordsworth's saying that the child is the father of the man. He is, in a photo at present in my possession, a beautiful baby at the age of 3 years and 6 months was a first prize at Barnum's baby show. It was awarded him by a jury of twelve ladies, who all kissed each competitor, so he retains a vivid recollection of the ordeal. The prize was $100 and a gold badge.

When Barnum sailed last for Europe Perugini was in the same steamer. Meeting him on deck, the famous showman put his hands in his pockets, planted himself firmly on his feet, stared at the tenor, and said:

"Well, I guess this ain't the first time I've met you!" "No, Mr. Barnum, it is not. I am curious to see if you remember where the meeting was." Mr. Barnum thought and thought. "Perugini, Perugini," he cogitated. "I have seen the name in operatic advertisements, but I am not associate it with the face, which somehow I know well. Are you an Italian?" "No." "Well, then what were you?" "Baby silver." "Chatterton." "That's it! You're the prize baby." "Yes, Mr. Barnum, it is to you I owe my earliest success." "So it is, and I'm proud to know you acknowledge it."

A few days later an attempt was made to get up a concert on board. Barnum came to ask Perugini to be tenor soloist. He thought he was not well, needed to be praised. Said Barnum: "If you don't shake off that cold and sing, I'll tell how you were the baby of the baby exhibition." "For Heaven's sake don't. Keep silent about it, and you shall have the song. But you must be my sponsor." Barnum, therefore, on the morning of the concert, advanced to the place set apart for the singers, leading the handsome young tenor, and said: "Ladies and gentlemen: Allow me to present to you Sig. Perugini, whose first appearance in public took place under my auspices, under what circumstances you will soon see for I have the proof." Barnum told Perugini that he was the liquid-eyed juvenile he remembered him, pins a mustache. He has a fine voice and figure of the "beau ideal operatic tenor," and a voice sweet enough to melt the hearts of obdurate coquettes.

Not Sold Separately.

[London Letter.]

Those who deal in Bibles are just as cute as those who deal in tobacco. A great many people bought the new version of the New Testament when it appeared flattering themselves that they would buy the Old Testament when it came out, and thus have both parts. The English publishers, however, do not propose to have the Old Testament separated, and so obtain it purchasers will be obliged to buy the Bible.

Sugar as a Diet.

[Arkansaw Traveler.]

Dr. Phipson advocates, in a German medical journal, the general use of sugar as a regular article of diet. For forty years he has eaten at least a quarter of a pound daily, not counting sugar-forming substances in bread, vegetables, and fruit, and he found it very healthful. Man's condition would be greatly improved if the use of sugar should substitute that of alcohol.

To Distinguish Him.

[Alexander K. Sweet.]

It has become the custom to speak of a capable newspaper man as a "practical journalist" to distinguish him from the rest of the world. Colonel Forney is a practical journalist, and believes they could run a paper, if given a chance, just as easy as skipping on a banana peel.

A "Book Reception."

[Exchange.]

A new charity to relieve poverty-stricken authors has taken the form of a "book reception." A party is given by some leading lady, and each invited guest is expected to bring with him a book as a donation. A library for the benefit of the poor is in this way soon collected.

A Fine Picture.

[Harvard Lampoon.]

Cruess to Mr. Rankin De Vere, art critic] Now that's to call a fine picture! shows remarkable talent. My daughter painted that, sir, and I wouldn't take $200 for it. Why, the paint alone cost $150."

A Modern Incident.

Fashionable Ma—Children! children! stop that noise. Sit down and keep still. Don't you know Why, what's the matter, pa? Mamma Dimple is taking his nap.

An albino poplar—pure white with red spots—was exported a few days ago at Truckee valley, Nogs co., California.

FARMING IN MEXICO.

SLOVENLY AND STUPID METHODS IN AGRICULTURE.

Finest Adobe Soil—Trust Reposed in Water—Foods and Wooden Plows—A Fine Opening for American Inventions and Skill.

[City of Mexico Cor. New York Post.]

The poverty of Mexico may be traced directly to the slovenly system of farming which is there so universal. The agricultural resources of this land are enormous, as may be sufficiently proved from the fact that not over one-fifth of the best land on the great plateau is under the plow; and that one-fifth supports the millions of people with a style of farming that in California was utterly worthless and would produce starvation in the less favored parts of New York or Illinois in a year. Vast tracts of the finest adobe soil on a belt of more certain and abundant rains than any part of the east enjoys in summer lie yet unbroken and used only for stock range. In the dryer sections of the northern parts millions of acres that would raise good crops in three years out of five with good cultivation would raise something in the other two, millions more than that could be irrigated if the waters were properly distributed, as in California, instead of being wasted, now lie in the same way.

Of cultivation the Mexican as a rule knows absolutely nothing. His only conception of the utility of plowing is to scratch up enough loose earth to cover the seed. Occasionally a corn-field is seen in which the plow may have been put once after the seed has been sown, but in the great majority of fields the ground is never touched after planting. The time for after planting is never given to water. It the rainfall is sufficient, well enough. But if it does not rain enough the ground is then drenched by irrigation, if the rainfall is insufficient the farmer in Mexico means enough to keep the ground wet all the time. Last fall they were complaining seriously about the dryness of the season, and in fact, yet the gauge showed a fall of sixteen inches in the valley of Mexico during the five growing months, more than that of the eastern states got three years out of five. As the Mexican average is about twenty-four inches, with a maximum of thirty-six, it is easy to understand why they would think it utterly quite low. But I did not see a corn-field south of Texcoco that would not have made a fair crop if it had been properly tilled in and attended. Of cultivation to keep the ground moist and to loosen it so that the plant-roots may penetrate it the Mexican never dreams.

Nearly all of the plowing is done with wooden plows made on the farms by the peons, or Indian laborers. A stick of hard wood four or five inches in diameter is sharpened and to which is sometimes shod with iron. About the middle of this the beam is attached and at the back end a single handle. His stick is the point to which the oxen's horns are lashed with rawhide. The poen then takes the handle in his right hand and a long goad stick in his left. The plow makes a round-bottomed gutter in the ground two or three inches deep, sometimes deeper if the ground is in good condition, the gutter is about as straight as a rut in a New Jersey clay road and varies about the same in depth. The ridge of hard earth that remains between these gutters varies in width from an inch to four or five inches at the top. Upon this the seed is quite apt to be dropped occasionally, but it is difficult to see how it can do much more than in the furrow with its hard bottom and sides. It is no wonder the native feels compelled to drench the ground with water from the ditches, if for a week or so the usual afternoon showers should hold off. Nothing but plenty of water could raise a crop on land so tilled, and the wonder is that even that can do it. The amount of produce that is raised even by this miserable system is amazing. It is doubtful if any part of the United States can show a heavier yield of corn and wheat to the acre for a series of years than Mexico in those portions where there is sufficient rain.

The owners and superintendents of the great ranches of Mexico are quite ready to adopt American machinery, but being generally of native birth and education they have been the rolling of cigarettes, neither knows any more of its use than the peons to whom it is turned over. The reaper machine may last a week or two if the peons do not in the meantime fish the bolts and other movable parts, which they are quite likely to do if it is not kept under lock and key. The American plow the laborers have no prejudice whatever, and seem to make a fair effort to use it. The left hand man, however, be free for the goad, or the oxen would stop. The peon therefore tries to manage the plow with one hand. Finding the handle inconvenient, and one of them militating against his ribs occasionally, he cuts it off. The plow, of course, runs every bit straight and is even in depth, and as it does not throw the work than the old wooden one it is soon cast aside.

It seems no better with the silky-plow. At an hacienda I saw two dozen fine American silky-plows, all in line upon one ranch, running a black adobe, about six inches after the native hoe had passed over it. In a farmer of any depth needed at least four stout horses. To each plow was attached a pair of 800-pound cattle, and a fat peon, himself a load for three, rectined luxuriously in the shade. The plows tore the ground up in broad flakes about two inches thick. Half an inch more would have smashed the cattle in proper class of immigrants. A European thus if he remains in Tuscany more than two years. And among "circuit riding" preachers, who are accustomed to ride a circuit of 500 miles, and to preach from two to four times a day, and be for more than two years, we can not think of any class of men who would care to sojourn in that country."

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CRUSOE'S BONANZA.

Pioneer Who a Sharper and His Shovel Find Me Out His Mine.

[Portland News.]

On Saturday there arrived at the Gilman hotel, in this city, a venerable looking, outdoor-mine-hobbling man, about 70 years of age, who took a $1 room. That new arrival was Thomas Cruse, the man who had sold the Drum Lummond mine, in Montana for $1,600,000. It was noticed during the millionaire's presence in the house that he spent no money that he could possibly avoid. On Tuesday he left for his home in Montana.

A gentleman was met who knew Mr. Cruse well, and he said: "Yes; I am well acquainted with him. For the past twenty-five years he has been a prospector in Montana and Idaho, and his present success is due to the fact that he is one of those fellows that get hold and never let go. Why, it is twenty years since he struck the mine that he sold for more than a $1,500,000. In order to develop it he would work for a while for others to obtain a stake for grub, tools and powder. Then he would put in his time on the mine until his funds were exhausted.

"Finally he struck pay dirt and his enthusiasm knew no bounds, and for two or three years before he sold out he made a fortune out of it by extracting a few hundred pounds of ore and taking it to his cabin and reducing it to a pulp in a mortar and washing out the gold into a bowl pan. You see the mine, although rich, could not be properly developed without capital.

"Being of a secretive disposition, he had a fear at the success of his secret treasure, which he kept locked at all times, and the miners used to facetiously call the place 'Crusoe's prison.' The story of the great richness of the mine spread far and wide, and big offers were made for it. Among those who made an offer for the mine was Mackay of Bonanza fame, but the hardy prospector knew full well the value of his find, and would not sell until he got his figure. Cruse was a sharper when it came to a deal and dealt to a finish. Had it been me I would have sold out long ago.

"Finally an English syndicate commenced to negotiate with the lucky prospector, and at one time negotiations reached such a stage that the papers were drawn up and read to Cruse, who was also represented by his attorney. A clause in the agreement was read by which the purchasers could buy the one-sixth interest he retained should they so desire. This jarred on the old man's ears like the false note to an orchestra leader.

"'I want that stricken out and I'll give you just five minutes to do so. If you don't the jig is up,' sententiously said the man who had waited twenty years for a purchaser.

"'Well, but that's a mere formality, and it's not likely the company will want to press you out,' said the representative of English capital. This sort of expostulation was kept up until the hands on the clock marked the expiration of the fateful five minutes.

"'The jig's up,' slowly and sternly said Cruse.

"And indeed it was, and the failure to accede to the request made by Cruse cost $100,000 extra, and it was several months before re resumed negotiations. Had the clause been struck out, five-sixths of the mine could have been purchased for $1,500,000, but when the negotiations were resumed $1,600,000 was asked and received for five-sixths of the Drum Lummond mine."

How They Address the President.

[Washington Correspondence.]

Dropping in on Col. Lamont the other day, he was opening the mail, he remarked:

"Isn't it funny what queer ideas some people have about directing letters to the President. Most people think they must elaborate the address to the president. Look at these for instance:

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To his Excellency Mr. Cleveland.

The Hon. Grover Cleveland, Esq.

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The Hon Mr. Cleveland, Esq., as President Hayes.

To the President.

Mr. Grover Cleveland, White House.

His Excellency the Honorable President of the United States.

G. Cleveland, Esq., President.

Mr. Grover Cleveland, President United States.

His Honor Judge Cleveland, the President.

To our President, Gov. Cleveland.

Gen. Cleveland, the President. (Private.)

His Hon. Grover Cleveland, the President, at White House.

Funniest Thing in the World.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Mrs. Snivvely is the wife of the captain of the Dime Museum company. She attended a review not long since at which her husband was the commanding officer. Mrs. Snivvely laughed all the way home, and when, after she got home, she was asked what was the cause of her merriment, she replied: "It was the funniest thing in the world to see all the lofty American sulky-plows, all in line upon one ranch, running a black adobe, about six inches after the native hoe had passed over it. In a farmer of any depth needed at least four stout horses. To each plow was attached a pair of 800-pound cattle, and a fat peon, himself a load for three, rectined luxuriously in the shade. The plows tore the ground up in broad flakes about two inches thick. Half an inch more would have smashed the cattle in proper class of immigrants. A European thus if he remains in Tuscany more than two years. And among "circuit riding" preachers, who are accustomed to ride a circuit of 500 miles, and to preach from two to four times a day, and be for more than two years, we can not think of any class of men who would care to sojourn in that country."

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day a d for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stokes drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	50	6 a. m.	67
9 a. m.	62	9 a. m.	68
12 m.	69	12 m.	72
3 p. m.	76	3 p. m.	80

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise.....4 28 a. m.	Sunrise.....4 28 a.m.
Sun Sets.....7 31 p. m.	Sun Sets.....7 31 p.m.
Moon Rises 3.35 a.m.	Moon Rises.....p.m.

Chronological Events.

George I died 1727.—Jeannette destroyed 1882.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair, warmer weather.

For Friday—Fair weather is indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States.

JOTTINGS.

—Knox at Music Hall to-night.

—Somerset street is being treated to an overlay of crushed stone and dirt.

—The election for North Plainfield borough officers is to take place probably June 30.

—The Fire Board will meet this evening in the City Court room to examine the Assessor's books.

—Flower thieves are committing thefts of valuable plants on Franklyn Place. What are the watchmen doing?

—Col. Knox, of Texas Siftings, will hold forth in undimmed splendor at Stillman's Music Hall this evening.

—The speakers for the next Sunday evening meeting of the Reform Club are Rev. J. B. Cleaver, John Ulrich, and Alex. Titsworth.

—A little six year old girl from Westfield will appear at the Reform Club meeting this evening. Speeches are limited to five minutes.

—A number of clergymen of the Episcopal Church of the northern part of the State met at the Church of the Holy Cross in North Plainfield on Monday.

—A number of delegates from this city have been present the past few days at the annual session of the Young Men's New Jersey Baptist Association at Red Bank.

—A large number are being under instruction for confirmation in St. Mary's Church this week. Next Sunday the Bishop of the diocese will administer the rite.

—Joseph Sullivan and John Daly, of this city, indicted for assault and battery, were fined five Dollars at the session of the Court of Quarter Sessions at Elizabeth yesterday.

—Active work has been begun on the new depot at Railway. On Monday a force was at work on the foundations. It is expected that the building will be completed by the first of September.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the lecture room of the church this evening and to-morrow afternoon and evening.

—A crate of tomatoes fell from a truck on West Front street this morning and the contents played hide and seek with each other over the thoroughfare until the boy from the truck picked them up.

—The double combination at Music Hall of Col. Knox and Bradford Williams, is offered at the lowest prices asked by the Music Hall Association. Admission is 35 cents and the best reserved seats 50 cents.

—A weak-fish was caught at Woodbridge which last week weight three and a half pounds. For which he received the prize of $10, offered each season, for the first weak-fish caught on a hook and line.

—THE PLAINFIELD NEWS came to us a few days ago enlarged by the addition of a column to each page. This is a good evidence of the success of the enterprise, and we extend our congratulations to Bro. Morrison. —Somerset Messenger.

—The funeral services of the late John N. Steiner, are to take place first by a short service from the German language, by the Rev. Mr. Koechli, at the residence of deceased, at half-past one o'clock to-morrow, and, afterward in English at the Methodist Church, at 2.30 o'clock. The services in German is in accordance with the request made by deceased a few days before his death.

—Dr. Edward V. Stryker of Nashanic was taken to the Morris Plains asylum on Tuesday of last week by Officer Crow. He was sent by order of the Union county authorities. The doctor was formerly a resident of Westfield and was at one time the owner of considerable property and one of the coroners of this county. He has lived at the Nashanic about six years.

—The war in Linden, in this county, over the dismissal of the principal and first assistant of the Linden school house has been going on steadily for some time and many of the residents are in favor of retaining the officials, but two of the trustees are set against them. To-night the residents of the township will hold a mass meeting in the school house, when an effort will be made to reinstate the teachers.

—The statement in our issue of yesterday concerning a pool match to be played in the evening at Flemington and which was said to be open to players in Somerset and Hunterdon Counties was published on the authority of a Flemington paper. One of North Plainfield's best players went to Flemington for the purpose of competing in the match, and was astonished to find that only residents of Hunterdon County were allowed to enter. The story that the publication in the paper there was an error.

Personal.

Wheaton S. Lowry and family, of Park avenue, have gone to Sinister Island for a week's airing.

E. V. Shotwell and wife, of North Plainfield, have gone west to visit their children in Chicago and Dakota.

Frank W. Smurce, of Madison avenue, has gone to New York State for the Summer to recruit. He will spend a portion of his time at Cornell University, of which institution he is a graduate.

Congressman Robert S. Green of this District and Prosecutor of the Pleas W. R. Wilson of this county, by an inscription invitation, were at the farewell banquet tendered to Hon. S. S. Cox, the newly-appointed minister to Turkey.

C. Frank Goddard, a graduate of the High School, Class '81, and a former resident of this city, was awarded the history scholarship of the Sophomore Class of Columbia College at the annual commencement exercises at the Academy of Music last evening.

Charles H. Mapes, at one time a member of Class '80 of the High School and who formerly resided here, received the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the commencement exercises of Columbia College, at the Academy of Music, New York, last evening. He was of the second class honorees.

Samuel S. D. V. Burr, of this city, associate editor of the Scientific American, and a draughtsman of more than ordinary ability, was selected by the Bartholdi Pedestal Committee, to make mechanical drawings illustrating, from the originals, the "method of construction of the statue." Mr. Burr has spent months at the work and the result of his labor appears in the Scientific American of June 13, and gives a better conception than anything we have yet seen of the magnitude and imposing grandeur of the complete statue on the pedestal. All of Mr. Burr's drawings are drawn to scale, and show all the interior bracing of the figure of Liberty, by which the big lady in copper is expected to preserve her equilibrium. Her stupendous size may be appreciated by the statement that she will accommodate 40 persons inside her head. She is certainly very accommodating. We could accommodate 40,000 "in our mind," and not have a swelled head either. But her nose! Mr. Burr might have given a separate view of this. It is three feet, seven inches long. When she blows it, if the noise is anything in proportion to her size, great will be the sound thereof, and as to the snoring, well—we have no doubt she can have the couch all to herself. Bully to return to Mr. Burr, he has done something to his credit as a Plainfielder, and it must contribute to his fame all over this great nation. All American citizens will be interested in such an exhibit of the detail of construction of such a magnificent work.

The Choristers' Festival Closed.

Warren Mission Chapel, North Plainfield, presented to-night the same appearance last evening as that of the evening before, except that the large crowd was expected and ample provision had been made to receive them. The bright and inspiriting music by the orchestra under the direction of Prof. Guttman and the young people feel very lively, and the constant laughter and buzz of conversation testified to the agreeable manner in which the time was being passed. The number present was nearly as large as the evening before. The Choristers, under the efficient leadership of Marvin M. Dunham, rendered a number of selections during the early part of the evening, which were most favorably received. The finances of the Choristers will undoubtedly be largely increased by the two evenings of strawberries, cream and enjoyment, and much new and good music for their use will be the result.

Officers of the Firemen's Relief Association.

At the meeting of the Firemen's Relief Association in the parlors of Gamble Co.'s house last evening officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: T. O. Doane, President; W. R. Cook, Vice-President; Edward Mosher, Secretary; J. A. Hubbard, Treasurer; A. L. Carney, W. H. Cook and A. Hubbard, Finance Com.; B. A. Hungerford, James Connealy and William Harding, Relief Com. The Treasurer's report showed the Association to be in a flourishing condition.

The School Census.

Assessor Hubbard has completed the school census. It is as follows: 1st Ward, 554; 2d Ward, 508; 3d Ward, 456; 4th Ward, 795. This makes a total for the city of 2,324 children between the ages of 5 and 18. In 1884 the number was 2,260, or 64 less.

—The New York Tribune says the North Plainfield borough excuse was simply to provide a few politicians with office. The common politician of the present day is usually a pothous demagogue. But the kind of politicians who made the borough are honorable men working for the good of the community, and instead of the office being an honor or of profit to them they would as all men should be an honor and profit to the office. The Tribune should know that most of the men in power are small-fry politicians, are among the best New York business men, and it would be a blessed good thing for the great city of New York, if its political affairs were managed by men of as good calibre. Plainfield and North Plainfield are to be congratulated on having so large a proportion of just that class of men who are contributing to the development of this naturally beautiful locality far more than it would have been developed without them. The people endorse them and know what they are about. The Tribune this morning corrected its statement of yesterday.

—Three of the Elizabeth bicyclers have made 103 miles within the twenty four hours and one has ridden thirty miles without a dismount. One Plainfield man rode 102 miles within the twenty-four hours and seeing many more on the road.

Mapes and English.

[From J. F. of Railway.]

A large audience assembled at the Second Presbyterian Church, Railway, Monday evening to listen to the oft-heard temperance evangelists, pioneer, Mapes and English. After the opening exercises Mr. Mapes began his address. He said that the temperance work, to progress as it should, must use both arms—moral suasion and legal suasion; the first for the liquor-drinker, the second for the liquor-seller. Either will be useless alone, but both together will work mighty results. This liquor traffic must be destroyed, for it is robbing our country of everything good, and true, and noble. The bar is not a necessity to the hotel, and high license is a companion with Satan. American people have an American way of accomplishing reforms—they vote for them. Much can be done at local elections by placing only temperance men on the ticket, and then electing them. In a question of license to the house, party feeling must be done away with. Be honest with your own conscience, and God will give the best man the victory in the end.

Mr. English sung "Which way is your master going to-day," which was received with much applause.

After a collection, Mr. English addressed the audience and kept their attention throughout by his apt illustrations and irresistible wit, calling forth much laughter and applause. The Glee Club sung "Out of Darkness into Light," and Mr. English in a very impressive manner sung "The Demon of Rum." Mr. Mapes then offered the pledge, saying that the banner clubs of the State are Plainfield, Railway, Montclair and Freehold. Mr. Brandreth, by an earnest appeal for signers, and Mr. Liggett closed the meeting with the benediction.

The Somerset Freeholders.

At the regular monthly meeting on Tuesday of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders the County Collector reported having received quarterly bill for care of lunatics ($2,160) and was authorized to borrow $6,000 in anticipation of taxes.

Messrs. Hardgrove, Haver and Jones were appointed a Committee on Discharge of Prisoners.

Mr. Conkling reported that the joint committee on the bridge between Morris and Somerset counties, at Odgen's mill, had contracted for an iron structure.

It was ordered that tramp bills be paid according to former resolution of board—50 cent. on the dollar.

A good picket fence was ordered to be built on rear of county grounds and the fence on lane was ordered to be repaired.

The board adjourned to meet Wednesday, June 17, at bridge near Adam Craig's, between Somerset and Union counties.

Masonic.

The report of the proceedings of the M. W. Grand Lodge of New Jersey has been issued and copies are now being distributed to the subordinate lodges. It is a volume of 300 pages and contains portraits of Past Grand Masters Robert Ruding and Hamilton Willis. The total membership of the order in this State is 12,360, in affiliation with 155 lodges. There are seven lodges in the State with a membership of over 200—Eureka, of Newark, standing at the head with 209. Camden Lodge has 334; Northern, of Newark, has 210; and Trenton, 218. The smallest lodge is the youngest, Hopewell, No 155, which has only 15 members. During the year 583 were raised to the degree of Master Mason, 199 had affiliated, 179 damitted, 229 were suspended, 3 expelled, and 149 died.

A Reported Drowning Accident.

Last evening about nine o'clock a small boy coming from Stein's bridge, a place frequented by boys for bathing purposes, rather excited people by giving an account of a person being drowned there but a short time before. He said he was picking strawberries near by when he heard a cry for help. He ran to the place and saw several bubbles on the surface of the water and a fish and hook floating near. The supposition is he had been fishing and had fallen in. Justice Mattison was notified and although unable to go himself he secured a number of others to drag the brook for the supposed body. This was done, and the party stayed at the place until about eleven o'clock without securing any further proof that a person had been drowned.

Four Fingers Cut Off.

James Furry, a workman at Spicer and Hubbard's planing mill, attempted to adjust the knives of a planer while the machine was in motion about eight o'clock this morning. In some way his hand came under the knives, and four fingers of his right hand were cut off at the knuckles. Drs. Tomlinson and Endicott were summoned and attended to the injury. Mr. Furry was sent to his home at Board Brook.

A Nuisance.

A lady called at the police office this morning to make complaint against a lot of loafers who sit nightly on the steps of the First National Bank and whose insulting remarks, profanity and indecent conversation is disgusting in the extreme. The police would do well to drive this nuisance away and thereby relieve further insult to ladies and having their names shocked by the filthiness of a foul-mouthed lot of fellows.

The New Grand Jury Room.

Work was commenced yesterday on the new Grand Jury room to be built over the Chosen Freeholders' room at the Court House. It will cost about $3,000. There is some talk of enlarging the County Jail, and some of the petit jurors of the last term complain that the jury rooms are too small and poorly ventilated.

During the absence of the family of Rev. P. C. Barnes, City Missionary, at No. 29 Lincoln avenue, Jersey City, yesterday, thieves broke into the house and carried away a number of articles of value.

Scout Pleasner Elopes.

Scout Pleasner, of the Salvation Army, who stayed a short time in this city and North Plainfield some time ago, and was finally compelled to leave by THE NEWS and Justice Mattison, who gave him twenty four hours to leave town, has appeared in a new role, as the following dispatch, which has appeared in the New York papers will show:

WILMINGTON, Del., June 9.—Great excitement was created here to-day by the announcement that Scout Leonard Pleasner, of the Salvation Army, eloped last night with handsome young Sarah Target. The fugitives went to Philadelphia, where they were married, and returned by a late train to this city.

When they were emerging from the railroad station they were met by the bride's father and brother. The latter took charge of his sister, and the irate father knocked the scout down and thrashed him unmercifully.

"I want my wife," cried the scout as he arose and faced his foe.

The girl, begging piteously to go with her husband, was taken home. Later she escaped and met the scout at the Salvation Army with a lady Salvationist. To-day she joined her husband and left for this city.

The commander of the Brooklyn Barracks says Pleasner is insane and has another wife living. He is about forty years old and his bride twenty. The elopement has resulted in the discharge of Pleasner from the army and the transfer of Captain Jennings to commanders of barracks in various parts of the country to not receive him.

Dragged by a Train.

Yesterday a German named Peter Bier, residing at Gall-ping Hill, near Roselle, ran after an outgoing passenger train on the P. and R. Railroad at Elizabeth, and attempted to get on. He grabbed the rail of the rear platform, but could not get on. The train was moving at a fair rate of speed. Bier stumbled but held on tightly until he was dragged to a short distance above the Union street crossing. His knee was cut and his face badly scratched. He was carried back to the depot, and his injuries attended to by Dr. Ewell, after which he was sent to the hospital.

State Notes.

The post office at Bertrand Island has been discontinued.

Coal sells for $3.25 per ton at Washington, Warren county.

The Harlor City Fair will be held on September 19, 21, 21 and 23.

There are 1,303 Jerseymen in the Government employ—mostly Republicans.

The corporate existence of the Cumberland National Bank has been extended to June 9th, 1905.

Subscriptions to the stock of the New National Bank at Moorestown, amounting to $50,000, have been secured.

A recent statement issued by the War Department shows that New Jersey furnished 91,015 troops during the late war.

The News Times of Vineland offers $25 in premium for the fair which will be held in that borough on September 8 and 9.

The Freeholders of Atlantic County have authorized Sheriff Lacy to put the county prisoners to work on the county farm property.

Sheriff Packer will undertake to suppress the desecration of the Sabbath at Red Bank, about which the residents have complained to him.

The new Monmouth Board of Freeholders will build a new iron bridge over Shark river at Ocean Beach. The contract price is $15,000.

William Mullen, a handsomely dressed young man, was convicted on six charges of forgery in the Hudson County Court of Sessions, Jersey City, yesterday.

Jacob Van Fleet, of Flemington, was raising on some pilings recently when one against which he was leaning broke and he fell in such a way as to break his leg below the knee.

Supt. Barton's report of the Jersey City schools shows an average daily attendance of 15,963 scholars for the past month. Many scholars had been refused admission. The number of scholars outnumbered the attendance almost eight hundred.

The commencement exercises at Pardee Institute, will begin on Friday evening and continue until Wednesday afternoon. There as an oration will be delivered before the Alumni Association by J. B. Endicott, and a poem will be read by Mrs Mary Allen of Atlantic Highlands.

A fire was discovered in a large dwelling house owned by the State, and used by the Lunatic Asylum, at Trenton yesterday. Men were seen running away from the place and when the fire was put out it was discovered before the Trenton department could reach the spot. The building had just been repaired at a large expense to the State. Loss is $10,000.

Elizabeth Hess, a female tramp, aged 35, was found dead in a hovel on Hilliard's farm, about two miles from Cranbury, on Monday. It is alleged that her husband brought a woman named Mary Clark from Philadelphia, and installed her in the hovel as the dead woman, and that since then their quarrels have been frequent. The prisoner is looking for Hess and the woman Clark.

General Kilpatrick's remains are still buried in Chili, though his friends hope that the movement to have his remains under the dome will be put the mortgage on the farm at Dechertown, and have his remains brought there. It will not take more than a small amount received by Thomas F. Magarem the treasurer, is $1,321.41, of which $1,300 was paid on the mortgage on the homestead.

The 110th annual session of the New Jersey State Medical Society closed last night at Cape May. Officers were elected and delegated as follows: President, Dr. Jerome Parish, of Bridgeton; vice-presidents, Dr. Charles J. Kipp, of Newark; Dr. John W. Ward, of the State Lunatic Asylum at Trenton; Dr. J. Mickle Taylor, of Camden; corresponding secretary, Dr. William Elmer, Jr., of Trenton; recording secretary, Dr. William Pancoast, of Camden; treasurer, Dr. W. L. Phillips, of Trenton.

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Deaths.

STEINER—On Tuesday, June 9, of acute pneumonia, John N. Steiner, aged 57 years, 6 months and 9 days.

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ENGLAND IN SUSPENSE.

STILL A MATTER OF CONJECTURE WHO WILL ASSUME OFFICE.

Generally Believed that the Tories will Advise the Present Ministry to Remain in Office for the Present—Survival of Republicanism.

LONDON, June 11.—Two days and nights have passed since the defeat of the government, and the plans and intentions of the ministry of the opposition are still as much as ever as much matters of mystery as they were at the moment when Mr. Gladstone, with well simulated surprise, turned pale, clutched at the air and gasped upon the turbulent mob which composed the house last Monday night.

Things are at a deadlock as far as the leaders of the two great parties are concerned through the unwillingness of the Liberals to abandon, and the reluctance of the Conservatives to assume, the responsibility of office. The initiative that shall settle the question must come from the outside. that is to say, from the queen. It is now admitted that all depends upon her majesty's action, and there is open grumbling at her absence in Scotland at this crisis. Explanation is given by even the most loyal newspapers that it is her duty to return forthwith to London or to Windsor, in view of the great delay likely to be caused by her absence. The house of commons had to be adjourned for three days instead of one, because the queen was 500 miles away. Every statesman whom she desires to see, and she will doubtless find a necessity for consulting with several of them, must make all haste to wait upon her majesty, and they cannot all be summoned at once, but each must wait until his predecessor's audience is finished. All this must greatly prolong the already long condition of semi-chaos in which the country is running itself, with practically no government in existence, and with the greatest anxiety for the patience of the people who long to see the crisis ended, one way or the other; must unsettle values and derange business, and must make it impossible for a thousand administrative details which are left at loose ends.

It is generally believed that the queen will advise the present ministry to remain in office until the approaching general elections give the country the means of deciding between them and the leaders of the opposition. This belief is greatly encouraged by her majesty's summons to Lord Carrington, the secretary for war, to come to Balmoral. It was also generally supposed that the queen on the resignation of the Beaconsfield ministry in April, 1880, the queen first sent for Lord Hartington to form a new cabinet, and it was not until after the office had been successively declined by Lord Hartington and the Earl of Granville that the premiership was conferred upon Mr. Gladstone.

Much of the hesitation of the Conservatives to accept office is the result of divided councils within their own party. The obstacle to their acceptance of office is said to be Lord Randolph Churchill. He is cordially disliked for his bumptiousness by a strong section of the party, but on the other hand he has been a most effective auxiliary during the Liberal defeat, and his claims to a good place in the cabinet are stronger than those of any other man of his years in the party. The issue which Lord Randolph selected as a test of his strength and individual following—that of coercion in Ireland—was the issue upon which the Liberals were already hopelessly divided on that subject, and most of its opponents will naturally gravitate to his leadership in default of any other. The defeat of the Liberals and of the Beaconsfield ministry, who are encouraging Lord Randolph to stoutly maintain his opposition, is considered a necessary, equally prominent in the party, and without whom a strong cabinet could hardly be formed, declare plumply that they will not attempt the task. Sir Stafford Northcote is said to share the views of his colleagues, but is

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BROTHER GARDNER DELIVERS A LEC TURE ON MATRIMONY.

The Serious Side of the Question—A Number of Ante-Nuptial "Don'ts" Which Are Well Worth Considering —Good Philosophy.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"I should like to spoke a few remarks to Brudder Sah Bar Skinner," observed the president, as the dust began to settle in Paradise hall.

Brother Skinner, who is a young man of 56 with a mild eye and a timid pectitle, advanced to the front and the president continued:

"Brudder Skinner, de news has reached my ears dat you am about to be marr'd. I trus' dat the report am true, because I believe it am de duoty of ebery young man who can support a wife to take one."

"I am true, sah."

"Den let ins compliment you wid one hand an' spoke a few remarks to you wid de oddah. Gittin' marr'd has its very serious side. For instance, am de gal gwine to marry you bekase she loves you, or to spite her fellow bekase she kept her away from de skatin' rink? Am you gwine to marry de gal for love, or bekase her father has some wealth which you hope he'll shell out for your benefit?

"Love am a powerful emoshun, Brudder Skinner, but love widout pork and 'taters to keep it goin' am like de froth on top of sodawater.

"Don't mistake your sentiments. If you am startin dat you love, go ahead. If it am only lollypop, hire out as a hoss-car driver on a steamboat fur a week an' it will all go away. I hev known couples ez seemed to be dyin' of love. Dair silly associums made 'em de laffin'stock of all torrer'ship. Dey seemed to dote and dote, but it didn't last. Arter a couple of yars de husband war a hoss grumbler an' tyrant, an' de wife a gadabout an' a scold. What dey gained was love war only lollypop.

"Doan' marry a gal hopin' dat her fadder will set you up in de barber biznes. Most fadder-in-laws not only want all day bes got, but am willin' to struggle fur another $20,000.

"Doan' set down an' figger dat fo' taters, a loaf of bread, half a pound of meat an' a quart of applesass am goin' to run you f'r a week. De chances will want all de salary you kin arn, an' you had better look aroun' an' find somebody who will land you a dollar now an' then.

"Doan' flatter yerselves dat all you hev got to do am to hug in de house an' kiss obe da gals. You'll be hungry fur co'n beef an' baked beans; your clo'es will wear out; your flour and batter will waste away, an' a bill fur two months' rent 'will send a chill up yer back. De man or woman who spoke dat he'd life am a green an shady lane, lined wid orange blossoms on one side an' ten dollar bills on de oddah, ain gwine to make no sich figger and find de rails leavin' de places in disgust.

"Think of dese things, Brudder Skinner. You kin get a wife in about five minutes, but it takes five yars to git shet of some of 'em. Expeck about one day's sunshine fur a week of cloudy weather. Reckon on house rent comin' due de first of every month, an' de grocer an' butcher keepin' an eye out fur you each Saturday night. It will amaze you how de woodpile decides de last day in flour gits short an' de kittle to sing. Doan' go into matrimony like a lobster into a box, but figger on whether de bait am wuth de risks. Ef you decide to marry, you kin depend on dis club attendin' de obsequies in a body, bringin' along a bounteous supply of ham sandwiches. If you decide not to, it am probable dat you will be hyar to proclaim to some posishun of trust an' responsibility."

The Straw Braid Trade of Japan.

[Japan Herald.]

Within the last three years quite a new industry for Japan has sprung into existence —the manufacture of straw plait or braid for men's hats and women's bonnets for use abroad. The first year the export consisted of some 5,000 pieces only, the next it increased to 60,000, and the last of nearly 1,000,000 pieces of sixty yards each. The price, of course, varies according to the season and quality of the article, ranging, we believe, from 80 cen down to as low as 20 sen per piece, the latter being, we understand, the price just now owing to the fact of the season being over, for it has to reach America in time to be made up by the hat makers for the summer's trade. There is also an immense production in China of the same article, which has existed for many years past; the price there, however, mostly rules considerably higher than here, owing to the cost of Chinese manufactures being generally less than the Japanese ask for their wares.

The Japanese plait ordinarily commands a better price abroad, as the straw of which it is made is brighter and whiter in color; it is also mostly very neatly made, owing to the deft fingers of the Japanese being admirably suited to the work. This industry, which bids fair to develop into larger and larger proportions, is an especial benefit to the farming class, the raw material costing nothing and the making of the plait furnishing occupation of the female branches of the family during their leisure hours and winter nights, when work out-side can not be followed. The money earned being so much clear gain, it is a welcome supplement to the income of thousands of poor and industrious families. We observe that the workers at the village of Oomori, near Tokio, are about holding a competitive exposition, to test the dexterity of the plaiters and the quality of the article turned out by them.

Nine Thousand Dollars for a Dollar.

[Philadelphia Times.]

The sale of the Chapman collection (of ancient Greek, Roman, English and American coins and metals, including one of the rare 1804 dollar), began yesterday afternoon at the rooms of S. W. Henkies & Co., 1,117 Chestnut street. The last named, the 1804 dollar was the feature of the sale, as it is the only one of seven known to be in existence that has ever been sold at auction for more than eight years. One of the seven is in the mint in this city, and the others form part of famous collections. The present specimen was bought by S. S. Chapman at the sale of a collection in Berlin last year. It is said to be the finest of the seven, and after spirited bidding was sold for $1,000.

Pumping Out the Water.

[Chicago Times.]

A new French invention, the Caisman, has just been launched. The most ingenious part of her equipment consists in the exhausting system, which secures the vessel from sinking in the event of leakage. By means of self-acting valves it is possible to connect the various water-tight compartments. Two centrifugal pumps are attached to the great collector, having an interior diameter of thirty-six centimeters, the flow of water into which is controlled by means of valves. These pumps are each raise 500 tons of water per hour. With two powerful boilersthey and the steam-pumps, nearly 1,000 tons of water can be thrown into the sea in an hour.

"JOSH BILLINGS."

BASKING IN COLORADO SUNSHINE TO REGAIN LOST VITALITY.

How He Began Writing His Quaint Philosophy — Adopting His Noted Nom de Plume—In the Lecture Field.

[Denver Tribune-Republican.]

"Josh Billings," the popular humorist, was one of the arrivals at the Windsor hotel recently. He is accompanied by his wife and has come west to spend a year for the benefit of his health on the advice of his physician. He bears well his 66 years, and one would not judge by any means that he has come to bask in Colorado sunshine to restore any lost vitality. His hair, now slightly tinged with gray, still 5 inches his shoulders from under a black slouch hat, but the once fierce moustache, now gray, is clipped short, and conforms in its training with the closely clipped beard.

"Oh, no, this is not my first visit west," said he, in answer to the reporter's question. "I might possibly be called a 'frontier-man.' I was in this region of country when the site of Denver was occupied by some men living in a wagon. That visit? It's a long story. I was a shiftless boy; my parents sent me to college, but I didn't learn anything while there. I didn't like it and I went home. They started me back. On the way I met a party who were westward bound and I joined them. I was 15 then. I was 30 years older when I next saw my parents. I first went to St. Louis, then a mere frontier town; could kill buffalo on the outskirts. Thence I later joined some sort of a scientific expedition which was coming west. I don't know what it was really for. We had a "big" professor along, and probably some of the men had some business. I never found out. We rummaged around out here a long time and then went home. Then I was out here thirteen or fourteen years ago, at which time I delivered the same old lecture that I have now."

HIS QUAINT PHILOSOPHY.

"When did you begin writing your quaint philosophy?"

"That came about in a very unexpected way. Was an editor in the little eastern town in which I then lived who was continually troubled about his editorials on paper. He wanted me to write something for him. I told him I never had written anything in my life, and I wouldn't do it, however much I wanted to. He said that a man who was continually saying such things as I was, could certainly write something. I concluded to try. I thought from my experience in the west and other places that I knew about as much about a mule as anybody; I had studied a mule's characteristics, and so I wrote a little essay on the mule and gave it to the editor. I wrote perhaps fifteen or twenty similiar things, and all of them the editor seemed anxious to print, as I supposed to fill up with. Then the paper was sued, and I concluded that I was 40 years old then, and my business was an auctioneer.

"Some time after that, when Artemus Ward was coming into prominence, I was a very careful reader of his grotesque sayings spelled phonetically. I had saved in a scrapbook the things the country editor had published for me, and I thought some of them at least possessed as much merit as some of the things on which Artemus Ward was then gaining a reputation. I studied that phonetic business of Ward's, and wondered if there was really anything humorous in it. I experimented. I took my mule story and re-wrote it, spelling the words phonetically. I had previously become acquainted with an editor in New York, and sent the phonetic business to him.

HIS NOM-DE-PLUME.

"And right here I will tell you how I came to adopt my nom-de-plume. I did not know how to sign the article. During my travels in the west I had met a man named Josh Cremaw, and I became so personally attached to him that I resolved should opportunity offer to somehow perpetuate his name in my memory. I was going to sign his name to that article, but the last name did not jingle well, so I experimented on Josh this and Josh that, and finally stumbled on Billings. I signed the article Josh Billings. It appeared that way, and ever since that time Josh Billings has got the credit.

"The articles seemed to please and were freely quoted. I got an offer from The New York Weekly to write for that paper. They gave me $10 a week. After a year or so I told them that I guessed I would quit; $10 a week wouldn't do. They asked me how I expected to get any more if I didn't ask for it. That was a stunner, and ever since I have remembered those words and applied the precept. From that day to this they have paid me $100 a week—for nineteen years on the 30th of this month. And just before I left New York I sent them enough copy to last them for a year to come.

IN THE LECTURE FIELD.

"For twenty-four years I have been in the lecture field, and I have had the same old lecture I started out with; the only change is that it has been dressed and redressed, until every word of it is new. It is not really needed has been expunged. How did I come to lecture? Well, that too, is an incident. Some people in Utica, I lived in which had admired my writings, and they wanted me to collect the pieces, and then condense them into a lecture and deliver it. It really did take coaxing, but I finally consented. When I read the lecture to people in Utica I was really ashamed. They said they admired it, and a fortune in it was assured. I hadn't a dime, but some money was secured and I started out. We begged our way back. A second time I failed.

"A year or so later two gentlemen very kindly volunteered the capital and the third attempt was made. It was a lo-ing business from the start, and when we reached Poughkeepsie we only had enough money to bill the town. Our hopes were high when only twenty-eight men and a solitary woman made their appearance in the hall. I took the advice and announced that those present that I undoubtedly had a lecture that would keep and I had better keep it—if they would kindly take back their money. Some how I would personally see to it that the lecture did not get away. A year or more I received a telegram from the Young Men's Christian association of Poughkeepsie to deliver my lecture before them. I did so. My share of the receipts was $186. That was more money than I had ever earned at one time before in my life, and I was delighted. That was the starting point of my success. I began driving the dollars in and clinching them on the other side, and now I have all I want."

Young Hopeful's Protest.

[Inter Ocean.]

A prominent lady of Chicago, visiting an uptown acquaintance who is blessed with a goodly number of children, heard the following vigorous protest from one of the young hopefuls, who was evidently in a state of perpendicular in an adjoining room:

"Well, company or no company, I ain't agoin' to have my face washed with spit on a handkerchief."

Bought It On.

What in the old vernacular was called "leasing" in the new version is termed "lying or falsehood," and The Pittsburg Chronicle says the real estate agents have brought it to a standstill.

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A STAGE GIVES WAY.

Twenty Killed and Eighty Injured.

PARIS, June 11.—News has been received of a terrible accident at Thiers, a manufacturing town in the Department of the Puy de Dome. A large crowd had assembled yesterday in the Court House in that place to listen to the evidence in a rather sensational murder trial in progress. The jam in the court room was so great that many could reach no further than the stairs. The stairway soon became packed, and while men and women were jostling one another in their efforts to get nearer the trial room the stairs gave way without warning, carrying down hundreds of people to the floor below.

An indescribable scene then took place. Men fought and scrambled their way out over the bodies of those who lay beneath. Men and women were piled on top of one another over ten deep, and many of those underneath were crushed or suffocated to death. The police aid was summoned instantly, and assisted by a number of volunteers, the officers soon established order and began at once the work at rescue. Some of the victims were pinioned down by the debris, and there was considerable difficulty in extricating them.

Twenty people were killed outright and some eighty wounded, many, it is feared fatally. The accident has thrown gloom over the town. The officials are denounced roundly for their lack of foresight in allowing the people to block the stairs, which they might have known could not bear so excessive a strain.

Ohio's Republican State Convention.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, June 11.—The Republican State Convention was called to order by Judge O'Neall at 10.30 this morning, and was opened with prayer by Rev. D. D. Rose, followed by a congratulatory speech by Judge O'Neall, who attributed the late National defeat to "the English Judas of the East," and predicted "the retirement of Judge Hoadly to the practice of law with Tom Ewing."

Col. J. D. Taylor, of Guernsey, was nominated as temporary Chairman.

The Parker-Foraker combination got 460 votes on the first ballot, 50 more than enough to nominate.

A Theatre Platform Falls.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Towards the close of the last act of "Nanon" last night, which is being played at the Exposition Building by the Thalia Company, of New York, a crash was heard behind the scenes. There was great excitement for a few moments. An investigation showed that a platform with forty Foraker lights had collapsed and fallen several feet. All the girls were terribly scared, and six of them received serious internal injuries. Carriages were hurriedly procured and they were taken to their hotels.

A Woman Missing.

WAUSAU, Wis., June 11.—Mrs. Smart, a young divorced woman living at Kirkhook, north of this place, has been missing since last Monday, and there are strong suspicions of foul play. She came to Wausau by rail on the evening of that day, got the mail and started home on foot. She has not been seen since. A basket containing a mail address to Mrs. Smart and torn pieces of her clothing, were found on the river bank. It is supposed that she has been murdered.

Attempted Suicide.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Frank Inglehart, who was connected with the Tevis scandle in St. Louis in 1878, attempted suicide yesterday afternoon by jumping into the lake at Lake View. Some fishermen who were in the vicinity rescued him and he was sent to the County Hospital.

Murder and Suicide.

PORTLAND, Ogn., June 11.—At Bay Horse, Idaho, Tuesday, Henry Perkins, aged 33 years, killed his wife in a fit of jealousy, seriously wounding her. He then blew out his own brains.

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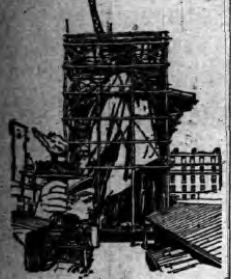
As the time draws near for the erection of the Bartholdi Statue of Liberty on Bedloe's Island, public interest in the matter increases. It is to be remembered that the gift of the statue to the United States is the expression of good will of private citizens of France to the people of this country. The only connection the French government has with the matter has been the forwarding of the statue in a ship of the navy of France, under the French flag, to New York. The only connection of the United States government with it has been the presentation of Bedloe's Island, in New York harbor, as a site for the monument. It is a splendid gift from the people of one republic to the people of another.

Collections for the work were raised by an association called the French American union. How it came to be formed is told in a paper written for The New York Tribune by the sculptor himself, M. Frederick Auguste Bartholdi. The whole story of the steps in the construction of the great work, told in fascinating literary style. It is charming—it is French.



TAKING DOWN THE STATUE.

One evening twenty years ago, M. Bartholdi had been dining with his "most illustrious and regretted friend," Edouard Laboulaye. Among other matters, they talked of gratitude between nations, and some one wondered if it could exist. M. Laboulaye said, "Oh, yes; it could and it does." Beyond a doubt, the United States had more sympathy with France than with any other European nation. This sentiment was based upon community of thought and common struggles and aspirations. They loved and revered, as they did their own heroes, Lafayette and the Frenchmen who spilled their blood in the American fight for liberty.

This is extremely fine and elevated, certainly. No doubt the United States ought to have more sympathy with France than with any other European nation, but the question is, Have we? Certainly we shall have a very fine and lasting memory if we warmly hoped sympathies do not go out towards the establishment of a great, free, solid French republic.

Laboulaye, the friend of America, took it for granted that those fine sentiments existed strongly in the Yankee breast. He even mentioned that a monument might well be built commemorative of the common sentiments that animated the two nations. He thought the monument should be the work of both nations.

That was the end of the subject for the time. By and by the Franco-Prussian war came and went. M. Bartholdi served his country in that war. Of what followed he writes:

When the war was over I could not go to my native land, Alsace, which was then against me by the Germans; at Paris the Commune was in power and civil war was raging. After a short stay in Switzerland, I resolved to take a journey in order to withdraw myself from all the painful impressions of the year through which I had just passed, and the idea came to me of going to visit America.

I went to Versailles to see again the friends whom I had not seen for so many dolorous months; I found myself again at the house of M. Laboulaye, with Monsieur Lafayette, Henri Martin, Rousset, Volcouki, de Gasparin, and other distinguished men whose sympathies toward the United States were well known. They talked of American sentiment, of the shipments which the Americans had made to Paris, of the diverse opinions which prevailed in America. M. Laboulaye declared that without any doubt there would be at the hundredth anniversary of the Independence of the United States a movement patriotic and French in America. "Go to see that country," he said to me. "You will enjoy it. You will bring back to your impressions. Propose to our friends over there to make with us a monument, a common work of science and art, a new pledge of friendship of France and the United States. If you find a happy idea, a plan that will excite public enthusiasm, we are convinced that it will be accepted and will continue, and we will do a work that will have a far-reaching moral effect."

It was then in the calm convictions of M. Laboulaye that the germ of the monument of the French-American union was found.

Bartholdi collected fragments of conversation in order that they may show how the idea had its birth and development; but I do it still more to answer those who, with a well spirit of disparagement, have declared to diminish the value of the work by treating it as the personal fantasy of an artist.

Having returned to the midst of those eminent men, furnished with their letters of recommendation, enjoying full authority to express myself or to engage myself in their names, I departed for America.

In the course of the voyage I formed some conceptions of a plan of a monument, but I say say that at the view of the harbor of New York the details of plan was first clear to my eyes.

The picture that is presented to the view when one arrives at New York is marvelous; when, after some days of voyaging, in the pearly radiance of a beautiful morning is revealed the magnificent spectacle of those immense cities, of those rivers flowing as far as the eye can reach, festooned with masts and flags; when one awakes, so to speak, to the animation that is there, harbor all covered with vessels, some gigantic in size, some dwarfs, which swarm about, puffing, whistling, swinging the great forms of their uncovered walking-beams, walking to and fro like a crowd upon a public place. It is dazzling. It is indeed, the New World, which appears in its majestic supposes with the order of its glowing life.

THE WORKING MODEL—TAKING WOODEN MOLDS FROM THE HEAD IN PLASTER.

First M. Bartholdi made a small statue of the Liberty in clay. That was the first model. It was shown to the committee of the French-American union and approved. Then another was made four times as large. The way a work of art is enlarged is very interesting. It is done by means of carefully measured lines drawn up and down and across, to form squares around the model's surface. Duplicate ones are made in squares of given points, and lines drawn, and then calculations are made for the size required. A tremendous working and draughting process were required for making the statue and models. From the second statue another was made, four times as large as the second one. It was enlarged in the same way. This was one-fourth the size of the real statue. It was called the working model, and from this the sections for modeling the plaster image of the figure were taken. The head, for instance, was measured as before. From this head a head in plaster, once more and for the last time, four times as large, was made. This was the "life size" of the statue itself. Boards and pieces of wood were laid up against the head, the cheeks, the brow, the profile. They were marked and sawed to fit into the hollows of the part measured.

HAMMERING THE COPPER SHEETS INTO THE WOODEN MOLDS.

Then strips of wood were nailed across them, and the framework was made, a perfect mold of a portion of the statue. It looks like a huge, clumsy, honeycombed wooden frame. Blocks of wood were carved by the skillful and patient French carpenters, and nailed together through their thickness, and that made the ribs of the drapery. How this looked you see in the illustration, to which the sheets are hammered into the folds.

IRON GIRDERS AND FRAMEWORK OF STATUE

The next question would be: How could all this great mass of copper sheets be held together? The metal is so soft and beatable that the statue would be crushed by its own weight if it were a self-supporting mass. It is held in its place. That self-supporting is furnished by a great iron framework inside. The copper plates, in the feet, and this, so to speak, is the skeleton. The iron rods and beams are firmly riveted to the copper. They are screwed fixed to the copper shell outside, and to the splendid Liberty herself, who is here the figure of Liberty enlightening the world, who holds in her right hand a torch, in the left a tablet. Both the torch and the tablet are necessary to enlighten the nations.

While the copper and iron are held quite firmly by the rivets, there were several drawbacks to be provided against. One was the contraction of the metals by heat and cold. Allowance was made for that, so that the plates and girders slip easily upon one another when they are heated by the sun or frozen. The other danger was one that nobody but a scientific person would have known of. It was this: Iron and copper by weather, by moisture, produce a current of electric current. Thus with the rain and the salt fog the whole magnificent statue would have been transformed into one tremendous electrical battery. It would have speedily crumbled away under such a current as would have been set up. The two metals were kept apart by packing with a non-conductor wherever the two come together.

The magnificent statue has been ready for us nearly a year. It was set up in Paris awhile for the French people to see and admire, while it was waiting for the pedestal. The figure is built in great sections. When it was made ready for shipping to this country, these sections were taken down one by one. They were packed and forwarded to Rouen. There they were loaded upon the Isere to Havre. The right hand of the figure, with the torch, was exhibited at the Centennial exposition at Philadelphia in 1876. Each section made required about 9,600 measurements.

THE HAND IN PLASTER AND FORERUNNER IN COPPER.

Another part no less curious and interesting is shown in the illustration, in which is seen the left hand in plaster. The inside framework was built of wooden beams, like a house. Then bits of iron nailed upon the outside of the framework, and it was regularly plastered, like the side of a room. The plastering was measured and smoothed off, cut away there and filled in here, till it made the exact size and shape of the left hand of the finished statue. Then the wooden molds were made for hammering the copper sheets into, as described.

THE LADY'S FOOT.

How large this statue is will be seen by the comparative size of the man seen in the illustration. They scarcely seem longer than one of the dame's feet. Hereafter a large foot can be properly called a Liberty foot, can't it? One also perceives that the model from which this foot was taken had worn very tight shoes. The little toe is turned and cramped under the next one in a way that nature never was guilty of making.

The French people were to build the statue. It cost more than a million francs, and it is done and paid for. The people of the United States were to build the pedestal. That was their part of the work. It is not done and it is not paid for. The fact is little to our credit. The enterprise is a beautiful and patriotic one. It is an honor and a privilege to contribute to it. Everybody who has had already done so should not hesitate a day to send in his or her mite.

Careful of Patti.

[The Argonaut.]

As an instance of the affectual care that is bestowed upon Patti, it is related that once when she returned from her daily drive, she was exceedingly thirsty and she therefore requested one of her long retinue to cause a glass of water to be brought to her by as quick stages as the comparatively great distance of the dining-room would permit. "Water!" shrieked Nicolini, in high B flat "you miscreant, you know that you are going to sing to-morrow night, and that water will chill your throat. Oh, no; I forbid any water." "Then give me a taste of wine," pleaded thirsty Patti. "Wine!" shrieked Nicolini, in his highest C. "Ma mignonne you are going to sing to-morrow night, and you know that wine will heat your blood. No, I can not permit wine." "Then can't I have something wet," begged Patti, with trembling lip, as her palate elicited dryly in her throat. Nicolini finally, after a long pause, and at length, with his own hands, carefully prepared for the great singer a soothing draught of dissolved magnesia.

The Depth Divers Go.

[Chicago Herald.]

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American Still Ahead.

[Daily Graphic.]

If Christ-headed Dobbins was the name of a man in England in the days of the Roundheads, but Dorchester county, Md., presents two names which are odd. The surveyor who examines still five near Cambridge, on the Choptank. They are "Julia Jane Augusta Dorchester," "Jo. Ba Bonaparte Jacob," and "John Henry Lund Rumsey Ramsey Dorchester." Sundown Barney Dam Rendezvous God Bless Business."

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JOB PRINTING OF ALL KINDS.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding dates of last year, as kept at Sheller drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	50	6 a. m.	67
9 a. m.	62	9 a. m.	68
12 m.	68	12 m.	72
3 p.m.	76	p. m.	80

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885		1884	
Sunrise	4.28 a.m.	Sunrise	4.28 a.m.
Sun Sets	7.31 p.m.	Sun Sets	7.31 p.m.
Moon Rises	3.53 p.m.	Moon Rises	p.m.

Chronological Events.

Wm. Cullen Bryant died, 1878.—Paris Massacre, 1418.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair, warmer weather.

For Saturday.—Fair weather followed by local rains in Indiana for New England and the Middle Atlantic States with a slight rise in temperature.

JOTTINGS.

—Methodist Festival to-night.

—Lee Gong, a Chinaman formerly living in this city, has returned to China, according to the accounts of a former comrade.

—It is said that an effort is being made to have the wires of the Bankers' and Merchants' Telegraph Co. extended to this city.

—Classes '83 and '84 of the High School are busy preparing for the Reception to the High School Graduates on Commencement night.

—William Sullivan was brought before Judge Ulrich this morning charged with being drunk. As it was his first offense he was fined five dollars.

—Mrs. John Haskard, of Scotch Plains, has received a check for $1,000 from Good Will Lodge, K. of P., as the insurance due from the Lodge on the death of her husband.

—The Rev. I. H. Condit, of Oregon, has been installed as associate pastor of the Marshall Street Presbyterian Church, Elizabeth. The Rev. E. H. Reinhart, the past r, has served the church for nearly forty years.

—The Plainfield Bicycle Club proposes to have a run every Saturday afternoon during the Summer, provided the weather and the roads permit. The start will be made at five o'clock from their rooms on North avenue.

—The body of Coleman Dow, the last surviving child of E. Dean Dow, a former resident of this city, was interred in the beautiful family burial plot in Evergreen cemetery on Plainfield avenue this week. The body was brought here from Tennessee.

—Excitement is excited over the disappearance of a bridegroom but a few hours before the marriage ceremony was to have taken place. He is said to have taken with him some $300 which he had obtained from his affianced, and the ring which had been purchased for her.

—Officer Lynch early last evening met John Burke on the streets, somewhat under the influence of liquor. He quietly requested him to go home. Whereupon Burke became wroth and proceeded to endeavor to lay out the officer, which, however, he did not succeed in doing, and in a short time found himself in the city jail. He was brought before Judge Ulrich this morning and fined five dollars. He told the court he would never drink again.

—Mr. Miles, the painter of North avenue, has just completed a fancy sign for Ramonetti, which over the door of the latter's well-known place tells where good ice cream and confectionery are obtainable. Mr. Miles has also another way of signs for Woodruff and Buckle, the painters, paper hangers and decorators of 25 North avenue, and he has also a large horse-shoe about six feet high, to be gilded and suspended in front of Fred. Cooper's, on Second street, as per advertisement elsewhere.

—The lecture by Col. J. Armoy Knox, intended to be humorous, did not draw at Music Hall last evening. Col. Knox appeared on the platform about half-past eight, and an audience of probably fifty people. He told in a very interesting manner a number of State newspaper jokes, about all of which in their semi-original freshness have appeared in THE NEWS from time to time. After he had thus regaled the audience for about a half hour, he withdrew, and Mr. Williams appeared and gave good imitations of various characters, including the Agreeable Parson, The Boy Sticking a Bent Pin in the Chair, The Teacher who Sat on it, The Candidate who Expected to be Defeated Reading of His Election in the Newspaper, The Man who Expected to be Elected doing likewise, Lawrence Barrett as Cassius, Joe Jefferson in Rip Van Winkle, McCullough in the Gladiator, Dixie's Burlesque of Irving, and Irving as Eugene Aram. Then Mr. Williams retired, likewise many of those present, and Mr. Knox reappeared, and under such discouraging circumstances continued his harrowing tale of intended-to-be-humor. But the audience continued to leave. If the lecturer meets with no better success elsewhere, he will soon conclude no doubt that his pen is mightier than his tongue, for we understand that he has had good audiences occasionally.

—Cassius Stockhouse and Albert Labar, residing at Lincoln Corner, sought refuge under a large tree during a storm on Monday last when lightning struck the tree, instantly killing Labar. Stockhouse was thrown some distance and probably fatally injured.

—Clement Van Dyke, of No. 321 Pavonia avenue, Jersey City, died on Tuesday night at the Charity Hospital. He became deliriously drunk the night escaped from his ward, and in attempting to make a fence fell to the sidewalk, fracturing his skull.

A Few Sketch of Patrick Henry.

[Hon. Charles Place, of North Plainfield, is Somerville Citizen-Gazette.]

It may seem somewhat remarkable that after a lapse of a century or more one should undertake the task of penning sketches of a man who figured so prominently in the early history of our country, long before the Revolution began, and who was one of the very first of his time to hate, with an extreme hatred, the galling yoke of British tyranny. But to Patrick Henry this nation owes very much. His burning patriotism, his hatred of oppression, his love of country, his true loyalty and large heartedness, his unselfish devotion to the right, and his unswerving opposition to the wrong, was far more appreciated one hundred years ago than to-day.

There is a very old saying, that "some men are born great, and others have greatness thrust upon them." There are those who come quickly upon the stage of action, and after having performed their part in the drama, quickly pass off, and are soon forgotten. Not so with Patrick Henry. He was born great, and when he came upon the stage of action he was there to stay.

Virginia has always claimed to be the mother of Presidents. This has been true; at least it was true for a period of time during the first fifty years of the life of this Republic. When she gave the country its first President, great as he was, she also gave it another man, wonderfully gifted.

On the 29th day of May, 1736, the subject of these sketches first saw the light of day. One of a family of nine children he started out on his earthly pilgrimage, to take his chances in the great battle in which every human being is called to fight. His father, plain John Henry, of Hanover County, Va., was a good man, highly respectable and respected in the county where he lived. Though fairly off in this world's goods, he was of an itinerant inclination, and his large family shared the fate of many a full household.

In his youth Patrick Henry was a very ordinary boy. It is related that he gave no evidence of the precocity which so often distinguishes uncommon genius. He had no flash of fancy, no remarkable development of primitive will, no indication, however slight at that time, which in after years marked him as a man of great genius and power.

Every omen of his early days at best foretold he would become a man of only ordinary attainments, and portended a life of nothing beyond mediocrity. Coarse in his habits and demeanor, exceedingly awkward in all his movements, plain and unattractive in common conversation, slovenly in dress, with reckless to a certain extent in everything pertaining to, of all his companions, promised the least. He had an aversion to books when a boy, was lazy, and cared more for fishing and hunting than for anything apparently which came to him in his younger days. He lounged for and loved solitude. There were no demonstrations of mirth or glee in his nature. His every make-up was to get away from companions and spend his time alone. These propensities were born in him, as we often see them in those whom we know. At times in his life he tried to throw them off, but it was impossible for him to do so. They were knit in his very being.

The first prominent and marked characteristic was a love for commenting upon and criticising character. He seemed by a natural instinct to attain a thorough knowledge of men, and in man's estate in years after, with a master hand, he touched the springs of passion with a power almost superhuman. Indolent and careless, it will be seen how little education seemingly had to do with the formation of this wonderful man's mind, whose eloquence and language charmed and captivated those who heard him.

Beyond an ordinary education, he was not permitted to go for two reasons, first, because his father was unable to give it to him, and second, if he had been able, young Henry had manifestly neither the motive nor desire to become a scholar. So at the age of fifteen the indolent boy was sent out in the world as many a boy who afterwards became a great man has been, to work his way onward and upward, amid the many difficulties which meet as all on the unknown journey of life. Thus at that age we find him behind the counter of a country merchant's store. History gives no account as to how he conducted himself as a merchant's clerk, but we can imagine a boy of that age, naturally indolent, with but little education, with a fondness for fishing and hunting at the expense of attainments, or business success, with a great but undeveloped mind, would not make an efficient or profitable clerk. In these days he was a silent and attentive listener, and we may readily imagine, as he sat listless on the counter, swaying his legs to and fro, he gathered from the group of country people, who gathered around the stove of that country store, much that was of future value to him. Then it must have been that his slow but brilliant mind was developing as the seed grows and develops into the ripening harvest.

Other two unpromising boys became brilliant men. In every community there exist two prosperous, and active, who were once seemingly stupid boys. A score of years often works out marvelous changes in the condition of a man. Such was the case of Mr. Henry. The boy, who, as we have said, would sit for hours by the sluggish stream watching intently his bob and line with no evidences of fish life near them; the hunter boy, who would for hours with gun in hand watch for the hole of a wood-chuck, or the entrance to the den of the fox, or the coon and dead tree; the indolent boy, who at a merchant's clerk lay a large portion of his time at full length on the counter of the country store, when he began his business life, in which position we may imagine customers were never favored in a hurry, and the little promise that in after years his eloquence would become as powerful, and as attractive as that of any man who ever had or would live on American soil. To such a boy, however, there was only needed a developing mind was lying dormant in his nature, and in due time we shall see how those circumstances arose.

The Methodist Festival.

The lecture room of the Methodist Episcopal Church was transformed from its ordinary appearance as a Sunday School room into a most charming Bazaar last evening. The windows and doors were draped with curtains, a green bower, filled with flowers, occupied the centre of the room, a Rebecca dispensing lemonade from a raised well charmed the passer-by, a fruit and confectionery stand on one side of the room was presided over by a bevy of young ladies, and likewise the fancy goods stand on another side. The parlors were used as refreshment rooms, where the best of ice cream, strawberries and cake were served by fair young ladies in white aprons. An orchestra, consisting of piano, violin and cornet furnished music during the evening, and numbers of children with flower trays flitted around. A spinning wheel of "ye olden time" occupied a conspicuous position on the platform, and the scenes and stage of action, and after having performed their part in the drama, quickly pass off, and are soon forgotten. Not so with Patrick Henry. He was born great, and when he came upon the stage of action he was there to stay.

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More Praise for Plainfield.

In a long article on the Job Male Art Gallery the Elizabeth Herald says:

Plainfield of late has made rapid improvement. All the street improvements are made at private expense. It has no debt and is blessed with light taxes. It has a handsome hall where entertainments can be held, and Mr. J. S. Male has recently erected a commodious hall-stage and dressing room in the city. To be used as a public library and art gallery. It is built for the purpose, and is of a French design of architecture. On the front door are parlors on both sides of the hallway and library and reading-room in the rear. On the second floor is the art gallery. The hall containing the oil paintings is arranged so that the light from above will have the proper effect on the pictures. This gallery occupies about one-half of the floor. The other half is divided into two rooms one for the display of curios for sale and the other for the exhibition of water colors. All the pictures are donated by Plainfielders or their friends.

The substance of the remainder of the article, containing a list of the pictures in the Gallery, has been given from time to time in THE NEWS.

Patents to Jerseymen.

Patents have been granted to citizens of New Jersey for the week ending June 9, as follows:

Charles L. Bellamy, Arlington, manufacturer of knife blades; Charles L. Bellamy, Arlington, brass fastener; George L. Bloomhall, Paterson, insulating fabric; Edward Dane, Newark, harness trimming; Edward D. Fleming, Hoboken, plaque or panel; Philip Diehl, Elizabeth, mechanism for sewing machines; Joseph H. Doll, Newark, sleeve or collar fastener; John Fenton, Hackensack, sewing machine guide; Lewis Heisse, Newark, incandescent electric lamp; Edgar M. Herr, Lebanon, Col., and G. M. Cambria, Vienna, N. J., furnace for annealing metal; Emil Hunsicker, Jersey City, detachable horse shoe; Jacob Kuhn, Jersey City, hot air feeder for furnaces; Albert H. Lewis, Plainfield, brace device for sewing machines; Hans Reis, Jersey City, elastic stitch for sewing machines; Charles A. Scott, Orange, Plainfield, pressure regulator; Englewood, telephone exchange system and apparatus; Winfield S. Sims, Newark, torpedo boat; Plainfield, first patent by electricity; James Steel, Paterson, hand truck.

State Notes.

The Orange Board of Health is very actively engaged in suppressing nuisances.

J. Q. Hamilton & Co., have started a wire cable and picket fence manufactory at White Hill.

J. G. Hall, secretary of the Perth Amboy Board of Education, has finished taking the school census. The total is 1,500.

James Quinn, age twenty-three, who is charged with assaulting a married woman in Hamilton square, was arrested yesterday.

Seven houses were destroyed by fire at Gloucester City on Wednesday morning; incendiarism is suspected. The loss will foot up $25,000, insurance $10,000.

West Hoboken's police force has been disbanded, the appropriation for their pay being exhausted. The city gas lamps are to be cut off for the present.

Richard Corrigan, seven years old, of No. 207 Twelfth street, Jersey City, fell over the cliff known as the "Point of Rocks" yesterday morning and nearly killed himself.

William Huyler, who broke into a store at Plymouth, Mass., six months ago, has been arrested at Oxford, and taken to the scene of the robbery. He formerly lived at Boston.

In the Hudson County Court of Sessions yesterday Robert L. Wilson, a drug clerk, was arrested on the charge of forging a check for $150, which he tried to pass. His bail was held at $2,000 bail.

The Board of Freeholders, of Essex County, yesterday adopted the county tax ordinance. The total amount to be raised is $397,001.13, as against $356,631.98 last year. Newark pays about 80 per cent. of the levy.

At the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Druids, held at Phillipsburg, on Monday, Mayor Haynes, of Newark, was elected to represent this State in the Supreme Lodge of the United States, which meets at San Francisco in August.

A large arm chair covered with brown leather has been presented to the Paterson Board of Trade for the use of the president. The chair once belonged to the Astor House, and was the favorite chair of Daniel Webster when visiting the house. It is now always reserved for his use. It was last the property of Thomas Barbour.

Charles R. Geddes, age twenty, of Passaic Bridge, was committed to the County Jail yesterday, charged with obtaining money under false pretences. After leaving from the sign of the horse and cart, in Paterson, he boot-shop he represented himself as the son of the brewer saying that he had been a prisoner and wanted to borrow $10 or $15 from the proprietor.

Shipmasn street, Newark, is a sort of row down on the north side of the Central New York. Pedestrians are frequently insulted and even assaulted. The gang of hoodlums is divided under leaders, one furnishing the workmen with beer, commit all sorts of depredations. Thomas Carroll, Richard Riley and Edward Cassidy, three "bright particular stars," of that constellation, were arrested on Monday and committed in default of a $20 fine each.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealing with Kenyon's Bakery on Park place, the regular price, 50c. and 1.00, as of late times imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine. We are not to be fooled at all cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 1885.

THE PATAGONIAN GIANTS.

The tales of their gigantic stature, so often told and as frequently denied, are thoroughly investigated in this memoir, and with a result which will be interesting to anthropologists.

Careful measurements have been made in recent times, by different observers, of many living natives of Patagonia and Tierra del Fuego. The result is that the mean stature of adults of both sexes, it would appear) is found to be about 1.78 metres, or five feet ten inches English. "This mean," remarks the author, "may seem rather low; but if we compare it with that of France, which is only 1.65 metres (about five feet five inches), and if we consider that for all humankind the statistics give only 1.70 metres (rather less than five feet seven inches), we shall perceive that this average stature is really a very lofty stature, and makes the Patagonians the tallest race of men at present existing." Men of six feet French (six feet three and a half inches English) are common among them; and occasionally one is found who reaches two metres, or six feet six and a half inches.

This, however, is not all. The Patagonian, in the upper part of his body, is of a huge build. His trunk and head are large, his chest broad, his arms long and muscular. On horseback, he seems far above the ordinary size of man. When he dismounts, however, it is seen that his legs are disproportionately short and slender; they frequently bend outward. His walk is heavy and lumbering. These are the well known peculiarities which are found in the Tartars, and in all races of men who spend most of their time, like the Patagonians, on horseback. But it is only a little over two centuries since the horse was introduced into this region. The natives who were first seen chased the swift guanaco and ostrich over their immense plains on foot. Such activity required long, straight, and slender legs. It is not, then, much to suppose that the total change in their habits of life, which has occurred since they became a nation of horsemen, has detracted at least two inches from their stature. Add-ing these lost inches to their present height, we recover the giants who astonished the companions of Magellan, and vindicate the narratives which later writers have discredited. We gain also a notable evidence of the influence of natural causes in modifying the physical characteristics of men.

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OHIO REPUBLICANS.

JUDGE J. G. FORAKER NOMINATED FOR THE GOVERNORSHIP.

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SPRINGFIELD, O., June 12—The Republican state convention was called to order in the new wigwam in the market space at 10½ a. m. by Hon. Joseph B. O'Neill, of Lebanon, chairman of the Republican state committee. Delegates on the eighty-eight counties of the state were all full, and over 4,000 persons packed in the wigwam. Hon J. D. Taylor, of Guernsey county, was announced as temporary chairman, and addressed the convention.

The convention adopted the report of the committee on rules, limiting presentation speeches to five minutes each, with not more than two minutes for seconding speeches for any one candidate, to which speeches limited to three minutes each. At 2:40 p. m. Ex-Congressman Ambler, of Columbiana county, presented the name of Gen. Benjamin F. Coovert. Rose was the second name presented. John C. Covert, of The Cleveland Leader, launched out amid the loudest applause. Gen. Charles Grosvenor seconded the nomination. Miller Outcalt, of Cincinnati, presented the name of J. B Foraker.

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Ex-Governor Noyes, in seconding the nomination, said that he knew by personal experience that a Republican candidate for governor of Ohio is sure to be elected, if elected, through no fault of his own. When Logan county was called, Judge West, the "blind man eloquent," was led forward amid indescribable enthusiasm to second Gen. Kennedy's name. Representative Ryan, of Scioto county, seconded the nomination of Kennedy in an eloquent speech. The convention went wild at the mention of Foraker's name. Outcalt contended in his nominating speech that "the Waterloo of two years ago was not a defeat of Foraker. It was the defeat of the Republican party." Walter S. Thomas (colored), of Delaware county, seconded the nomination of Foraker as a representative of the colored race, who are said to be antagonistic to Judge Foraker.

The roll call was commenced without delay, and the vote proceeded without incident, but amid breathless interest until Trumbull county was reached. Then, to the surprise of a majority of the convention, it threw its thirteen votes to Foraker, thus bringing his total to but one short of the number required to secure the nomination. A scene of enthusiasm followed which for a smaller scale the one enacted at Chicago last year, when Blaine was nominated, ensued. Delegates mounted on chairs and tables and cheered themselves hoarse. "The band struck up "Marching through Georgia," and the delegates took up the refrain, and reunited in again and again. Finally, when the enthusiasm had somewhat subsided, the proposers of the other candidates rose up as one man to motion that the vote for nomination unanimous. The motion was carried by acclamation, but it was finally decided to continue the roll call. This was done, and the result stood: Ross, 62; Beatty, 117; Kennedy, 156; Foraker, 460.

The enthusiasm was renewed when Judge Foraker was brought before the convention, and it was several moments before he could make himself heard. He briefly expressed his thanks for the honor, and promised to work earnestly during the campaign. Kennedy and Beatty also spoke in a manly strain in support of Foraker. A ballot for lieutenant governor was then declared in order. T. W. Brotherton, of Angleton county, was nominated, but it was evident that the convention had determined to push Gen. Kennedy to the front. Brotherton's name was withdrawn and Gen. Kennedy was nominated by acclamation, amid renewed excitement. Many thought he would not accept, but Gen. Kennedy and Wm. Keifer in brief but pointed speeches declared that he must and should accept. Gen. Kennedy was brought to the front and said that he was not a candidate. His further remarks were rendered inaudible by shouts of "You must be," and cheers for Kennedy. When silence was restored he came to the front again and said that, while it was the first time he had been called, he would continue to the will of the convention and of the party. (Applause loud and long followed.)

The other nominations made were as follows: Judge of supreme court, George W. McIlvain (present incumbent); state treasurer, T. C. Brown, of Jefferson, who ran for the same position on Foraker's ticket two years ago; attorney general, D. K. Kocher, of Summit; member of public works, W. S. Jones, of Pike.

The platform was presented by Maj. William McKinley, of Stark, chairman of the committee on resolutions, and was adopted without a dissenting voice. The only trouble caused to the committee was on the liquor question, and a sub-committee labored over it for three hours. The platform demands equal political rights for all; such legislation as will harmonize the relations of capital and labor, the establishment of a bureau of industry, the enforcement of the eight-hour law, and such legislation as will secure for general public education wherever needed. It denounces the importation of convict labor and pauper labor, and the control by non-resident aliens. It favors a protective tariff, which will encourage American industries and furnish remunerative employment to American labor, and declares: "We are opposed to the British policy advocated by the Democratic party under the guise of a tariff for revenue only." It demands restoration of the wool tariff and denounces the present administration for ignoring the national flag upon the public buildings at Washington as a mark of respect to the man who dishonored the one and sought to destroy the other, who fought under equal deterioration to his losing place in Canada, to overwhelm the northern cities with fire and to sweep to death their inhabitants by scattering everywhere the germs of infectious and fatal diseases. It denounces the administration for discriminating against Union soldiers in public appointments, endorses civil service and condemns Ohio legislature. The plank on the liquor question is as follows:

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TOPICS IN TOWN.

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How Gladstone's Downfall is Received. What a Wily Oriental Diplomat Thinks—The Liberal Whip Rises to Explain—The Dead Rommord.

St. Louis, June 12.—The first day of the races at the fair grounds track was in prime condition, weather cloudy but pleasant, slight rain fell early in the morning. The attendance was the best of the season. The immense grand stand being fairly well filled.

First race was for a purse of $500, of which $100 to second, for 3-year-olds. Nine mile. Brilliant was scratched, leaving a field of ten starters. Undefined first, Bell Clark second, Shamrock third. Time, 1:56½. Mutuals paid $16.80 for winner, $13.80 for place.

Second race—Selling, purse $500, of which $100 to second, for all ages, one and a quarter miles. There were eleven starters, none of the entries being scratched. Leonard first, Ragsdale second, Lizzie S. third. Time, 2:10¾. Mutuals paid $42.70 for winner, $8.30 for place.

Third race—Handicap, purse $1,000, with $2,000 added, of which $300 to second, $100 to third, for all ages, mile and three-quarters. The starters were: Kosciusko, Lelia Withers and Bell Boy. Bell Boy first, Freda second, Kosciusko third. Time, 3:06. Mutuals paid $12.50 on winner, $8.40 for place.

Fifth race—Purse $300, of which $50 to second, all ages, gentlemen riders, mile and one-eight. Lew Clark, Compensation and Gray Jack started. Compensation won; was a late entry. Tallyrand first, Dora second, Annawan third. Time, 2:02. Mutuals paid $13 for winner, $5.30 for place.

No Betting at Coney Island.

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The first race was a 5-furlong dash for all ages. Jim Renwick first, Refrain second, Z. V. third. Time, 1:02¾.

The second race was a sweepstakes for 3-year-olds, five and a furlong. Hon. Herbert first, Sam Brown second, Nettie third. Time, 1:20.

The third race was the Foam stakes for 2-year-olds, five furlongs. Suito first, Electric second, Salisbury third. Time, 1:05¾.

The fourth race was for 3-year-old maidens, one mile. Hiva first, Detective second, Winston third. Time, 1:47¾.

The fifth race was the Suburban; one mile. Pontiac first, Richmond second, Rataplan third. Time, 2:00¾.

The sixth race was a steeplechase over the short course. Marshall first, Gourfalon second, Jack third. Time, 4:32½.

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Pittsburg	0	0	3	0	0	3	4	2	0—12

At Washington:

National	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	x—6
Wilmington	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—3

At Providence:

New York	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2—4
Providence	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0—2

At Boston:

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

At Indianapolis:

Indianapolis	3	0	1	1	0	1	3	2	x—11
St. Louis	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0—4

At Norfolk:

Virginia	3	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0—9
Norfolk	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	2—6

At Pittsburg—

Athletic	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	0—6
Louisville	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0—3

At New York:

Metropolitan	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0—2
St. Louis	0	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	x—7

At Brooklyn:

Cincinnati	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0—4
Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	x—6

Jay Gould's Libel Case.

NEW YORK, June 12.—A large number of boats passed in the Jefferson Market police court while Secretary of Treasurer Mc-Williams, of the Manhattan Railway company, was asked, time and time again, how much Cyrus Field, Jay Gould and Russell Sage, of the Wall Street Daily News, and responsible for the article which the company declares is false and is an attack on its credit. The drift of Mr. Williams' testimony was that Mr. Keep's name was at the head of the paper, and that the article spoke for itself. Vice-president Dallaway had called his attention to the article, and he had told him to look into it and said things about Mr. Keep, but they were private conversations, and he would not repeat them. Mr. McWilliams was finally questioned about the lease of the New York and the Metropolitan roads to the Manhattan company. He could not tell if the Manhattan company was liable for property when the first lease was made in 1879. He was not with the company at that time.

Boston Municipal Corruption.

BOSTON, June 12.—The Evening Record following up the exposure of the trick by which the city lost $50,000 in the purchase by the water board of Fisher hill for a high service reservoir, shows that the water board, by violation of city ordinances, has paid Henry R. Worthingham, of New York, $20,000 more than was necessary for two interior conveyances of land, a drainage station, and by subterfuge has contracted to pay the same party $106,000 for two pumping engines for Fisher hill reservoir, contrary to law with the ordinances, the city need not have been over $51,000.

Middleton Given Up the Chase.

WHOPPER, June 12.—Dispatches from Bear River, seventy miles northeast of Fort Pitt, state that Gen. Middleton has given up the chase of Big Bear, and is returning with his troops to Fort Pitt. The country through which Big Bear is traveling is said to be densely wooded and full of mosquito, so that it was impossible for the troops to overtake him.

NO BETTING AT CONEY ISLAND.

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St. Louis, June 12.—The fifth day of the races at the fair grounds track was in prime condition, weather cloudy but pleasant, slight rain fell early in the morning. The attendance was the best of the season. The immense grand stand being fairly well filled.

First race was for a purse of $500, of which $100 to second, for 3-year-olds. Nine mile. Brilliant was scratched, leaving a field of ten starters. Undefined first, Bell Clark second, Shamrock third. Time, 1:56½. Mutuals paid $16.80 for winner, $13.80 for place.

Second race—Selling, purse $500, of which $100 to second, for all ages, one and a quarter miles. There were eleven starters, none of the entries being scratched. Leonard first, Ragsdale second, Lizzie S. third. Time, 2:10¾. Mutuals paid $42.70 for winner, $8.30 for place.

Fourth race—Handicap, purse $1,000, with $2,000 added, of which $300 to second, $100 to third, for all ages, mile and three-quarters. The starters were: Kosciusko, Lelia Withers and Bell Boy. Bell Boy first, Freda second, Kosciusko third. Time, 3:06. Mutuals paid $12.50 on winner, $8.40 for place.

Fifth race—Purse $300, of which $50 to second, all ages, gentlemen riders, mile and one-eight. Lew Clark, Compensation and Gray Jack started. Compensation won; was a late entry. Tallyrand first, Dora second, Annawan third. Time, 2:02. Mutuals paid $13 for winner, $5.30 for place.

No Betting at Coney Island.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Just before the first race at Coney Island the executive committee notified the bookmakers and pool sellers to take down their signs, as betting of any kind would not be allowed. In spite of this warning, idlers had no trouble in finding stakeholders, and a great deal of private betting was indulged in.

The first race was a 5-furlong dash for all ages. Jim Renwick first, Refrain second, Z. V. third. Time, 1:02¾.

The second race was a sweepstakes for 3-year-olds, five and a furlong. Hon. Herbert first, Sam Brown second, Nettie third. Time, 1:20.

The third race was the Foam stakes for 2-year-olds, five furlongs. Suito first, Electric second, Salisbury third. Time, 1:05¾.

The fourth race was for 3-year-old maidens, one mile. Hiva first, Detective second, Winston third. Time, 1:47¾.

The fifth race was the Suburban; one mile. Pontiac first, Richmond second, Rataplan third. Time, 2:00¾.

The sixth race was a steeplechase over the short course. Marshall first, Gourfalon second, Jack third. Time, 4:32½.

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MOUNT LEBANON.

TENETS OF A PECULIAR ORDER OF RELIGIOUS PEOPLE.

A Visit to the Communities Who Follow the Doctrines of Mother Ann Lee—Industries at Lebanon—Disintegrating Influences.

[Cor. Boston Herald.]

Elder Frederick put on his broad-brimmed hat, tilted a knitted scarf across his shoulders, took his staff and led the way.

"Our community, you understand, is divided into families," he explained, "and each is entirely separate, having its own government and its own property. All property is held in common in these families, but the families are entirely distinct from each other. Ours is called the North family; the other are the Church, the Central, the Second and the South families."

The elder then piloted his visitor through the extensive buildings of the North family. The laundry was first visited, where the machines for cleansing the linen are driven by water power. In a room adjoining the laundry were several large churns in active motion, also driven by water. In a large, airy, well lighted room above were several quiet figures clad in soft browns, with close-fitting face caps and dainty kerchiefs, all engaged in ironing. The next building is the grist mill, where is ground the meal and flour used by the family.

"You see your own flour!" was asked in some surprise.

"Yes. The flour you buy and use isn't fit for human beings to eat. Just look at this wheat. It has been washed in three waters. If you could see the second water it runs off, you would be surprised at the amount of dirt you see. Now I guess it is fit for a christian's stomach. The wheat you eat is only fit for heathens. Just look in that hopper. You don't see any dirt there. You we believe in cleanliness, clean. Now I am a vegetarian. I haven't tasted meat for more than forty years. It isn't fit to eat any more than is dirty wheat. When that wheat is ground into flour we bake it without leaven. That's the bread that Moses fed the children of Israel with."

The barn was the next objective point, and its long line of well-kept stalls for horses and cattle and its two enormous silos were thoroughly examined. Next the kitchen, with its great range; the closets as clean as soap and water could make them, and the wonderful refrigerating closet, surrounded by iron pipes, through which flowed streams of ice-cold spring water, were showed and admired.

Then Elder Frederick led the way up the steep side of the mountain, past a thriving grove of sugar maples planted twenty-five years ago, until about the height of the roofs of the buildings was found a well constructed reservoir, from which pipes descended the mountain side to supply the power in use in the buildings visited. This reservoir was filled from a lake in the mountains, a mile beyond and above.

Descending the mountain, the shirt factory was visited, where were more brown-robed, white-capped figures, and half a score of clattering sewing machines engaged in turning out shirts for a large New York manufacturer.

"We do this work in our spare time, when we have none of our own work to do," explained Sister Harriet. "We turn out perhaps twenty or twenty-five dozen a week. It is remarkable how much work there is in a shirt, and it is remarkable how little they pay for making them."

Throughout these explorations Elder Frederick interpersed his explanations of what was seen, with discussion upon the tenets of the order, chief among which is a belief in the dual nature of God, combining attributes of both male and female, the rejection of the idea of Christ's divinity and of the resurrection of the body.

"It has been said of us," said Brother Daniel, "that celibacy is one of our cardinal principles. It is simply a condition grown out of the whole system. We believe in and practice a celibate life, because it alone is consistent with the higher angelic life, which is attainable by this system alone."

A stroll was next taken among the other families of the community. At the Church family was found the most extensive and costly dwelling in the settlement, built of brick, and with every appliance for comfort and to facilitate labor. Here also the utmost plainness and neatness prevailed, though here and there an upholstered chair, a picture upon the wall or a well-filled shelf of books displayed a refined taste, and suggested the idea that the wares of the outer world are beating restlessly against the shores of this island of asceticism and threatening to irrigate if not to overwhelm its fields and meadows. Here also are well arranged works, bringing a supply of water from the mountain into a tannery, and a large and fertile garden, where is conducted the business of raising vegetable seeds for sale throughout the country. A large building furnishes accommodations for putting up and selling these seeds.

Across the way, a large laboratory and manufactory of proprietary medicines is conducted by the Central family, in which industry many young and the very old are alike employed.

By the South family a large manufactory of the beautiful and unique Shaker chairs is conducted, the exquisite fabrics with which they are upholstered being woven by themselves, from wool raised in their own mountain pastures.

"Your numbers are gradually lessening, Elder Frederick says," was remarked to a brother to whom the writer was presented.

"Yes, we have been growing less for twenty years. Sometimes there will be a revival, just as there frequently is in other religious societies. At such times our order receives an impetus, and accessions are made. But the tendency of late is to let always leaves our numbers a little less than before the revival."

"Our family has been broken up within a few years, I hear."

"Yes."

"Many of the Canaan families grew so small in number that it was broken up and its members were incorporated with one families here."

"Is it common for attachments to be formed among members of the society, especially among the younger members, which culminate in marriage?"

"Oh, yes, it is not uncommon; but they go away and marry. Sometimes they write to us afterwards that they regret the step. We do not attempt to retain them when they are so determined."

"Do cases of outbreaking immorality are extremely rare among one people? Of course we have not been able to wholly prevent such occurrences, but they are speedily discovered and the parties at once sent away."

"Do husbands and wives sometimes come to join you and bring their children?"

"Oh, yes; it is not uncommon; they are at once separated of course, and are thenceforth no more to each other than the other brothers and sisters."

"Are the children brought up under the control of their parents?"

"Nay; there is one sister in each family who is placed in charge of the children, and the parents have themselves forward no share in their government."

"Is your population somewhat changeable?"

"Oh, yes. They come and go. Many of the children who are brought up among us drift away when they grow up. They become unmanly and vicious in the world, and they go away. But more than one in ten of those who grow up here remain with us through life."

"Do you admit all who come to you?"

"We exercise discretion in the matter of admitting members. New comers are not received at once as full members of our families, but on a novitiate. If they exercise their faith and give promise of being useful members of our order they are admitted."

"How do you account for the gradual diminution of numbers in your societies?"

"I do not profess to account for it. I have never given it much thought. We do not marry, as you know, and are dependent upon additions from without to keep our numbers good. We formerly sent out elders and deacons to preach, but that is not done now, at least not systematically. Occasionally, Elder Frederick, who is very zealous, goes out on a preaching tour, but this is seldom."

"You do not condemn marriage as wrong?"

"Nay, not in those who are of the outside world. I, for one, believe in the institution heartily. But it would not do for us here. I am not speaking now from a religious, but from a business point of view. If we were to marry and have families of our own in these communities, our system would speedily disintegrate. Now we have no division of interest; each, as an individual, works for one end, and that is the common good of all. If we had wives and children there would be a division of interests; jealousies and strife would creep in, and there would be trouble without end. Communism to be successful must carry with it no division of interests. As single individuals this result is readily attained; with families it would be impossible."

A BABY ESKIMO MARKSMAN.

The Arms and the Marksman—Ship of the Arctic Nursery.

One of the first toys that a little Eskimo has is a small bow of whalebone or light wood; and sitting on the end of the snow bed he shoots his toy arrows, under the direction of his father or mother or some one who cares to play with him, at something on the other side of the snow house. This is usually a small piece of boiled meat, of which he is very fond, stuck in a crack between the snow blocks; and if he hits it, he is entitled to eat it as a reward, although the little fellow seldom needs such encouragement to stimulate him in his plays, so lonesome and long are the dreary winter days in which he lives buried beneath the snow.

These toy arrows are pointed with pins; but he is also furnished with blunt arrows, and whenever some inquisitive dog pokes his head in the igloo door, looking around for a stray piece of meat or blubber to steal, the little Eskimo, if he shoots straight, will hit upon the nose or head with one of the blunt arrows, and the dog will beat a hasty retreat. In this sense, the little Eskimo boy has plenty of targets to shoot at, for the igloo door is nearly always filled with the heads of two or three dogs watching the baby's mother closely; and if she turns her back for a moment, they will make a rush to steal something, and get out as soon as possible before she can pound them on the head.

In these exciting raids of the half dozen hungry dogs, the little marksman is liable to get, by all odds, the worst of the encounter. He is too small to be noticed, and the first big dog that rushes by him knocks him over; the next probably rolls him off the bed to the floor; another upsets the lamp full of oil on him, and while he is reeking with oil, another big dog, taking him for a seal-skin full of blubber, tries to drag him out, when his mother happens to rescue him after she has accidentally tumbled him two or three times with the club with which she is striking at the dog; and if it were not for his blubber yelling and crying, one would hardly know what he is, so covered is he with dirt, grease and snow. Thus the dogs occasionally have their revenge on the young sharp-shooter.

He Expected a Change.

[Hartford Post.]

The revision of the Old Testament has received the hopes of some people who expect to have things smoothed for them all through the life. It was this interesting fact that induced Shuttle to attend church yesterday.

"How did you like the sermon?" inquired a friend, as he passed out of the vestibule.

"Never was so disgusted in my life. Why, the man took Thou shalt not steal for his text."

"That's a good text."

"It's the same old text. I thought the new version would read, 'Thou shalt not compromise for 25 cents on the dollar.'"

The "Arkansaw Traveler."

[The Current.]

Professor Tosso, the composer of the famous tune "The Arkansaw Traveler," and also the author of the dialogue which accompanies it, is still living in Covington, Ky., at the age of 83. It is curious to note that this musician, whose well meant humor did so much to hinder the growth of a great state by his extra vagant caricature of an alleged Arkansas citizen—which came to be accepted as a truthful type by people abroad—was born in the City of Mexico, of French and Italian parents.

True to Nature.

[Boston Beacon.]

'Squire Pummel—I tell you, deacon, my daughter Sue is going to Paris. She's an artist. "Her cattle pictures are so natural you can almost hear the critters low.

Deacon Plumtree—Poor girl. But my daughter Sal can beat that. She hain't no faith in cattle pieces. But she's painted some green cowcumbers so nat'ral that the hull family 'cums' mighty near havin' cholera morbus.

Cure for a Balky Horse.

[Exchange.]

There is a colored preacher who lives near Jasper, Ga., that cures his horses by butting him. If the horse is fractious or stubborn, he takes the kinks out by deliberately seizing it by the ears and butting it squarely in the forehead, knocking it down. This is generally does at the second or third butt, when the old parson steps behind and drives ahead again.

They'll Get Him.

[Cincinnati Journal.]

"Is that the crowd going out to the races, or is it a ratification meeting?"

"Neither, stranger; that man walking so fast in front is a country merchant; the 200 other fellows you see are drummers. They'll get him, stranger."

Tree-Planting.

[Chicago Herald.]

The day is not far distant when it will every where be considered a duty to plant a tree for every one that is felled. If civilization cannot show its superiority over savagery in ways like these it will have much to answer for.

Virtues of a Credit Balance.

[Boston Courier.]

I am informed by those who ought to know, that a credit balance at one's bankers possesses great virtues as an elevator of both morals and character.

Memphis Avalanche: It is writ in law in this world that men may work and communities lag, but nothing goes for more or less than it is worth.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

The English Crisis.

By the United Press to The News.

LONDON, June 12.—It now has been positively ascertained that the Marquis of Salisbury secretly left for Balmoral at midnight last night, and the belief is growing that the Queen has finally decided on accepting the resignations of the Liberal Ministers, and entrusting the formation of a Tory Cabinet to Lord Salisbury.

The secrecy which attended his Lordship's departure was probably due to a desire on the part of Her Majesty for a perfect understanding with the Conservative leader before officially accepting Mr. Gladstone's resignation. No positive announcements will, however, be made before the meeting of Parliament to-night.

The Parnellites are taking advantage of the present situation and are urging Conservative leaders to adopt a home rule policy for Ireland and thus forestall the Liberals in that direction.

International Exhibition Buildings on Fire.

LONDON, June 12.—A fire broke out this afternoon in the buildings in which the International Exhibition is being held at South Kensington. The entire section devoted to the exhibits from India has been totally destroyed, together with the chief dining saloons. Fifty engines are at work, and as many streams are being poured in upon the burning structure.

The firemen have gained considerably on the flames, and it is believed that a portion of the structure will be saved. There were but few visitors in the building at the time of the breaking out of the fire, and they with the attendants succeeded in making their escape.

An Indian Fight Probable.

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., June 12.—A courier has arrived here from Mule Mountains, 20 miles south of here, after arms, ammunition and provisions. He states that Captain John's citizens' party of thirty-five men and Lieutenant Richards with twenty-five cavalrymen have surrounded the Indians in Mule Mountains, and it is thought the savages cannot escape. He also said that reinforcements should be forwarded. Forty men were sent at once. A fight is expected to-day or to-night.

Sudden Death of a Father and Child.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12.—Daniel Sheehan, of Bushnell Basin, this county, died suddenly at four p. m. yesterday. Before the messenger for the coroner had started Sheehan's 11 year old daughter fell into the canal and was drowned.

A Mail Pouch Stolen.

COLUMBUS, O., June 12.—A mail pouch containing nine registered letters, was stolen from the mail room at the depot this morning. The registered letters were from Cincinnati, and points south and west.

A Skating Rink Burned.

UTICA, N. Y., June 12.—The Casino on Genesee St., the fashionable skating rink of this city, was burned this morning. The building was valued at $10,000, covered by insurance.

The N. Y. Central's President Dead

IRVINGTON-ON-THE-HUDSON, N. Y., June 12.—President Rutter of the New York Central Railroad died at his residence here this morning.

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TENETS OF A PECULIAR ORDER OF RELIGIOUS PEOPLE.

A Visit to the Communities Who Follow the Doctrines of Mother Ann Lee—Industries at Lebanon—Pleasing Impressions.

[Our Boston Herald.]

Elder Frederick put on his broad-brimmed hat, then a knitted scarf across his shoulders, took his staff and led the way.

"Our community, you understand, is divided into families," he explained, "and each is entirely separate, having its own government and its own property. All property is held in common in these families, but the families are entirely distinct from each other. One is called the North family; the others are the Church, the Central, the Second and the South families."

The elder then piloted his visitor through the extensive buildings of the North family. The laundry was first visited, where the machines for cleansing the linen are driven by water power. In a room adjoining the laundry were several large churns in active motion, also driven by water. In a large, airy, and light room above were several quiet figures clad in soft brown, with close-fitting lace caps and muslin kerchiefs, all engaged in ironing. The next building is the grist mill, where is ground the meal and flour used by the family.

"You make your own flour?" was asked in some surprise.

"Yes. The flour you buy and use isn't fit for human beings to eat. Just look at this wheat. It has been washed in three waters. If you could see the second water it runs off, you would be surprised at the amount of dirt you eat. Now that wheat is fit for a christian's stomach. The wheat you eat is only fit for heathens. Just look in this hopper. You see any dirt there. Yes, we believe in keeping clean. Now I am a vegetarian. I haven't tasted meat for more than forty years. It isn't fit to eat any more than is earthy wheat. When that wheat is ground into flour we bake it without leaven. That's the kind that Moses fed the children of Israel with."

The bare was the next objective point, and its long line of well-kept stalls for horses and cattle and its two enormous silos were thoroughly examined. Next the kitchen, with its great range; the closets as clean as soap and water could make them, and the wonderful refrigerating closet, surrounded by iron pipes, through which flowed streams of ice-cold spring water, were showed and admired.

Then Elder Frederick led the way up the steep side of the mountain, past a thriving grove of sugar maples planted twenty-five years ago, until almost the height of the roofs of the buildings, was found a well constructed reservoir, from which pipes descended the mountain side to supply the power in use in the buildings visited. This reservoir was filled from a lake in the mountains, a mile beyond and above.

Descending the mountain, the shirt factory was visited, where were more brown-robed, white-capped figures, and half a score of clattering sewing machines engaged in turning out shirts for a large New York manufacturer.

"We do this work in our spare time, when we have none of the work to do," explained Sister Margaret. "We turn out perhaps twenty or twenty-five dozen a week. It is remarkable how much work there is in a shirt, and it is remarkable how little they pay us for making them."

Throughout these explorations Elder Frederick interspersed explanations of what was seen, with a dissertation upon the tenets of the order, chief among which is a belief in the dual nature of God, combining attributes of both male and female, the rejection of the idea of Christ's divinity and of the resurrection of the body.

"It had been said of us," said Brother Daniel, "that celibacy is one of our cardinal principles. It is simply a condition growing out of the whole system. We believe in and practice a celibate life, because it alone is consistent with the higher angelic life, which is attainable by this system alone."

A stroll was next taken among the other families of the community. At the Church family was found the most extensive and costly dwelling in the settlement, built of brick, and with every appliance for comfort and to facilitate labor. Here also the utmost plainness and neatness prevailed, though here and there an upholstered chair, a picture upon the wall or a well-filled shelf of books displayed a refined taste, and suggested the idea that the wave of the outer world are beating restlessly against the shores of this island of asceticism, and threatening to irrigate if not to overwhelm its fields and meadows. Here also was a well arranged works, bringing a supply of water from the mountains; a tannery, and a large and fertile garden, where is conducted the business of raising vegetable seeds for sale throughout the country. A large building furnishes accommodations for putting up and selling these seeds.

Across the way, a large laboratory and manufactory of proprietary medicines is conducted by the Central family, in which industry the very young and the very old are alike employed.

By the South family a large manufactory of the beautiful and unique Shaker chairs is conducted, the exquisite fabrics with which they are upholstered being woven by themselves, from wool raised in their own mountain pastures.

"Your numbers are gradually lessening, Elder Frederick says," was remarked to a brother to whom the writer was presented.

"Yes, we have been growing less for twenty years. Sometimes there will be a revival, just as there frequently is in other religious societies. At such times our order receives an impetus, and accessions are made. But the reaction comes, and it always leaves our numbers a little less than before the revival."

"One family has been broken up within a few years, I hear."

"Yes, one of the Canaan families grew so small in number that it was broken up and its members were incorporated with our families here."

"Is it common for attachments to be formed among the members of the society, especially among the younger members, which culminate in marriage?"

"Oh, yes, it is not uncommon; but they go away and marry. Sometimes they write to us afterwards that they regret the step. We do not attempt to detain them when they are so determined. Cases of outbreaking insubordination are extremely rare among our people. Of course we have not been able to wholly prevent such occurrences, but they are speedily discovered and the parties at once sent away."

"Do husbands and wives sometimes come to join you and bring their children?"

"Oh, yes; it is not uncommon; they are at once separated, of course, and are thenceforth no more to each other than the other brothers and sisters."

"Are the children brought up under the control of their parents?"

"Nay; there is one sister in each family who is placed in charge of the children, and the parents have thenceforward no share in their government."

"Is your population somewhat changeable?"

"Oh, yes. They come and go. Many of the children who are brought up among us drift away when they grow up. They become unmoney and want to see the world, and they go away. Not more than one in ten of those who grow up here remain with us through life."

"Do you admit all who come to you?"

"We exercise discretion in the matter of admitting members. New comers are not received at once as full members of our families, but on probation. If they accept our faith and give promise of being useful members of our order they are admitted."

"How do you account for the gradual diminution of numbers in your societies?"

"I do not pretend to account for it. I have never given it much thought. We do not marry, you see, and are dependent upon accessions from without to keep our numbers good. We formerly sent out elders and deacons to preach, but that is not done now, at least not systematically. Occasionally Elder Frederick, who is very zealous, goes out on a preaching tour, but this is seldom."

"You do not condemn marriage as wrong?"

"Nay, not in those who are of the outside world. I, for one, believe in the institution heartily. But it would not do for us here. I am not speaking now from a religious, but from a business point of view. If we were to marry and have families of our own in these communities, our system would speedily disintegrate. Now we have no division of interest; each, as an individual, works for one end, and that is the common good of all. If we had wives and children there would be a division of interests; jealousies and strife would creep in, and there would be trouble without end. Communism to be successful must carry with it no division of interests. As single individuals this result is readily attained; with families it would be impossible."

A BABY ESKIMO MARKSMAN.

The Arms and the Marksman—Ship of the Arctic Nursery.

One of the first toys that a little Eskimo has is a small bow of whalebone or light wood; and sitting on the end of the snow bed he shoots his toy arrows, under the direction of his father or mother or some one who cares to play with him, at something on the other side of the snow house. This is usually a small piece of boiled meat, of which he is very fond, stuck in a crack between the snow blocks; and if he hits it, he is entitled to eat it as a reward, although the little fellow seldom needs such encouragement to stimulate him to play. Then, so long and long as the dreary winter days in which he lives buried beneath the snow.

Those toy arrows are pointed with pins; but he is also furnished with blunt arrows, and whenever some inquisitive dog pokes his head in the igloo door, looking around for a stray piece of meat or blubber to steal, the little fellow, as he shoots straight, will hit upon the nose or head with one of the blunt arrows, and the dog will beat a hasty retreat. In this sense, the little Eskimo boy has plenty of targets to shoot at, for the igloo door is nearly always filled with the heads of two or three dogs watching the baby's mother closely; and if she turns her head or back for a moment, they will make a rush to steal something, and get out as soon as possible before she can pound them on the head.

In these exciting raids of the half dozen hungry dogs, the little marksman is liable to get, by all odds, the worst of the encounter. He is too small to be noticed, and the first big dog that rushes by him knocks him over; his nose probably rubs him off the bed to the floor; another upsets the lamp full of oil on him, and while he is reeking with oil, another big dog, taking him for a sealskin full of blubber, tries to drag him out, when his mother happens to rescue him after she has accidentally p unneled him two or three times with the club with which she is striking at the dog; and if it were not for his hideous yelling and crying, one would hardly know what he is, so covered is he with dirt, grease and snow. Thus the dogs occasionally have their revenge on the young sharp-shooter.

He Expected a Change.

[Hartford Post.]

The revision of the Old Testament has revived the hopes of some people who expect to have things smoothed for them all through this life. It was this interesting fact that induced Shuttle to attend church yesterday.

"How did you like the sermon?" inquired a friend, as he passed out of the vestibule.

"Never was so disgusted in my life. Why, the man took 'Thou shalt not steal' for his text."

"That's a good text."

"It's the same old text. I thought the new version would read, 'Thou shalt not compromise for 25 cents on the dollar.'"

The "Arkansaw Traveler."

[The Current.]

Professor Tosso, the composer of the famous tune "The Arkansaw Traveler," and also the author of the dialogue which accompanies it, is still living in Covington, Ky., at the age of 83. It is curious to note that this musician, whose well meant humor did so much to hinder the growth of a great state by its extravagant caricature of an alleged Arkansaw citizen—which came to be accepted as a truthful type by people abroad—was born in the City of Mexico, of French and Italian parents.

True to Nature.

[Boston Beacon.]

'Squire Pummel—I tell you, deacon, my daughter Sue is going to be a first-class artist. Her cattle pictures are so natural you can almost hear the critters low.

Deacon Pummel—Pooty good. But my daughter Sal can beat that. She hain't no faith in cattle pieces. But she's painted some green cowcumbers so natural that the hull family came mighty near havin' cholera morbus.

Care for a Balky Horse.

[Exchange.]

There is a colored preacher who lives near Jasper, Ga., that rules his horse by butting him. If the horse is fractious or stubborn, he takes the bridle off and by dodging avoiding it by the ears and butting it squarely in the forehead until it fails to its knees. This is generally does at the second or third butt, when the old parson steps behind and drives ahead again.

They'll Get Him.

[Courier-Journal.]

"Is that the crowd going out to the races, or is it a ratification meeting?"

"Neither," answered the man walking so fast in front is a country merchant; the 700 other fellows you see are drummers. They'll get him, stranger."

Tree-Planting.

[Chicago Herald.]

The day is not far distant when it will everywhere be considered a duty to plant a tree for every one that is felled. If civilization cannot show its superiority over savagery in ways like these it will have much to answer for.

Virtues of a Credit Balance.

[Hugh Conway.]

I am informed by those who ought to know, that a credit balance at one's bankers possesses positive virtues as an elevator of both morals and character.

Memphis Avalanche: It is a vile law in this world that men may board and communities brag, but nothing gow for more an less than it is worth.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

The English Crisis.

By the United Press to The News.

LONDON, June 12.—It now has been positively ascertained that the Marquis of Salisbury secretly left for Balmoral at midnight last night, and the belief is growing that the Queen has finally decided on accepting the resignations of the Liberal Ministers, and entrusting the formation of a Tory Cabinet to Lord Salisbury.

The secrecy which attended his Lordship's departure was probably due to a desire on the part of Her Majesty for a perfect understanding with the Conservative leader before officially accepting Mr. Gladstone's resignation. No positive announcements will, however, be made before the meeting of Parliament to-night.

The Parnellites are taking advantage of the present situation and are urging Conservative leaders to adopt a home rule policy for Ireland and thus forestall the Liberals in that direction.

International Exhibition Buildings on Fire.

LONDON, June 12.—The fire broke out this afternoon in the buildings in which the International Exhibition is being held at South Kensington. The entire section devoted to the exhibits from India has been totally destroyed, together with the chief dining saloons. Fifty engines are at work, and as many streams are being poured in upon the burning structure.

The firemen have gained considerably on the flames, and it is believed that a portion of the structure will be saved. There were but few visitors in the building at the time of the breaking out of the fire, and they with the attendants succeeded in making their escape.

An Indian Fight Probable.

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., June 12.—A courier has arrived here from Mule Mountains, 20 miles south of here, after arms, ammunition and provisions. He states that Captain John's citizens party of thirty-five men and Lieutenant Richards with twenty-five cavalrymen have surrounded the Indians in Mule Mountains, and it is thought the savages cannot escape. He also said that reinforcements should be forwarded. Forty men were sent at once. A fight is expected to-day or to-night.

Sudden Death of a Father and Child.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 12.—Daniel Sheehan, of Bushnell Basin, this county, died suddenly at four p. m. yesterday. Before the messenger of the coroner had started Sheehan's 11 year old daughter fell into the canal and was drowned.

A Mail Pouch Stolen.

COLUMBUS, O., June 12.—A mail pouch containing nine registered letters, was stolen from the mail room at the depot this morning. The registered letters were from Cincinnati, and points south and west.

A Skating Rink Burned.

UTICA, N. Y., June 12.—The Casino on Genesee St., the fashionable skating rink of this city, was burned this morning. The building was valued at $10,000, covered by insurance.

The N. Y. Central's President Dead.

IRVINGTON-ON-THE-HUDSON, N. Y., June 12.—President Rutter of the New York Central Railroad died at his residence here this morning.

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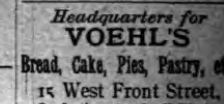
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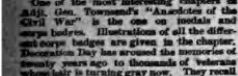
ILLUSTRATIONS SHOWING BADGES OF THE OLD ARMY CORPS.

The Badges Are Models of Merit—How They Originated — "Kearney's Patch."

A Witty Irishman—Last of All, the G. A. R.

One of the most interesting chapters in Adj. Gen. Townsend's "Anecdotes of the Civil War" is the one on insdals and corps badges. Illustrations of all the different corps badges are given in the chapter. Decoration Day has aroused the memories of twenty years ago to thousands of veterans whose hair is turning gray now. They recall the old tenting grounds, the long marches and the battlecries by some of hot skirmishes. It may occur to some of them that they have forgotten the badge of their own old army corps. Others may be children of some dead who do not know the meaning of the star, the cross, or the shield with the arrowed sabres left behind among the military flagery which is preserved with such pride.

To some of those the illustrations here given may, therefore, bring a memory or a revelation. They are reproduced from plates in Gen. Townsend's book.

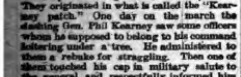


FIRST CORPS. SECOND CORPS. THIRD CORPS. FOURTH CORPS.

The badge of the First corps is a simple circle. The Second, a trefoil. Third, a lozenge; Fourth, an equilateral triangle.

Corps badges, the author tells us, came to be adopted through a curious accident. The corps originated in what is called the "Kearney patch." One day on the march the leading Gen. Phil Kearney saw some officers whom he supposed to belong to his command following under a tree. He administered to them a rebuke for straggling. Then one of them touched his cap in military salute to the general and respectfully informed him that they belonged elsewhere. The general replied immediately: "Pardon me, gentlemen; I will take steps to recognize my own men in the future."

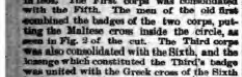
Directly he reached camp he gave orders that all the officers and men of his command should thereafter wear upon the front of their caps a round piece of red cloth. This was called "Kearney's patch" till the end of the war. After the death of brave Phil Kearney, in 1862, the officers of his corps, out of regard to him, continued to have the top, or crown pieces of their caps, of scarlet. After that the other corps, one by one, adopted distinctive badges.



FIFTH CORPS. MALTESE CROSS. SIXTH CORPS. GREEK CROSS.

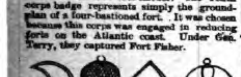
The Army of the Potomac was reorganized in 1864. The First corps was consolidated with the Fifth. The men of the old first combined the badges of the two corps, putting the Maltese cross inside the circle, as seen in Fig. 2 of the cut. The Third corps was also consolidated with the Sixth, and the lozenge which represented the Third's badge was united with the Greek cross of the Sixth in the manner shown in Fig. 4 of the illustration.

The law gives them a recognition. They are entitled to be worn on occasions of ceremony by all soldiers or officers who fought on the side of the United States during the late war and were honorably discharged, or who still remain in the service. The badges were worn upon the mens' caps.



SEVENTH CORPS. EIGHTH CORPS. NINTH CORPS. TENTH CORPS.

This Seventh corps, with its star and crescent badge was originally commanded by Gen. John A. Dix. The Eighth corps badge is a peculiar six-rayed star. The Ninth corps did service on the water for a time. Their badge indicates this marine service. It is a shield with a figure 9 in the center crossed with a cannon and foul anchor. The Tenth corps badge represents simply the groundplan of a fortified post. It was chosen because this corps was engaged in reducing forts on the Atlantic coast. Under Gen. Terry, they captured Fort Fisher.

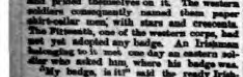


11TH CORPS. 14TH CORPS. 15TH CORPS. 16TH CORPS.

The Thirteenth corps never adopted a badge. The Fourteenth was composed of the famous "Acorn Boys," hence the badge. The name was given because the men of this command while isolated lived on roasted acorns after the battle of Chickamauga for a while. To commemorate this, they chose the acorn for the badge of their corps.

A fanciful anecdote is connected with the Fifteenth corps. It is, as will be seen, a square enclosing a black cartridge box, with the motto, "Forty rounds." Gen. Logan said: This is the story of its adoption: The Eleventh and Twelfth corps, eastern soldiers of the army of the Tennessee, were ordered west to join the department of the Cumberland. They were more sparsely dressed than the Cumberland veterans, western men, and paraded in their shirt sleeves. The eastern soldiers consequently named them paper shirt-collar men, with stars and crescents. The Fifteenth, a western corps, had not yet adopted any badge. An Irishman belonging to it met one day an eastern soldier who asked him where his badge was. "My badge, is it?" said the Irish man, slapping his cartridge box, "Here's my badge. Forty rounds! We've orders to keep forty rounds in our cartridge box, and we always do."

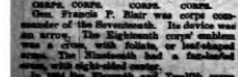
This good story was passed from man to man of the Fifteenth, and pleased them so well that the cartridge box soon became adopted as the corps badge. The badge of the Sixteenth corps is a circular surface, with the corners of four minie balls, pointing inward, in the shape of a Maltese cross, cut out of it. The cross was named from the commander, the A. J. Smith cross.



17TH CORPS. 18TH CORPS. 19TH CORPS. 20TH CORPS. 21ST CORPS.

Gen. Francis P. Blair was corps commander of the Seventeenth. Its device was an arrow, with eight-lobed center.

In 1864 the Eighteenth corps was formed, consolidated from the Tenth and Twenty-fifth. The Nineteenth corps adopted the Sheridan cross. The Twentieth corps adopted the Sheridan star, the Twenty-first corps adopted the Sheridan star and bore the badge of the Twelfth. The members of the old Eleventh preserved the identity by adding a small crescent between two points of the five-rayed star, as shown in the illustration.



22D CORPS. 23D CORPS. 24TH CORPS. 25TH CORPS.

The Twenty-first corps never had any badge; that of the Twenty-second was a five-sided figure enclosing a circle. This corps was largely on duty in and around Washington, and the device seems to have a reference to fort building. The Twenty-third corps commander was Gen. J. D. Cox, of Ohio. He draughted for them the badge of a simple shield. It did not refer to anything in particular. It was adopted at the beginning of the Atlanta campaign, 1864.

The Twenty-fourth, organized late in the war, was made up mostly of veterans who had served in other corps. They chose a heart as their device. Their commander, Maj. Gen. Gibbon, in his order, said: "The symbol selected is one which testifies our affectionate regard for all our brave comrades, alike the living and dead.

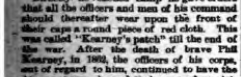
The badges are a recognition in law. They are in reality a medal of honor, and should be treasured as such by the children's children of those who obtained them. They are a certificate that the bearer fought for his country.

TWENTY-FIFTH CORPS, COLORED. HANCOCK'S VETERAN VOLUNTEER CORPS. SHERIDAN'S CAVALRY.

The Twenty-fifth corps was composed entirely of colored soldiers, under command of Gen. Godfrey Weitzel. They were the first to enter Richmond when it fell, April 3, 1865. Their device is a square placed diagonally within a square. Gen. Hancock's veteran volunteer corps wore a double wreath, surrounded by a seven-pointed figure. A wide red band passes through the center of the circle formed by the wreath.

The Sheridan cavalry badge is only worn by commissioned officers. It is two gold crossed sabers on a blue field, surrounded by a glory in silver.

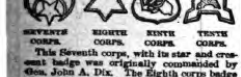
The first of the three figures in the next illustration, that on the left, shows the em-



blem designating the Wilson cavalry corps, a Spencer carbine, from which is suspended a red swallow-tailed guidon or streamer with crossed sabers. The centre figure in the picture shows the badge of the Pioneer cavalry, a spur with curb chains, and crescent and star suspended. The star and crescent appear to have been a favorite emblem with the army boys. The Frontier cavalry served in the Seventh corps in Arkansas. The shank of the spur in the badge was bent to represent a figure seven. The device on the right of the picture is the badge of the Engineer and Pontonier army corps. The castle at the top is the badge of the Engineer corps. The two oars crossed over the anchor upon the scroll beneath the pontonier part of the device.

Custer's bold cavalryman never had a badge. Their commander himself always wore an open turned-down collar, tied at the throat with a bright red scarf in a sailor knot. His men simply wore this scarf as their emblem, and there was no slightest difficulty in distinguishing them wherever they went.

The distinctive symbol of the department of West Virginia was a spread eagle.



SIGNAL CORPS, DEPARTMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND G. A. R. BADGE.

The badge of the Signal corps, shown on the left, indicates the instruments used in signaling, flags by day and torch by night, two flags crossed, with a flaming torch between them. In the center is shown the emblem adopted by the Army of the Cumberland, Gen. Thomas' command. It is a combination of the badges of the Fourth, Fourteenth and Twentieth corps. Last of all comes the badge of which many distinguished men are proud to wear, the symbol of the powerful organization of the Grand Army of the Republic. They appear to become more important and influential as the years go by. To them we owe Decoration Day and the monuments throughout the country to their fallen soldiers.

These corps badges belong only to the soldiers of the rebellion. At its close the volunteers went back to civil life, and the corps organizations were broken up. The immense army melted away like a dream. There are now no more corps commanders. Indeed, our little regular army of 25,000 present, 25,000 strong, contains, all told, not more than men enough to constitute a single one of the large corps of the civil war. These badges we have reproduced mostly represent that which no longer is. For this reason they are doubly to be prized.

The Late "Hugh Conway."

The English papers bring us some interesting sketches of the life of the late Mr. Frederick J. Fargus, better known as "Hugh Conway," the author of "Called Back." The Times and Mirror, of Bristol, his native place, says: "It is with very deep and sincere regret that we announce the death of Mr. Frederick J. Fargus. It was in The Times and Mirror that a few years ago, that his first prose production saw the light. He had previously printed many fugitive pieces, often collected under the title of "A Lilt's Idyls," and several ballads which were set to music and found favor and were eagerly sought by London publishers; and before the recent phenomenal success it had contributed numerous tales to leading periodicals, notably Blackwood's Magazine. But it was "Called Back" that placed him at once on the high pinnacle of fame as a writer of fiction.

As a friend, ever staunch and true, as a companion present, light-hearted and genial, Hugh Conway was deservedly popular in the social circle. Prosperity did not spoil him. Indeed, we have never known an instance in which a man so suddenly finding himself famous has borne his blushing honors more modestly.

He died in harness, he had just completed his last novel, "A Family Affair," and we will always remain as one of the standards in English literature, and was in search of

the material for still another when he was stricken down. He had been to Italy to witness the late fete in Southern Europe, and he took with him the germs of Roman fever to Monte Carlo, whither he had journeyed to recruit the wearers of the gambling saloons which have made that natural paradise notorious. Where could he have found a more congenial home for his talent? He had been at Monte Carlo but a few days when he found himself unwell. A physician was called, who pronounced his illness typhoid fever. He was tended by his wife, who was his traveling companion. His good physique and strong constitution enabled him to pull through the crisis of the fever. He went out for a carriage drive; the horses threatened to destroy the carriage, compelling him to leave it without wrapping himself more fully. He took cold and died. He had completed his 37th year, and leaves, besides his wife, four children. He was buried in the pretty little English cemetery at Nice.

The Whitehall Review: Many who knew Mr. Fargus personally have to regret the loss of a gifted and attractive friend. To a far greater number were familiar with the name and writings of Hugh Conway will feel deeply the removal from contemporary literature of a name associated with great success, and attended with the promise of even better things. There is something profoundly melancholy in the thought that Mr. Fargus had for so many years worked on patiently and persistently, almost unknown, until on a sudden success and popularity came to him, and gave to him not merely money, but the sweet and wholesome which are far dearer to a literary man. Mr. Fargus' success was startling, but it was not undeserved. He con d tell a story to a generation that were very eager to hear stories told to them, and were beginning to get a little weary of the purposeless and bloodless pamphlets which had of late been usurping the place of romance. A useful, honorable, and even brilliant literary and dramatic career was opening out before Mr. Fargus. His prose style was maturing and improving, and his last work, "A Family Affair," was a marked and striking advance on anything he had hitherto done. We can remember the occasion in which bright promise was so suddenly and so sadly marred.

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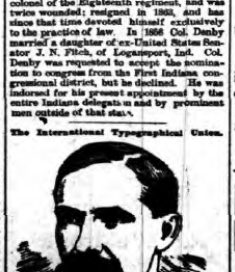
COL. CHARLES DENBY.

Col. Denby, who goes as minister to China, to succeed Mr. John Russell Young, was a gallant soldier in the Union army, and has been a Democrat all his life, and an uncommonly accomplished and capable man. He speaks French and Spanish fluently, is an able lawyer, and his studies fit him peculiarly well for the important mission to China. He was born 55 years ago in Botecourt county, Va. He was educated at Georgetown college, where he took three medals, more than had ever before been received by any one boy. His education was completed at the Virginia Military Institute. In 1853 Col. Denby removed to Evansville, Ind., where he was employed as a writer for The Evansville Daily Enquirer. Studying law at the same time, he was admitted to the bar in 1855; elected a member of the legislature in 1856; surveyor of the port of Evansville under President Buchanan for about three years, and served in the war as lieutenant colonel of the Forty-second regiment, Indiana volunteers, and colonel of the Eighteenth regiment, and was twice wounded; resigned in 1863, and has since that time devoted himself exclusively to the practice of law. In 1866 Col. Denby married a daughter of ex-United States Senator J. N. Pitch, of Logansport, Ind. Col. Denby was requested to accept the nomination to congress from the First Indiana congressional district, but he declined. He was induced by the present appointment by the entire Indiana delegation and by prominent men outside of that state.

The International Typographical Union.



MARVIN B. H. WITTER.

The thirty-third annual convention of the International Typographical Union, which began a week's session on June 1 in New York city, brought together an intelligent body of delegates from over 300 subordinate unions in the United States and Canada. Typographical societies are as old, almost, as the art of printing itself, and it is the experience gained by over 200 years of work in their associations that has led to make their present organization one of the most successful trades unions of the present day, their methods and laws of which are studied and adopted by brother labor organizations everywhere as best exemplifying the principle of co-operation among workmen.

The first printers' union in America," published in 1802, is a long list of the rules governing the printers of those days, whose association was formed under a title retained even now. The National union formed a temporary organization at Stonsell's hotel, on Fulton street, New York, in 1850, electing Col. Wm. Rogers, of Philadelphia, president, and Mr. Marvin B. H. Witter, secretary. The organization was effected, when the delegates drew lots for numerical positions. In 1869 the Canadian unions were admitted, making it an international association. Its growth has been one of steady progress, till now it numbers a membership of 18,000.

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Informs carpenters and builders that he has taken charge of the Wood Planefield Moulding and Planing Mill, and can furnish
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Special Notices.

WANTED, 100 Ladies to purchase our satin parasol, with paragon frame for $1.19 to black, blue, garnets, and navy. "Bee Hive," 38 West Front street.

SUNDAY MEALS at flowers' restaurant, Holly Tree Inn, Breakfast 8 to 9. Dinner 12 to 2 p. m., Supper 5 to 7 p. m.

FARM FOR SALE. 17 acres, 1½ miles. Will exchange. House 16 rooms suitable for Summer boarders. Shade. Fruit of all kinds. Inquire 18 East Front street. 9-4-tf

GOLDEN HORSE SHOE OPENING. Tuesday Carp Fair, 9 East Second street, June 16, when a fine lunch, including a "strawberry bowl" will be served all day. Music by the Caddell Band from 2 to 12 p. m. FRED CADDELL.

BUSINESS FOR SALE. 10 Retainers from one to five hundred dollars. Address Box 1792, Plainfield. 6-10 f

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A house containing five rooms and store, now occupied as a butcher shop, at Grant Corner, third street. Business and house will be sold together or separately. Apply to Michael Wiebler, owner, on the premises. 6-6-3t

A SEVEN ROOM HOUSE in complete order, Lot 50x250 feet, with a good variety excellent location; seven minutes from depot. For sale at a bargain on easy terms. Isaac Brokaw, 12 Duer street. 4-30tf

MRS. ANNA ULTZINGER, MIDWIFE, 69 Grenville, formerly of Hoboken. Residence Corner Center St. and Green Brook Road in the house of Mr. Ralph Stelle. 5-16-3m

THE REFORM CLUB HALL, with seating capacity for eight hundred, with accessory quarters and heated by steam, offers special inducements to those wishing to hire a hall for lectures or exhibitions.

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Cent-a-word Corner

FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms to rent for housekeeping. For further particulars apply at Bowers' restaurant, at Holly Tree Inn. 12-2

WANTED—Situation in small family, light housework. Would like care of child, for a colored girl aged 14. Very best references. Address, "Girl" care of Miss Barnes, Reynolds, N. J.

FOR SALE—Broilers, dressed and alive. Also choice lot of Langshan fowls. Also set egg incubator. Apply at residence of Lafayette and Kensington avenues or address P. O. Box 972, Plainfield, N. J. 11-5

A FEW TONS of choice timothy hay for sale. Address P. O. Box 465. 12-3

A GOOD WASHERWOMAN wanted, who can give a reference. Apply on Prospect Place, third house from Washington avenue, North Plainfield. 12-3

WANTED—A good seamstress to work by the day. Call at 4th street, second door from Front Place. 12-2

WANTED—By a young couple three furnished rooms for housekeeping. Address, M. E. Bulletin Evening News. 12-3

FOR SALE—A cow. Apply to Frederick Gray Bush Hill. 11-6t

PASTURE for horses and cattle, shade and water on East Front street. 11-6t

BOARD—In a private family at a most charming home near Crescent avenue. Address M. C., care of Evening News. 9-10-tf

EGGS for hatching, best varieties, $1 per clutch. Address Hatcher, care of Evening News. 6-13

FOR SALE—Two side-bar buggies, in good order. Will be sold cheap. Apply to McDonald's livery stable, on Sixth street. 6-6

FURNISHED HOUSE on Third Place to let. Enquire at 18 East Second and Front str eis or Chas A March. 5-28-tf

HOUSE TO RENT—Cheap. The house with all out at west corner of Park ave ue and Fourth street. Apply to J. U. Fraley, on opposite corner. 6 27tf

AN A No. 1, concert grand piano for sale at Carey's, 45 West Front street. Will be sold very low. 5-30tf

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ELOCUTION. Instruction in Elocution, class or private lessons. For terms, address Miss. Alberti, P. O. Box 1099.

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DR. T. S. DAVIS, Homœopathic Physician, Office 31 Broadway, near 5th st., Plainfield, N. J. Office hours—7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 3 p. m. & 6 to 8 p. m.

GEO. G. EARL and JACKSON JAQUES Civil Engineers and Surveyors. Having purchased all the records of A. A. Farnsworth, successor to J. E. and F. D. Dunham, embracing the past twelve years and connecting with nearly every piece of property in Plainfield, we are prepared to do work in our line with entire accuracy and despatch. At West Front St., Stillman Music Hall. P. O. Lock Box 1041. 2-11-tf

CRAYON PORTRAITS Miss Louise Moss, Crayon Artist. Specimen's at Reed's, 24 West Front, where orders [illegible] received. 2-6-6

WILLIAM B MAXSON, Counsellor at Law, will buy and sell real estate and mortgages, collect rents, and take charge of property. Official searches procured if desired without delay. 5-16-tf

DR. A. W. ANDERSON, No. 1 Front street, corner Front. Office hours 9 to 10 a. m., 1 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. 8-30-tf

JACKSON & CODINGTON, Counsellors at Law, Commissioners of Deeds, Masters-in-Chancery, Notaries Public. Offices corner of Park avenue and Second street.

CRAIG A. MARSH, Counsellor-at-Law, Supreme Court Commissioner, Notary Public and Master in Chancery, Notary Public. Office corner Front and Somerset streets.

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DR. R. W. HEDGES, Physician and Surgeon, 77 West Front street, corner Central avenue, Plainfield, N. J. Office hours, till 9 a. m., 1 to 2 and 6 to 7 p. m. 8-30-tf

WILLIAM H. CLUM, ARCHITECT, Park avenue, near Front street, Coward's Building, Plainfield.

DR. C. H. CLARK, DENTIST, Rooms over the Post Office. Office hours, 8 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m. Residence, 5 Arlington Place.

DR. ROBT. W. ANDERSON, DENTIST, 11 East Front street, over Grillon's Hardware. Laboratory at 120 East Second street. Gas administered. Office hours 8 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. 10-25-tf

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JOB PRINTING OF ALL KINDS.

To Executors, Administrators, Etc.

It is the privilege of all Executors, Administrators, Guardians, etc., in charge of the settlement of estates before the Surrogate, to have all the legal notices relating thereto published in what ever legal paper they may wish. As THE PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS is now a legal paper, being one year old, (the age required by law), all such notices sent to this office will receive prompt attention and insertion. Friends of THE NEWS, acting in any of the above capacities, can have notices inserted in this journal by directing the Surrogate to send such notices to this office for publication.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Sedlon drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.	1884.
6 a. m. 57	6 a. m. 67
9 a. m. 67	9 a. m. 67
12 m 77	12 m. 72
3 p.m. 80	p. m 75

Miniature Almanac.

Today and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise..... 4.38 a.m	Sunrise..... 4.38 a.m.
Sun Sets..... 7.33 p.m.	Sun Sets..... 7.33 p.m.
Moon Rises 8.15 a.m.	Moon Rises.. p.m.

Chronological Events.

Maryland chartered 1633.—Scott born 1736.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, followed toward evening by local rains, slightly warmer.

For Sunday—Local rains are indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States.

JOTTINGS.

—The house of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company is draped in mourning.

—Waldron has just completed an elegant frame for another painting for the Job Male Art Gallery.

—A delegation from the Plainfield Reform Club is expected to attend a festival of the Martinville Reform Club on Wednesday.

—The usual devotions for June were held in St. Mary's Church last evening, at which there was a lecture given and a society organized.

—The Bound Brook Chronicle says: "Between epidemics of whooping cough and mumps, school children here are having lively times."

—A base ball nine composed of Plainfielders went to Somerville Thursday afternoon and defeated the Stars of that place in a game of base ball.

—At a regular meeting of the Plainfield Cornet Band held last evening, Horace Martin was elected Band Manager to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Nathan H. Guttman.

—Edward Kennedy was fined ten dollars for dumping refuse matter in an open lot on George street, instead of five dollars, as was stated yesterday. The authorities say they intend breaking up the practice.

—St. John's Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar, of Elizabeth, a number of the members of which reside in this city, will participate in the Palestine Asylum dedication at Trenton on Wednesday, June 24.

—Dr. Charles M. Freeman, of New Jersey, has been appointed a medical examiner in the Pension office at Washington. The salary is $1800 per annum. The doctor is a son of the Hon. Manning Freeman, of Metuchen.

—The Bound Brook census gives the number of children of school age of that place as 320 and the seating capacity of the schools as 190. Private schools are estimated to take 31 pupils, and 100 is left unknown as the number who do not attend any school.

—The Railway Censor evidently does not favor the temperance movement. It says: 'Mabes and English, the temperance orators, can get off more old chestnuts than amateur minstrels. The Censor should have added that they were effective, if old.

—Hunt and Fisher, the photographers, with commendable enterprise, have got out a novel advertising card, containing excellent miniature likenesses of about sixty citizens of more or less prominence, which they are giving away to persons applying therefor, except to children, unless on request by letter from parents.

—A Plainfield lawyer is perpetrating the following on his friends, which, he says, is semi-original and has never yet appeared in "print." As the veracity of Plainfield lawyers is one of the most unimpeachable and raises them in the estimation of residents all over the State above their fellows, we give it for what it is worth. Apropos of the dog days, a countryman coming to town remarked that he had heard that "music hath charms to soothe the savage beast" (changing the well-known quotation slightly) and he supposed that was the reason dogs had brass bands on their necks.

—Real Estate Broker E. C. Mulford says in regard to Plainfield, its advantages and railroad facilities, as well as security to persons seeking homes, he would like to see Westfield go to the city to attend the executive weekly sessions of the Fire Proof Building Company of New Jersey and dropped my money in the car and charged it up to profit and loss and considered the drop curtain down. Not so, however. Friday evening I had a call from Mr. L. C. Pierson, who asked me if I had been to the city this week. I answered yes, on Wednesday. He asked me if I had lost any money. I said I had and told him how much. He then returned the same to me, which was duly received with thanks to Messrs. Stebbins and Pierson.

THE LADIES' FESTIVAL.

Presentation to Rev. A. H. Tuttle and Family.

The festival of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church was well attended last evening and the young ladies at the various tables, booths and refreshment stands were kept busy the entire evening supplying the demands of the patrons. About nine o'clock the Rev. Dr. Hurlbut called those present to order and in a most graceful and lively speech presented on behalf of the ladies and their friends a hand some crazy-work pillow and cover to the Rev. A. H. Tuttle, the pastor, and his wife, and to Miss Lottie Tuttle, a very pretty plaque, and to Master Tuttle, a boat. Mr. Tuttle thanked the donors on behalf of himself and family.

Those in charge of the various tables and booths included Miss Nellie Pangborn, at the fancy goods table, Miss Susie Jackson, at the book stand, Miss Emma Sanders and Miss Belle Lunger, at the confectionery table, Mrs. James W. Jackson, at the fruit stand, Miss Anthony and Miss Carrie Jackson, at the flower bower, Mrs. D. W. Davis, at the lemonade booth, and Mrs. L. M. French in the refreshment room. Many other young ladies assisted and made the vicinity of the various stands very lively with their quick repartee to the young men's jokes as to whether a fancy bag with bright colored ribbons was intended as a night cap or a mouse trap.

At the close of the evening nearly all the articles had been sold, and a rushing business reported from the refreshment rooms. A large sum will undoubtedly be added to the treasury of the Ladies' Aid Society by this their latest success.

Hotel Netherwood Notes.

The colored waiter at Mr. Woodruff's private table is a pianist of no small merit.

A real live count from the "sunny land" is expected next week. He can't speak a word of English.

Senor Raffo, the Italian Consul, and his charming wife, have returned from Italy, and will spend the Summer at Netherwood.

Mr. W. H. Echert, general manager of the Metropolitan Telephone Co., of New York, who, with his family has spent a portion of two years with Mr. Woodruff, is a delegate to the telephone convention now in session in Boston. The convention was called at the instance of the Bell Telephone Co. Its object is to discuss the best methods of conducting the business in this country, and includes representatives from all over the United States. The guests are entertained at the Hotel vendome.

There are now about one hundred and fifty guests at Hotel Netherwood and "more to follow." Three prominent families from the village have exchanged their home for a few week's stay at the hotel. A pleasant feature of life there for the young people is the dancing class, under the efficient leadership of Prof. Walsh. And somebody is always getting "something else up" for diversion and entertainment, for instance, a few days ago Mrs. Wilton Randolph and Master Harry Woodruff arranged a progressive euchre party, 28 players, six prizes. All passed off delightfully in a satisfactory manner, and wound up with dancing.

The American Mutual to Continue.

The discontinuance of incendiary fires in this city and vicinity has tended to increase confidence in insurance circles, as was evinced yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the policy-holders of the American Mutual Insurance Co. The meeting was held at the office of the Secretary, Mr. Codington, of the law firm of Jackson and Codington, at the corner of Park avenue and Second street, and was for the purpose of determining whether the company should discontinue doing business and wind up its affairs. It was unanimously determined that the company should continue doing business, and should avail itself of the twenty years renewal of charter recently obtained. Policy-holders from Somerville, New Brooklyn, Dunellen, Bound Brook, Westfield and other places were present.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

A meeting of the Yoke Fellows, of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held this evening at nine o'clock in the parlors of the Association.

On Monday evening there will be a Bible reading in the Hall of the Association on the "ables" of God.

At nine o'clock on Monday evening in the parlor of the Association the Devotional Committee will hold a meeting.

There has been considerable talk of changing the young men's meeting from Monday evening to Saturday evening. The matter will be decided on Monday evening.

Camouflage vs. Sunsets.

A very interesting and exciting game of base ball was played yesterday afternoon on the Richmond street grounds between the Camouflies, a team composed entirely of Plainfield druggists, under the captaincy of C. A. Butler, and the Sunsets, the druggists' friends, under the captaincy of Frank King. The game was characterized by fine playing on both sides, and ended in a victory for the Camouflies by a score of ten to nine. As the Sunsets were entitled to another innings, however, they claim the game.

Personal.

Miss Abby Powelson, of Bound Brook, has been spending the week with friends in this city.

Miss Thorn has recently completed a most beautiful life-sized portrait of a most beautiful Plainfield lady, perhaps the most beautiful of Plainfield's many beauties. It is of the style who combines with beauty in appearance silly vanity and affectation.

Tuesday was "dress day" at the Plainfield Seminary, and Miss Mary E. Cleveland, '86, appeared in a handsome costume.

Services To-morrow.

The usual early morning prayer meeting will be held at 9.15 a. m. in the parlors of Reform Hall.

The speakers at the Reform Club meeting in the evening will be the Rev. J. B. Cleaver, Judge Ulrich and Alexander Titsworth.

The usual evening meeting will be held in the Warren Mission Chapel, North Plainfield. Music by the Dunham Good Will Choristers.

The Young People's meeting in the Methodist Episcopal Church is held at 6.45 p. m., one hour before the beginning of the regular evening service.

The pulpit of the Park Avenue Church will be occupied in the morning and evening by the Rev. W. Leggett Kolb, of Philadelphia.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Wigger, of the Diocese of Newark, will administer the rite of Confirmation to a number of children, at the half-past ten o'clock mass in St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church. He will be assisted by the pastor, Rev. P. R. Smyth.

A cordial invitation is extended to all Christians of whatever name, and non-professors as well, to attend the union praise and conference meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in Reform Hall at four o'clock in the afternoon. Brief testimonies and good lively singing, led by the Dunham Choristers, is a part of the order of exercises. All are welcome.

The day will be observed as Children's Day at the Congregational Church. Instead of the usual service in the morning there will be a service designed especially for the children and in which the children will have a part. One of the features of the service will be the baptizing of infants. The Sabbath School will have its usual exercises in the afternoon. In the evening the pastor will begin a short series of Sunday evening sermons on Elijah.

To Ward Off Cholera.

The Board of Health are vigorously enforcing the law of cleanliness in the city. At a meeting recently held at the Mayor's office at which were present the Mayor, the President of the Council and the Corporation Counsel, the Health Inspector was instructed in detail as to the wishes of the Board. The Corporation Counsel has drafted forms of complaint to be used by the Inspector, and under them secured several convictions and fines in contested cases before the late City Judge. In the case called in the instance of the Bell Telephone Co. its object is to discuss the best methods of conducting the business in this country, and includes representatives from all over the United States. The guests are entertained at the Hotel vendome.

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Purifying Drinking Water.

The State Geologist of New Jersey gives the following directions for making a cheap but excellent filter for purifying drinking water: Fit the bottle filter, and is made by tying a piece of wet with turpentine around the bottom of a quart bottle and breaking out the bottom. This is done by lighting the string, and, when the flames have encircled the bottle, dipping it in cold water. Layers of fine cotton batting must then be placed in the bottle until a wad is collected that rests on the shoulders of the bottle and over its neck. Now dissolve a cup of of alum in hot water and pour the solution in a cup of cold water. This makes a filtering substance. I use alum because it is the only thing which will precipitate all the impurities of the water to the bottom. For every gallon of water that is desired to purify, add a teaspoonful of the filtering fluid and stir it until every particle of the animalcules is precipitated. This will usually take about five minutes. Then run your gallon of water thus treated through the filter, and you will have your water free from all impurities.

The Bicycle Club's New Rooms.

The Plainfield Bicycle Club have now been installed in their new rooms on North avenue for some time. They are on the first floor, and form a very convenient place for the members to leave their machines when riding from their homes to catch the train. A member ride to the train in the morning, leave their machines at the club's rooms, and return on them to their homes at night.

The rooms are beautifully carpeted, carpeted and furnished. Leading bicycle periodicals are on file, and a register is kept of visitors, which contains a number of well-known names. In the window the club's pennant attracts the notice of the passer-by, as do the handsome curtains. A place has been prepared for a dressing room, which will contain lockers for members of the club.

The club is in a very flourishing condition, now numbering over thirty members. Several new members were admitted at the last meeting, and the club and young devotees of the wheel belong to the club.

Memorial Service.

To-morrow a German memorial service will be held for John N. Stalmer, the late President of Constancy of the German Church, at Warren Mission Chapel. A cordial invite that the community would be very glad to have a song from the Sangerbund. The service will begin at 10.30 a. m. All Germans are very cordially invited.

Henry Geidler, an eighteen-year-old boy who lives at No. 27 Union street, Union Hall, shoemaker, was run over by a horse on Thursday and his left leg broken. He was driving a horse hitched up two pleasure, a short road and a pair of knickerbockers and started out to look his fortune. The latter proved a failure in Elizabeth, however. For several hours he roamed around the city in search of employment, but was unsuccessful. He then returned to his home in Union Hall, and was driving down the Delaware Bay and river.

The Jail Warden Case.

Sheriff Wilkinston, of Mercer County, served notice on the Board of Freeholders Wednesday that under the recent decision of the Supreme Court, he was the legal custodian of the prisoners in the County Jail, and that if the Board failed to recognize him, he would hold it responsible for the act The Sheriff is a Republican, and the Board is Democratic; the Jail Warden, Sweeney, is a Democrat. The Board laid the Sheriff's communication on the table and resolved to appeal the case to the Court of Errors and Appeals. The Board has also served a notice upon the Warden that if he continues to hold the office it will be at his own peril. The decision seems to be clear enough and under it the present Warden would seem to be an usurper.

The decision is applicable to all the counties in the State except Hudson and Essex, and therefore the same issue arises in this county. In Somerset County, the Sheriff has always had charge of the prisoners. It seems to be admitted that if the decision of the Supreme Court stands, and there is not much doubt expressed but that it will, the appointment of and the control over the Jail Warden, etc., belong to the Sheriff. A special reason urged for this is, that as he has the responsibility for the safe custody of the voluminor addresses and good lively singing, led by the Dunham Choristers, is a part of the order of exercises. All are welcome.

Sheriff Stiles will make a demand of the Board of Freeholders at their next meeting in July for the control of the will. Legal authorities say that if the demand is refused the Board will not only have to pay the persons who continue in control, but the sheriff also. The matter has aroused considerable discussion in political circles.

Funeral Services of the Late John Steiner.

The funeral services of the late John Steiner, at the Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday afternoon, were largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The Rev. Mr. Koechli of the German Church and the Rev. A. H. Tuttle of the Methodist Episcopal Church spoke. The body was escorted to the grave by Jerusalem Lodge, F. and A. M., and by the Sangerbund, of which society Mr. Steiner was a member. A large number of persons assembled at the cemetery to witness the Masonic rites, which were conducted by Worshipful Master John Ulrich.

Advertised Letters.

List of advertised letters in the Plainfield post office, June 13, 1885:

Boswell, Cornelia,	Burcup, Miss Sarah
Davis, Alonzo B.	D. C.
Green, Mrs. L. R.	Higgins, Miss Maggie
Howard, William	Morris, Miss Gertrude D
Miller, Anna W.	Morris Lillie
Miller, William	Parkes, Howard
Packer, Prof. W. W.	Randolph, Miss Annie
Rice, Mrs. M.	Standard Organ Co.
Stearns, Miss Jane	Smith, Miss Sarah M.
	Snyder, Mrs. R. M.

When called for please say advertised.

E. R. POST, P. M.

State Notes.

Thomas H. Kelly has been appointed Collector of Internal Revenue for District in place of S. E. Darling, who has held the office for thirteen years.

The 158th annual Commencement exercises of Princeton College began today. In the afternoon the Dartmouth College base-ball game of the championship series will be played and at night there will be given a glee club and banjo concert.

The mysterious epidemic which some weeks ago made its app-arance among the horses at Williamsburg, Gloucester County, and which has the symptoms of Asiatic cholera in the human family, is slowly abating there, but is gradually extending its territory.

The Waverly Congregational Church, of Jersey City, has extended a call to the Rev. J. Jn. F. Smith, a student about to graduate from the Union Theological Seminary. He expected to assume the pastorate, but has broken down through nervous prostration caused by overwork.

A Pinkerton detective, who for the past few days has been investigating the cause of the destruction by fire of the residence of Mrs. Chauncey at Spotswood, two months ago, says that he has obtained evidence that the house was burned intentionally. He was employed by insurance companies of New York.

Mercer County makes the most remarkable showing showing of any of the counties of the State in the matter of criminals committed. It began last year with a balance on hand of $9,997.38, and closed with a balance of $33,000.64 on hand. The tax levy for 1885 imposed was $160,000. Next to expenditures for bridges, jails, etc., the highest expenses have been for the keeping of lunatics, idiots, etc.

Adrian Hitt, who travelled a wheelbarrow from San Francisco to Jersey City, obtained a warm welcome yesterday morning at the shop his landlady has valuable models of an electric motor belonging to him. Hitt, on the arrival, engaged board with Mrs. Helen Culver, No. 342 Henderson street. The money which he received by selling his "pedestrian" exhibition outfit he was unable to pay his board. He says that when he left Mrs. Culver refused to allow him to remove his trunk from the house until he did.

Charles R. Zacharias and Miss Adelaide Marsh both residents of Newark, when they concluded to join in matrimony's bonds, decided to have the ceremony performed in a novel manner. Both are skillful bicyclers and when all was in readiness the groom mounted a bicycle and the bride an elegant new tricycle and, waving a cheerful adieu to their friends, they rode quickly to the Second Presbyterian Church, Orange. They were accompanied by numerous friends in coaches. Upon arriving at the church they quickly alighted and started off on their wedding tour which will extend over a month, and will take in all the best bicycling roads in Pennsylvania.

New Jersey fishermen are jubilant over the announcement made Saturday evening that all clear cash in the treasury of the Delaware from the substitution by the Delaware authorities. The agreement between the Governors of the two States was signed a few days ago. Delaware could not collect the money from the Jersey fishermen, because of twelve miles around New Castle and her authorities arrested several Jersey fishermen for violating the laws. Governor Abbett telegraphed from Washington that the United States Marshal had replevined the money and that the fishermen of the Delaware would be released and returned to their owners. The fishermen have been greatly incensed at the action of the Delaware authorities, and have threatened to clean the Delaware Bay and river.

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NOTES OF WARNING.

LITTLE MATTERS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO COOKS AND EATERS.

Agents in the Formation, or Prevention, of Perfect Health—Of More Importance Than the Formula of a Cholera Cure.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

It is plainly seen by an inquiring mind that, aside from the selection and preparation of food, there are many little things constantly arising in the experience of every-day life which, in their combined effect, are powerful agents in the formation or prevention of perfect health. A careful observance of these little occurrences, an inquiry into the philosophy attending them, the willing the province, and indeed should be considered among the highest duties of every householder.

Milk when swallowed rapidly by the glassful is very unwholesome. A quantity of it entering the stomach at once is changed from a fluid by the acid juices of that organ into a hard, cheesy curd, through which the gastric juice can not pass; it is turned over and over, and, as its surfaces can only be reached, it digests very slowly. It is sometimes fatal to a weak stomach. It should be taken slowly, eaten with something else, or sipped by the spoonful.

Eggs should be cooked either very soft, or so hard as to be easily crumbled to a powder. The intermediate stage is toughening to the albumen, and renders it insoluble by the gastric juice; those insoluble portions are often delayed in the stomach, or intestines till they putrefy, and the sulphuretted hydrogen and ammonia evolved become poisonous to the intestinal canal."

The same authority says that "fish food in the form of croquettes passes rapidly through the stomach without being dissolved by the gastric juice; but meat when taken in larger pieces, is all digested."

Drinking very cold water near dine time or a meal arrests the process of digestion until the temperature of the stomach, which has been reduced, is restored to its normal state. *No more fatal dictum for gastric juices, and* has, to be absorbed before digestion can go on.

The unwholesomeness of pie-crust, short-cake and baking-powder biscuit may be prevented in part by a thorough mixing of the lard or butter—the latter is the better—with the flour; otherwise it will cake and the starch will not burst, and a sodden dough is the result. A small quantity of baking powder is helpful to a more even distribution of the shortening and makes such pastry more wholesome.

Never allow spread fruit, fish or vegetables to stand in the tin can. Never stir anything in tin, or if it is done, use a wooden spoon. In lifting pies or cakes from bright tin pans, use great caution that the knife does not scrape off flecks of the bright metal.

Never make tea in a tin pot. The tannin, which in acrid, attacks the tin and produces a poison.

Never use water which has stood in a lead pipe over night. Not less than a wooden bucketful should be allowed to run first.

Never use water from a stone reservoir for cooking purposes.

Never allow fresh meat to remain in paper; it absorbs the juices.

Never keep sugar or yeast in stone crocks or jugs; their acid attacks the glazing, which is found to be poisonous. Glass for either is better.

All cooking utensils, including iron pots, should be rinsed after washing and carefully wiped on the inside with a clean, dry cloth. A soapy or greasy dish-cloth should never be used for the purpose.

Novel Experiments in Nashville.

[Atlanta Constitution.]

A professional mind-reader is giving public exhibitions of his peculiar power in Nashville. After witnessing his performances, the idea occurred to a number of citizens that the mind-reading faculty might belong to everybody and they straightway went to work to test the matter. A reporter of The Union was invited to a family circle where the experiment was being tried.

A delicately organized girl of 18 was blindfolded and told to compose her mind, and if possible not to think of anything. She stood in the middle of the floor with a gentleman and a lady touching her waist on each side. Then the gentleman and lady secretly agreed that the girl should go into *a certain room and search for a coin hidden* under a certain article. The child stood fully a minute without moving, then slowly walked to the room, opened the door, went to the dressing case, fumbled around, raised the mat, and with a sigh of relief drew forth the coin. When the handkerchief was taken from her eyes she described her feelings. She felt that she had been in a dream and, moreover, by her actions had taken a command to go to the dressing case, lift the mat and take up the quarter. Several other tests were tried with interesting parlor entertainment. A gentleman was made to kneel before a lady and clasp his hands as if asking pardon. The lady walked around and around her and reflected in the mirror.

In various parts of the city similar experiments have been tried with more successful results. A musicianer of the city council states that he has succeeded in making the members of his family do anything he wished by putting his forefinger on the forehead of the one he desired to perform the act thought of. The phenomenon of thought transference or mind-reading has a young field in all ages but they seem to be new in Nashville, and the investigators are having a high old time.

A Vulnerable British Port.

[New York Sun.]

The harbor of Esquimalt, the only British naval station on the Pacific coast of America, is one of the safest and most picturesque harbors in the world. It is about three miles in length, with a depth of water sufficient for the largest iron-clad ship-of-war can safely float, surrounded by low wooded hills, with a narrow land-locked entrance from Juan de Fuca straits. Esquimalt, is after San Francisco, the best harbor in the west coast of North America. A large naval graving-dock is well advanced toward completion at the upper end of the harbor, and the dockyard is also near the entrance. Yet, strange to say, this important station of the empire has never been fortified. In the absence of British ships from the harbor there is literally nothing to prevent an ordinary steamer, armed with one rifle gun, from steaming in and destroying the dock yard buildings, the graving dock, and the village of Esquimalt.

The Oldest Soldier.

[Exchange.]

The oldest soldier, measured by his term of service in the United States army, is Ordnance Sergt. Charles Lange, who is on duty at San Francisco. Sergt. Lange is a few months over 88 years of age, having been born in Saxony, January 25, 1797. He has been thirty-eight years and three months in continued actual service in the United States army.

The tailed writers are becoming scarce. Cheap steels is driving them out.

HOW GREAT MEN EAT.

A BALTIMORE CHEF RELATES SOME REMINISCENCES.

Jay Gould's Abstemiousness—Vanderbilt Not a High Liver—Bonanza Mackey, Ex-President Arthur, Villard, Brooker, Grant and Sherman.

[Baltimore Herald.]

"We fellows," said the chef of a well-known restaurant, recently arrived from New York, as he deftly impaled a piece of cold ham on his fork and guided it toward an enormous cavity beneath his nose, that suddenly opened to receive it, "control the destinies of the world. We are the true dukes of the universe. We mold public opinion in the *frying-pan, save wars in the cabbage-pot*, serve up divorces, steaming hot, in the vegetable dishes, and can carve more marriages and private fights out of a two-pound steak than the newspapers could publish in a week."

"All very true," responded the individual who was enjoying the repast at a table of Cliequot with the retired cook in question, "but suppose you drop from generalities and tell me something about the great people whom you have fed. What do they eat and drink?"

"Ah!" continued the chef, getting outside of a stalk of celery with remarkable grace and agility, "you will be astonished to learn how few of our great men are gourmands, though lots of them are gourmands. Jay Gould drinks absolutely nothing except milk or water. He prefers the former. He never touched whisky or champagne in his life, although his beautiful wife, $100,000 yacht, the Atalanta, never went out of port without having her wine closets well stocked. Gould likes to see his friends well entertained while they are in his charge, and big, bluff Jack Shackford, the captain of the boat, knows every brand of wine by heart, and is a capital fellow to take care of a closet. Gould is extremely abstemious in his eating. For breakfast he likes Graham toast, milk, a piece of pickle and a couple of soft-boiled eggs. For lunch he wants cold ham, a cold tea biscuit, if he can get it, and another glass of milk. His dinner revolves around a tender piece of sirloin steak, well broiled rare. He has not fancy wild game, but is fond of stewed oysters, with the broth thickened with Graham wafers. I never saw him eat onions in my life.

"Vanderbilt is not a high liver, but he eats a good deal of whatever he likes, and is not ashamed nor afraid to drink anything a barkeeper can mix. He dilutes his whisky with Apollinaris water, and often, when driving in the park, stops at the Casino and makes his own cocktail from a whisky he takes with him in a silver flask. He borrows a scrap of lemon-skin and a double of absinthe and pays 25 cents for drinking his own liquor. His weak point at table is pickled onions, so prepared by his French cook that none of the vile flavor remains. He sprinkles a good bunch of cayenne pepper over the onions and devours them with a relish.

"Bonanza Mackey is even plainer in his eating than Gould. He is fond of corn, somewhat at intervals with dyspepsia, and has a horror of radishes and cucumbers, but likes a plain steak trimmed with onions and served with Lyonnaise potatoes and stewed tomatoes. He is not a pie-eater. He started in life as a saloon-keeper, but is a very light drinker, preferring a glass of milk at lunch. He is a very graceful manipulator of the corkscrew, and has not forgotten any of the tricks of his old profession.

"Ex-President Arthur is a great claret drinker. He never went cruising on the Dauntless, while he occupied the White House, without carrying a wagon-load of claret with him, and one of the most particular duties with which his mulatto valet was charged was to look after the wine cellar and superintend the removal of the empty bottles. Champagne came second, in Mr. Arthur's estimation.

"Henry Villard is a plain, substantial eater, with a decided penchant for cabbage. He is a connoisseur of Westphalian hams, and is quite fond of Sweitzer cheese, much of which, although so doubt he does not suspect it, is made in New York state. He is a light drinker, and patronizes soda water fountains in hot weather. Russell Sage is the coffee drinker of Wall street. He wants it in the morning, he want it at lunch and he wants it at dinner, and he always takes a cup before retiring. George I. Seney likes tea as heartily as Sage does coffee, and clings to it like an old maid. Rev. Henry Ward Beecher loves soda water, drinks it slowly, as though it were the nectar of the gods, and between each draught throws his chin up in the air like a hen. Mr. Beecher never had a professional cook, and at formal dinners he is an all-around eater, with a very healthy appetite for veal cutlet and peas. He makes a sort of temperance punch out of lemonade and soda water, and usually calls for lemonade at a banquet.

"Gen. Grant is not a heavy eater, and he would often mean a cook's head if not highly seasoned. At a cafe he picks out a plain, substantial collection of victuals from the bill of fare and washes them down with any liquid that is handy. The only two things that Gen. Sherman never refuses to do. One is to drink whisky, the other to kiss a pretty girl. He inclines to wild game and raw oysters. The boss waiter of the army is Gen. Phil Sheridan, and he and Gen. Hancock can together get up a dinner that would tickle the palate of a king. The bill of fare would embrace roast pheasant, canvas-back duck, mushrooms, lamb cutlets stuffed with French dressing and young quail in fall aspic with olive oil and trimmed with grated celery, seasoned with cayenne pepper. This last dish was invented by Gen. Sheridan, and he considers it one of the greatest efforts of his life.

"Ben Butler's fancy soc-saws between milk and Rhine wine. He is a hearty beefeater, and usually orders his lunch in sandwiches and hard-boiled eggs than any man who ever went into the congressional restaurant. Ex-Senator David Davis inclines to lemon pie, doughnuts, peanuts and lemonade. Senator Mahone likes pure, unadulterated whisky, and generally begins a big feed with champagne and rounds it off with brandy. The late Senator Ben Hill, of Georgia, was an enormous eater. George Alfred Townsend is a practical admirer of the delicate cabbage, and Gen. Butler has since given up the bacon. Charles Dana, of The New York Sun, makes a regular diet of pie.

"Actresses are good livers, as a rule. They make merry while alive, and like to wind up with a fine funeral that will show up well in the papers."

Trying to Freeze the Germs.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Disease germs are probably much less affected by extreme cold than might be expected. Experiments have been reported to the Glasgow Philosophical society in which a temperature of 450 degrees below zero was insufficient to stop processes of putrefaction.

Chicago Children: Never in the history of the world have so many died from cholera infantum.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

A CYCLONE WRECKS A TRAIN.

Blown from the Track, and a Number of Passengers Injured.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., June 13.—A passenger train on the Sioux Falls branch of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad was blown from the track about seven miles west of here last night near McCook Station, in Dakota, by a cyclone. The train was going at nearly full speed when the cyclone struck it. Two passenger coaches, the baggage and express cars and the engine tender were lifted from the track and thrown on their sides in a ditch. The engine was only partly derailed.

The storm came up very suddenly and was entirely unexpected. There were sixty or seventy people on the train and nearly every one received scratches or bruises more or less serious. The most severely injured were the following: Conductor McCall, head badly cut; D. T. Hedges, slightly cut about the head; T. J. Rockwood, injured also in the head, and shoulders, and Mrs. O. P. Moore, wounded about the head, all residents of Sioux City. L. M. Scott, express messenger, received severe internal injuries. An old gentleman and his wife, name unknown, badly bruised and at first reported killed, but they will probably recover.

It is remarkable that any one escaped alive. A passenger describes the scene as being something terrible, the cries and groans of the wounded being mingled with the roar of the wind. A brakeman was sent to McCook Station for physicians. A wrecking train was dispatched from here as soon as the accident was reported.

The storm was severe and the telegraph lines are prostrated in every direction except those along the line of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road. On the Northern Pacific six miles of wire are lying on the ground. So far as learned there is no very serious damage to the crops or buildings.

Found Guilty of Manslaughter.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 13.—In the trial of William A. White charged with the murder of Samuel Proper in Dover Plains, N. Y., the jury brought in a verdict, shortly before eleven o'clock finding the prisoner guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. The jury at once sentenced White to fifteen years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Railroad Accident in Ireland.

DUBLIN, June 13.—A report has reached here from Mallow to the effect that the mail passenger train running between that place and Tralee broke down near the latter place this morning while running at a high rate of speed, and that a number of passengers have been killed and injured.

A Church Burned.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., June 13.—The Methodist church here was burned this morning at four o'clock, causing a loss of $20,000. Several other buildings caught fire but were not greatly damaged.

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LONDON, June 13.—Lord Salisbury has not, as yet, signified his willingness to accept the responsibility of forming a new Cabinet.

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[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, June 10.—Chateaubriand, in his "Genius of Christianity," expressed the thought which entered his mind while standing at the tomb of Christ, that "it was the only tomb of man which, at the sound of the last trumpet, would have refused to yield forth." The dedication last week of the

THE CATHEDRAL AT GARDEN CITY.

Stewart memorial cathedral, at Garden City, L. I., which was erected to cover the remains of the late A. T. Stewart, the merchant prince of New York, brings to mind the above, as it is the belief of many that the most costly tomb of modern times, is still empty, and the mines of him whom it was designed to cover may never enter there. The whole history of what is mortal of A. T. Stewart since it was stolen from the grave is still a mystery. Positive assertions are made both ways as to whether the body was ever recovered, but those who should know are reticent on the subject while it is presumed if the truth was agreeable to tell they would undoubtedly state it. To those who may have forgotten the incidents connected with this mystery it may be interesting to recall in brief the more interesting facts beginning with Mr. Stewart's death.

In his marble palace at Thirty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, New York city, he died on April 10, 1876. He was the most successful merchant in all the great metropolis ever contained. He came to America in 1818 to seek his fortune, being then a young man about 20. He had been educated for the Protestant ministry, studying for a time at Trinity college, Dublin. He brought with him letters of introduction to the wealthiest merchants here, so that his start was exceptionally favorable. The story of his wonderful success was the usual one—application, perseverance, strict business habits, combined with the natural trading talent which came to him from his Scotch-Irish ancestry. He gave from fourteen to eighteen hours every day to his business. He thought of nothing else, lived for nothing else, until at the time of his death he owned the largest dry goods store in the world, and property of all kinds, estimated to be worth $40,000,000.

THE BURIAL OF ALEXANDER T. STEWART.

His funeral was one of the notable ones and he was buried with imposing ceremonies in his vault in the graveyard surrounding St. Mark's church, which is located about Eighth street and but two blocks from busy Broadway.

Mr. Stewart was extremely superstitious. The fact that he hesitated to remove with his own hands the stand of the old apple woman from his old store to the new, and in front of his new dry goods palace, being under the impression that her presence insured his prosperity, is an illustration. His was also opposed to having his portrait in existence, so that one of the first things attended to after his death was the securing of a photographer and posting a watcher to "secure his shadow ere the substance fade."

Over one year and a half after words, on the morning of November 8, 1878, the startling discovery was made by the sexton of St. Mark's church that the body of Mr. Stewart had been stolen from its grave during the night. On entering the vault it was found that the strong cedar box containing the coffin had been pried open, the leaden case in which the coffin was hermetically sealed had been cut away, the coffin lid removed and the body, with its clothing, had been carried away, together with the solid silver plate of the coffin.

This plate, the sexton afterwards acknowledged in his testimony, was only plated. It was then learned that the robbers had been over a year previously that the body would be stolen; a guard was engaged to watch the tomb, but he was, a few days previous to the occurrence, dismissed. The iron door which marked the entrance to the subterranean vault had been removed a distance from the proper place, to deceive the ghouls who might attempt to enter, but to no purpose. It was found that the robbery was the work of an expert. Three flagons covered the entrance to the vault. These were found beneath the sod. This latter had been dug away at the precise spot necessary to uncover the proper stones.

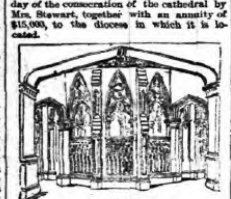
The body has been carried away in a common sack, the robbers making use of the portion of an adjoining bone to assist them in getting the cadaver over the high iron fence surrounding the graveyard. Here were found putrid spots of mould that had oozed through the bags. A reward of $25,000 was offered for the recovery of the body. Negotiations were carried on between the thieves

THE THIEVES REMOVING THE BODY.

and those representing the dead man. Seventeen resurrectionists, four hackmen and numerous conspiring accomplices were arrested, several of them making full confessions. Mediums were employed. The whole detective force of the country were on the alert; even a thousand was put on the track of the thieves, but without success. Finally the offer of a reward was retracted and the sum of $50,000 was advanced for the conviction only of the robbers, so that it is reasonable to suppose the latter put out of reach every vestige of their crime. They have never been caught, and the mausoleum at Garden city covers an empty tomb.

Mr. Stewart had during life often considered the idea of constructing a memorial church at Garden City. But none of the various plans contemplated took sufficient shape to be executed. Mrs. Stewart knowing her husband's desire in the matter began immediately after his burial to carry out what she knew would be his wishes in this matter. Architects were consulted and a plan was accepted for a mausoleum said to be the finest in the world, even surpassing that of Napoleon.

This memorial cathedral is not a large structure; it might be called a cathedral in miniature, but it is a magnificent example of Gothic architecture. It will hold less than 500 worshipers comfortably. It has the largest and most wonderful organ in the country. Steam and electricity are used in operating it. It comprises five distinct organs—the chancel, the choir, the echo organs, one in the crypt and another in the tower. These, together with the chimes in the belfry, will all be played by one organist at a single keyboard. The cathedral schools and ground attached are supposed to be worth $2,000,000, and were presented on the day of the consecration of the cathedral by Mrs. Stewart, together with an annuity of $15,000, to the diocese in which it is located.



THE CRYPT.

On each side of the cathedral granite steps lead under the chancel to a mortuary chapel 26 by 36 feet, from which there are two entrances to the mausoleum. This room is in the form of a circle 26 feet in diameter and twenty feet high. The floor, sides and ceiling are of the finest and rarest marble. In the middle of this is the sarcophagus, six feet in height, solid and richly carved granite, at the head of which is a life-sized marble figure of the angel of the resurrection, the whole lighted by the most magnificent stained glass windows to be found, it is claimed, in America.

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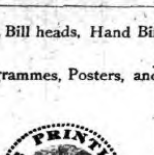

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelles drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	68	6 a. m.	55
9 a. m.	79	9 a. m.	59
12 m	85	12 m.	65
3 p.m.	87	3 p.m.	75

Moisture Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise, 5.28 a.m.	Sunrise, 5.28 a.m.
Sun Sets, 7.36 p.m.	Sun Sets, 7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises 9.57 a.m.	Moon Rises, p.m.

Chronological Events.

Washington elected commander-in-chief 1775—Mass. Cowpens, 1857.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair, slightly cooler weather in the morning, followed toward evening by local thunder storms.

For Tuesday—Local rains are indicated in New England and the Middle Atlantic, and clear and slightly cooler in the lake region.

JOTTINGS.

—The school children are happy over the fact that there are but two more weeks of school.

—A number of the young people of Evona are arranging for a moonlight ride to Boynton Beach some evening soon.

—J. J. Brooke, expert accountant and bookkeeper, presents his card to the public today in the professional column of THE NEWS.

—People burning waste paper in the streets should be careful not to let the wind scatter the paper and thus annoy their neighbors.

—The teachers' meeting of the Congregational Sunday School will be held on Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Whiting, on Sixth street.

—The lace department at Elsall's dry and fancy goods store receives a large share of the ladies admiration, and is an effectual means to open their purses.

—The picnic to Chimney Rock of the Knights of Pythias, in celebration of their thirteenth anniversary which was to have taken place on Saturday, has been postponed until further notice.

—A truck locked wheels with a carriage at the corner of Park avenue and Front street about half past nine o'clock this morning. As the truck was not going fast the wheels were extricated before any damage was done.

—Mabee and English have finished their work in Rahway, and have gone to their respective homes for the summer. During the past season they and their co-laborers have visited many of the principal cities and villages in the State.

—The skates and fixtures of Recreation Hall, the name of the rink at New Brunswick have been sold out at chattel mortgage sale. The sum realized was $351.20. The proprietor of the rink, according to accounts, treated his guests and every one else in a very shabby manner.

—The pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal Church was very handsomely decorated with potted and cut flowers yesterday. The increasing custom in the churches of decorating the pulpits with flowers and plants is a very beautiful one, and adds a charm to the service not otherwise easily obtained. It enforces without speech the Bible words, "Consider the lilies."

—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company began last week the payment of wages on the line of the New Jersey Central Railroad. The payments will be made very rapidly and concluded on the line of the latter road in about two weeks. The officers of the company state that it is now in receipt of money more rapidly than in the first six months of the year, and will be able to make the wages payments more promptly.

—The New Brunswick House News of June 5, which has but to-day reached us, has the following: "The latest surprise in Plainfield is the enlargement of THE EVENING NEWS of that city, from a six to seven column folio paper. Mr. F. W. Morrison, the editor, settled in Plainfield less than one year ago, when he started his daily. That inside of one year he should be so well supported as to require to enlarge his paper is proof positive that his newspaper enterprise has proven a great success, on which we heartily congratulate him."

—John B. Holmes, of North Plainfield, recently filed a workman named William Jones arrested on a charge of attempting to burn his barn. Holmes did not appear at the trial and Justice Savage discharged Jones after ward entered a judgement against Holmes for $15, the amount of money due him for services rendered, from Justice A. V. D. R. Voorhis, of Somerville. Constable Geo served notice on Holmes, and levied on his property. Yesterday was the date set for the sale. On Saturday Holmes paid the judgment and costs amounting to $20.45.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY.

About Op ening Streets.

[From Ethan Leadpiece.]

Has the Common Council jurisdiction over some streets and not others? I presented a communication to the Council on the 20th day of June, asking them to cause new street to be opened from Seventh to Eighth streets, according to the Stillman map. Mr. Whiton said "the subject had been before several councils, and it had been decided that the council had no authority in the matter," and the communication was laid on the table. Now I ask Mr. Whiton or any other man, council, lawyer or common citizen, to tell us why the Common Council has not the right to open and put that part of the street, and work it as they have between Fifth and Sixth, and Sixth and Seventh? This street was layed out on the Stillman map, and the map was filed in the County Clerk's office, thus dedicating said street to the public the same as all other streets on this map. This street was accepted by the council from Fifth to Eighth street according to the map at the same time, in order that labor could be legally layed out in putting the street in order for public travel; and the commissioner is laying out considerable labor on said street between Sixth and Seventh this season. Now I ask, by whose authority the Street Commissioner is working if the council has no jurisdiction over the streets on said map? It seems a little mysterious to me that certain persons shall be allowed to trespass upon the rights of the public while others are immediately notified in case of trespass upon our streets. Is it because of money on the part of some parties that such men are allowed to thus do? The courts in such cases know no distinction; but then Councilmen are not all lawyers, and courts have come to have a law unto themselves that they can disregard responsibilities, to suit individual circumstances. There was a set of men that undertook to gobble up the city park that was dedicated to the public by the Stillman map; and some of the council at that time claimed that the council had no jurisdiction in the matter; but the courts decided that the moment the town became a city, the city authority became the guardians for the protection of the people, and must protect the people in all their rights as to parks, streets, etc., coming within the bounds of the incorporation. This is law and common sense. Now if there is a man in the Council or out of it, judge, lawyer or what not, that is ready to dispute this position, let them speak out on the subject; and if any of the parties interested in converting new street into pleasure grounds for their own benefit claim that they have any legal right to do so, let them tell us by what authority of law it comes to pass that they, or on half of they have such right, there is nothing to hinder every street on said map to be closed, as well as near all other streets in town that have been dedicated to the public use. Better ventilate this matter before allowing too many play grounds to be established in our streets. Let him that understandeth the law in such matters speak lest the council neglect their duty and become subjects of indictment for partiality and derelict in their duty to the public.

PLAINFIELD, June 15, 1885.

Personal.

Mrs. Rachel Runyon, of Peace street, is spending a week with friends at Ocean Beach.

William DeForrest, of the New York post office staff is spending a few days with his friend, John Blimm, in this city.

Frederick Moon, of Park avenue, was to start to-day to join his family, who have been spending several weeks at Hagerstown, Md. They expect to return about July 1st.

Councilman Dumont is in attendance at a meeting of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad, now being held in the west. Mr. Dumont is one of the Vice Presidents of the road. He is expected home by next Sunday.

Frederick Condert, of Metuchen, who is well-known as a prominent lawyer in New York city, has been selected by the Common Council of the city of New York, to deliver the address at the reception of the Bartholdi statue.

Professor Arthur Kimball of John Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md., formerly of this city, and his wife, sailed for Europe on Saturday. Mrs. Kimball's mother, Mrs. Rev. William Scribner, of East Front street and sister, Miss Julia Scribner, accompanied them.

Confirmation Services.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church was crowded yesterday morning as 10.30 o'clock to witness the Rt. Rev. Bishop Wigger administer the sacrament of confirmation to a large number of children. The altar was beautifully decorated with flowers and the lighted candles, of which there was a large number, had a most brilliant effect. After the celebration of mass the Bishop addressed the children for about a half hour, in regard to their duties henceforth, and the importance of the sacrament he was about to administer. At the conclusion of the Bishop's remarks, about 80 little boys and girls knelt in front of the altar railing and the Bishop, assisted by two priests, made a sign of the cross on their foreheads with a chrism. The girls were dressed in white, each wearing a long white veil and gloves and some of them wreaths of flowers as crowns. The boys were white gloves, white neckties and dark clothes. The Bishop apologized for the shortness of his stay, saying that he had to attend another service at Belleville and also one at Newark.

—The Bible reading in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association this evening will be on the "shine" of God. The Devotional Committee will hold a meeting after the Bible reading. The advisability of changing the young men's meeting from Monday evening to Saturday evening will be considered.

—Summer visitors to Plainfield and vicinity are becoming very impatient.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

Interesting Services at the Congregational and Crescent Avenue Churches.

Throughout the country yesterday the Congregationalists observed the day as Children's Day and the services were arranged with special reference to the event. In this city the pretty little Congregational Church on West Seventh street was filled with young people and with old people and with children and with flowers. The altar had been very handsomely decorated by the Flower Committee, under the leadership of Mrs. Brower. The desk had been placed to the rear of the platform against the wall, and the space in the front had been filled with potted and cut flowers and ferns. Superintendent, Mayor Rockefellow, of the Sunday School, occupied a seat on the platform with the pastor, the Rev. C. L. Goodrich. The regular choir of the church, consisting of Miss May Thomlinson, soprano, Miss Julia Ketcham, alto, Carydon Tyler, tenor, and Fred. L. Willis, bass, occupied their usual places. The very interesting program had been provided in which the pastor, the superintendent, the choir, and the congregation took part. It was as follows:

Organ Voluntary
Singing, Glory to God in the Highest.
Choir and Congregation.
Prayer, by the Pastor.
Baptism of Infants.
Singing, by the Choir.
Responsive Exercises.
Singing, "Hail with Joy the Children's Day."
Choir and Congregation.
The Children's Bible—Responsive Exercises.
Singing, "Blessed Bible."
Choir and Congregation.
The Children's Text Responsive Exercises.
Recitation of Psalm 23, by the Infant Class.
Recitation, "The Master Has Come,"
Misses Laing and Whitten.
Singing, "I Want to be Like Little Children."
Choir and Congregation.
Recitation, "No Sweeter Story."
Misses Belknap and Winkler.
Responsive Exercise.
Singing, "My Shepherd."
Choir and Congregation.
Children's Duties—Responsive Exercise.
Singing, "Praise the Lord! Praise Him!"
Choir and Congregation.
Responsive Exercise.
Collection for the Benefit of the Sunday School.
Singing, "These Little Ones."
Benediction.

During the exercises the pastor occasionally asked the children questions on the exercises. He also gave them a few words of admonition and advice. There were nine little children baptised. They formed a pretty sight arranged in front of the altar, and the service was solemn and impressive.

In the afternoon the Sunday School held their regular session as usual, and in the evening Rev. Mr. Goodrich, of Newark, preached. The pastor had intended commencing a series of evening sermons on Elijah, but owing to the unexpected presence of Dr. Whiton he postponed the same and preached from the Newark clergyman to occupy the pulpit.

The Rev. W. R. Richards, at Crescent Avenue Church, addressed the children of his congregation, choosing for his text Luke 2:46. He told the children it was good for them to know and remember that Jesus was once a little child, that he increased in wisdom and stature until he was a boy, growing in favor with God and man. It showed what kind of a boy he was, that when he was twelve years old and lost in the great city of Jerusalem, whither he had gone with his parents to a feast of the Passover, they did not begin to worry about him until he had been gone a whole day. "And it came to pass that, after three days, they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors, both hearing them and asking them questions." And children must ask questions; must ask why heads are bowed in prayer; why the table in the church is sometimes spread with bread and wine; for it was upon this innate desire for information that Christ relied, for the growth and spreading of Christianity. Children must learn God's word early, not waiting to become men, to deplore their youth, like Simon of old. The beautifully arranged wild flowers on the platform in front of the pulpit were fitting emblems of the youth and innocence suggestive of the day.

The Reform Club Meeting.

Notwithstanding the heat a fair number were present at the Reform Club meeting last evening. President Hyatt presided as usual, and the singing was led by Prescholer Vanderbank and a choir. The Rev. Mr. Cleaver was the first speaker. He delivered one of his forcible speeches on the subject of temperance. The next speaker was Alexander Thrower. He made a good speech laying great stress on kind words as a means of reclaiming the fallen. Judge Ulrich made the closing address of the evening, and was frequently interrupted by applause. President French took his usual stand on the subject of temperance. After which the meeting was dismissed.

Other Services Yesterday.

The Rev. Mr. Cleaver preached at the Evona Union Chapel yesterday afternoon.

At the Methodist Episcopal Church in the morning the Rev. A. H. Tuttle, the pastor, preached from the text of John. In the evening the Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut delivered a sermon from Acts 3:6, "Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee." He took as his them, "What a man may give who has no silver or gold."

—William Gambertson after a long illness died of consumption this morning at his residence on Pearl and Warren streets, North Plainfield.

—The usual gathering of Summer guests at the popular Laing's Hotel, promises this year to be largest ever.

—The Casino closed on Saturday for the season.

—The school census shows a total of 6,481 colored children in Philadelphia and 1,410 children attend private schools.

The Four o'Clock Meeting.

The four o'clock meeting in Reform Hall by the Women's Christian Temperance Union yesterday afternoon had a little crisp east upon its hitherto quiet waters.

Numerous complaints have been made from time to time to the Union, that the remarks of a well-known person were obnoxious to the worshippers in attendance and unjustly criticised the Church and the members. The Union thereupon called a special meeting of the Board of Managers and passed a resolution setting forth those complaints and requesting that he would not take any further part in any gatherings held under the auspices of their Association, and mailed him a copy of the same. This, however, failed to accomplish the object; and as soon as the meeting yesterday afternoon was thrown open he was the first to take the floor to speak in reference to the said resolution, which the leader of the meeting promptly declared out of order, and did not allow him to proceed with his remarks.

The meeting then proceeded with the usual order of exercises, and proved to be one of great interest and good speeches were made by C. E. Tyler, Capt. Ostrom, David M. Moore, Mr. Cory and others, including several ladies.

Superintendent Chapman's Views.

The practice of chopping out of the educational system all the features of competition, and the substitution of a humdrum mode of recitation from school-room seats for the inspiring of classes, meets with the disapproval of the new State Superintendent of Schools Chapman. He says: "When the boys and girls used to stand up along the wall in a line and fight for the head, the boys used to study with a vim. Competition, rivalry, the ambition to win, something within might which can be grasped by hard work, for the life of the school." Now they seem to sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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TERMS CASH.

E. J. SHARP, Auct'r.

State Notes.

Camden's eight census takers report a population of 55,000.

Hackmack in-walls the loss of the rope with which Sanford Sisco was hung.

The Masonic lodges of Newark are agitating the subject of erecting a Masonic Temple in that city.

John Husted, of Bridgeton, if he lives until September, will have been sixty years in the employ of the Cumberland Iron and Nail Company, of that place.

James O'Neil, of Gutt-nberg, went to sleep one night recently under a tree on the Bull's Ferry road, in that place. When he awoke he found that some tramp had exchanged clothes with him.

A writ of foreign attachment has been issued in Philadelphia, by George C. Bobb-t formerly the manager of the "Berkeley Arms," against the Berkeley Land Improvement Company, for the recovery of the sum of $1,300, which he claims to have expended in improvements upon the Hotel at Berkeley which should have been made by the company.

An official conclusion has been reached with regard to the bids for the State printing. The printing of the Legislative documents has been secured for the Newark Daily Advertiser. The contract for the folding and stitching of the seventy minutes goes to John L. Murphy, of Trenton, who receives also the printing of all the State officers' reports for 1885, the English law digest, with the exception of the report of the State Treasurer. The contract for that job has been awarded to McGowan & Nichols, of Bridgeton. Of the six reports to be printed in the German language, two go to Mrs. Theodore Priehl, of Newark, and four to Joseph Knorr, of the same city. The Comptroller decided to advertise again for the printing of the volumes of the laws of the sessions and the Senate journal.

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The City Court.

Samuel C. Pound was arrested yesterday for being drunk. Judge Ulrich fined him five dollars this morning.

In the adjourned case of John Brown, for dumping refuse matter in an open lot, a piece of corn cuff was entered. Sentence was suspended until to-morrow morning, in order to ascertain if the nuisance had been abated.

James Terrill was arrested in the early hours of yesterday morning by Officer Grant for being a vagrant. Judge Ulrich this morning sentenced him to sixty days in the county jail. Upon Terrell's promising the court to immediately leave the town sentence was suspended.

Temperance at Perth Amboy.

President John H. French and ex-Mayor William B. Maxson, visited Perth Amboy Yesterday afternoon by special request, and addressed an audience of five hundred persons in the Opera House hall. The meeting was held with special reference to the license applications now before the Common Council of that place, and which are to be voted upon at the meeting of that body this evening. It was stated that fifty of the ladies of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of that place would visit the Council in person to protest against the granting of license.

Commencement Appointments.

The appointment of valedictorian for the coming High School commencement was announced to the graduating class this morning. Miss Estelle Daniel carries off the honor. The remaining graduates will be Misses Augusta J. Ackerman, Maude L. Bowers, Florence G. Hawkins, Annie A. Moore, Florence M. Randolph, and Julia A. Taylor, and William D. Thickstun. This morning Miss Principal Bulkley tried their voices in Stillman Music Hall. All those will receive appointments to speak who have strong enough voices to be heard.

Is It a Future President?

John Barry sends us a communication stating that on Saturday his wife made him the father of a 15 lb. son, of whom he is "great joy, and great pain to know "If they can beat that over in North Plainfield, even if it is a borough." We extend our congratulation to the parents over the event which gives them so much joy, and say with Big V. Winkle, Esq.—"May they live long and prosper."

Fire Taxes.

The fire tax this year is twenty-one cents on the hundred dollars, as against twenty-three cents last year. The reduction is due in part to the increase in the value of property, and to the decrease of the amount of exemption allowed firemen. Under the new law firemen are allowed but $500 exemption, formerly they were allowed $2,500. The department is allowed to raise $7,000 by taxes.

Michael Sassoy and Francisco Arrowood, Italians near pickers, quarreled yesterday while playing ten pins at No. 29 Railroad avenue, Jersey City. Arrowood stabbed Sassoy with a razor, inflicting dangerous injuries. Sassoy was taken to the hospital.

William Cahill, better known as "Salvation Bill" from his former connection with the Salvation Army, was arrested on Saturday night at Jersey City for a disorderly assault on his brother James. William is described by the police as a notorious and desperate character. It is alleged that he knocked his brother down with a fishtail kerosene lamp and then pursued him with a knife. James is now confined to his bed with a terrible scalp wound, which, however, is not considered dangerous. The police are in search of William, who is now out in the world with a knife. James is one family in jured, but he is not the only one in the family who goes around with a scalp wound.

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MONDAY, JUNE 15, 1885.

ADVENTURES WHICH NEVER FOUND PLACE IN OFFICIAL REPORTS.

Pod and Confed Meeting Half Way—Shaking Hands and Exchanging Newspapers—Coffee-Hungry Confederate Sharpshooters.

[Inter Ocean "Curtestone Crayons."]

"A good many of those picket-line adventures," said a gentleman in the railway mail service, "never found place in the official reports of the war, or army correspondents. They were in every case violations of instructions, and to have spoken of them to superior officers would have been to involve punishment; so for a term of the masonry of the picket-line some of the most startling adventures of private soldiers never went to record. As for myself, I was a little conscientious in the matter of obeying orders, and only in one case did I make any departure from the strict line of a soldier's duty. It was while I was on a front of Chattanooga that it became fashionable along the picket-line to exchange papers. The plan was for a Confederate who wanted a paper to come to the front, shake a southern paper as a flag of truce, and in this way invite exchange.

"The use on either side in that immediate vicinity would cease firing. The Union soldier would start from his line, and the Confederate from his line, and they would meet half way, shake hands, exchange papers, and, if there were no officers in sight, sit down and have a chat. This had been carried on several days, and I think the men on order from headquarters that no more papers should be exchanged. But the boys were always ready for exchange, considered the practice against orders, and if there came a week, however, in which no relief responded to waving, or shaking, or fluttering the exchange papers, I think we always knew that orders against exchange had been issued on that side as well as on ours.

"One morning one of my mess partners discovered a man on the rebel line frantically waving a large paper. He suggested that the chip-away from the reserve and go out and see what the man wanted. I had a paper, I wanted it, and we started toward the rebel front. When we had proceeded about half way to the parties we found a fellow coming toward us with paper. We were puzzled at this, but finally concluded that he was such a loon that he would not see him until he came on high ground. So we walked on and walked without warning into a group of soldiers at the rebel picket-post.

"The men were just ready to take breakfast, and after the first hurry they joked us about our extraordinary willingness to get into their clutches at breakfast time. While we spoke of the exchange of papers the officer in charge informed us that we were within the rebel picket-line, and that all his men understood it. As this was the case he took the position that we had come willingly into the lines, and that he could not allow us to retreat. I suppose that his men disagreed with him, but the question was how we were to get away. Our mess partners, who had been quartered in Germany, exhibited the greatest nonchalance, and he joined in the jokes at our expense, and proposed that he make the boys carry us across the line on their backs. Candidly, also had a very poor excuse for that article, and as without any ado he proceeded to make the little hands of each of us meet around his neck I resolved to fascinate the coffee-hungry sharpshooters. When he had poured the coffee into the cups and had expanded on the good qualities of the article I took up the little paper parcel to me, 'Now let us start for our own lines.' I followed him, and not a rebel soldier moved. That picket-post formed the rear guard of the line in Dixie, or looked to us like it. I never disobeyed orders after that."

THE STILETTO'S SPEED.

MR. TILDEN TAKES A SAIL ON THE SWIFT YACHT.

He Insisted That She Should be Run at Full Speed and is Greatly Pleased With Her—Twenty-seven Miles an Hour.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Nowadays in the last twenty years has created no profound sensation in the world of mechanics, shifting merchants, steamboatmen and yachtsmen as the performance on Wednesday last of the little steam yacht Stiletto in beating the fast steamer Mary Powell, a pioneer that ever, wherever the little boat has appeared, she has been greeted with a chorus of steam whistles, and has excited the most eager curiosity. On Thursday last she took out a party to witness the regatta of the New York Yacht club, and was quite as much an object of interest to the thousands of spectators as the racing yachts themselves. On Friday she carried ex-Gov. Tilden and his family on a flying sail up and down the waters of the Hudson. Mr. Tilden is said greatly enjoyed his trip on the little vessel, insisted on having her run at full speed, inquired of Mr. Herreshoff in detail the steamship built after her model and furnished with adequate engines of the same character would be capable of making the same speed, and asked many other pertinent and scientific questions. The ladies of his party were delighted. On Saturday the Stiletto took out one party of ladies and gentlemen down the bay to the forenoon of the races of the Seawanhaka regatta, and in the afternoon carried another party to Larchmont and finally proceeded on her way to Bristol, R. I.

The Stiletto was built by the Herreshoff Manufacturing company, of Bristol, of which John B. Herreshoff is president and N. G. Herreshoff superintendent and designer. She was launched in April. John B. Herreshoff says that the hull of the Stiletto is the product of a series of experiments made by himself and his manufacturer as was followed by Froude, the English shipbuilder, and of the improvements suggested by Isherwood in numerous models previously built by the Herreshoff company. Her length over all is 94 feet; beam, 11 feet; depth of hold in the center, 7½ feet. Below the water line both ends of the craft are very nearly alike, being modeled so as to present the smallest possible surface exposed to the water with a given displacement. In addition to that very high speed "skin" or water surface friction is the factor of major resistance. The lines of the bows are very nearly straight, and the bottom is made in round sections. The slight slope of the deck forward and more pronounced slope aft from the centre, which gives the peculiar appearance so noticeable in the boat as well as the inclination inward are given merely for the purpose of getting rid of unnecessary weight in the hull, compactness of deck room being a matter of no moment in a boat of this kind.

"Our aim," said Mr. Herreshoff, "is not only to make a boat which will carry a paying business men quickly to and from their country residences and the city, but also to produce a craft which would be serviceable to the government in case of necessity as a torpedo boat. The problem of the naval warfare of the future, it seems to me, is to be solved by speed and by nothing else. To be more specific, that one of the great ironclads of the present time would be absolutely at the mercy of a number of small boats of great speed armed with Whitehead torpedoes. The proportion of beam to length, which in this boat is 8 6 11, is about that which experience has demonstrated to be the best for obtaining high speed, and in this craft we are tending in the construction of ocean steamships. Some years ago the tendency was to make them much narrower, and the proportion was worked down to about eleven, but lately it has been carried up again to about nine, and the results have proved more satisfactory."

"The engine is designed to produce the greatest amount of power with the least possible weight of vibration. It is an annular valve inverted compound engine. It has two cylinders, one of 12 inches, the other of 21 inches diameter, with 12 inches stroke of piston. With the maximum steam pressure of 150 pounds it will make 400 revolutions per minute, and is capable of working with the high pressure and high number of revolutions with very little wear and very little liability to break down. The space required for it is very much smaller than was occupied by the old steam engine in use of the same power. The ordinary yachts engines are capable of making only from 175 to 225 revolutions per minute. The essential feature of the engine is that the construction of the cylinder, which consists of one cylinder within the other, with an annular space between in which the valve works. The steam ports, one at each end through which the steam enters the inner cylinder, are ranged all round it at the top and bottom, and the steam is admitted and cut off on the piston head from all sides at once, and not as in the engines in use now from only one side.

"We have made as much as 25 miles an hour with the Stiletto, and she can probably make as much as 27 miles. We did not urge her to the utmost on the trip with Mrs. Powell, because there was no necessity. For a very brief space we ran her under 140 pounds pressure, but, as we then went away from the Powell in a fog, we did not like to risk pressure down to 135 pounds. By the way, it is remarkable what an impression that race has made on steamboat men. We have not met a single craft since that carried a steam whistle without being saluted. Governor Tilden asked me if it would be possible to build an ocean steamship on the model as the Stiletto, with adequate engines of the same character, that would be capable of attaining the same speed. It certainly would, and such a boat would probably have a more greater speed because of her superior size and power."

"Would she have an equal carrying capacity with the existing ocean steamships?"

"Oh, yes! She would have an equal, if not a greater, carrying capacity."

Gen. Grant Growing Weaker.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Col. Fred Grant said that Gen. Grant had had a bad night and was growing weaker. His condition seems to be one of increasing debility without pain. If possible, he has a desire to remove from the city to Mt. McGregor, a step earlier than was intended. After Drs. Douglas, Shrady and Sands left Gen. Grant this Sunday consultation, Dr. Douglas said that the general had suffered some little disturbance during the night, which was partly relieved by the eating of asparagus, but that he slept with little break from 1 a. m. to 5 p. m., and was not suffering, though looking like the last day. Dr. Shrady said that the swelling on the left side of the throat had increased again and had affected the patient's voice.

The Duke of Connaught Home.

LONDON, June 15.—The Duke and Duchess arrived at London on their return from India, and were met at the station by the Prince and Princess of Wales. Prince Edward Weed, late commander of a portion of Gen. Wolseley's Nile expedition, arrived in the same train.

O'DONNELL'S MONEY.

One of Patrick Ford's Statements Totally Denied by Father Prendergast.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—A representative of the press called the attention of the Rev. Father Prendergast, pastor of St. Malachy's Roman Catholic church, to the statement made by Patrick Ford, editor of The Irish World, that O'Donnell's wishes in reference to the disposal of the fund of $50,000, left by Father Fleming, had been communicated to Ford by Father Flynn, chaplain of Newgate prison, through Father Prendergast. "O'Donnell to Ford, Ford to Flynn, Flynn to Prendergast." "There are several mistakes in Mr. Ford's statement," said Father Prendergast, after reading the article, "and although I know almost nothing about the matter, I will tell you the full history of my connection with the case. My friend, Father Fleming, died in Ireland, as is published in this clipping) wished to communicate the result of his interview with O'Donnell to Ford, and did so. I could not what the general's address was in this country. He, therefore, sent me a note requesting that I would forward to Gen. Pryor a letter which he inclosed in the one sent to me, and he told me that the said letter related to O'Donnell's affairs. Further than that he said nothing about the document, his wishes or desires. I at once sent the letter to Gen. Pryor, at his office address in New York city, and not to Ford, whose name Father Fleming did not mention at all. I have heard nothing more about the matter until this time, not even having received an acknowledgment from Gen. Pryor that the letter I forwarded to him had been received.

A STEPMOTHER'S CRUELTY.

Inhuman Treatment to a Little Boy and Girl.

JOLIET, Ills., June 15.—At Monee recently Oglevee Williams, of the Illinois business specialty, arrested Mrs. Williams for inhuman cruelty to her stepchildren, a boy two years old, and a girl of five years. The little girl begged for food at different houses in the village, and exhibited such pitiful tales of cruel treatment of herself and little brother that the case was investigated and their condition was found far worse than the little sufferer had described. The boy was found locked up and tied up in an outhouse, like a dog. He was half naked and nearly dead with hunger. He was too weak to stand up and his little body was covered with sores and terrible wounds. So long had he been without food that he had eaten the boards off the side of the shed and a part of the hay that formed his bed. When taken to a neighbor's house he was left for a moment at the door. Near the door was a dish in which the dog had fed. The starved boy crawled to it, and when found a minute afterwards was devouring what scraps the dog had refused. When he saw the lady of the house coming he threw up his little bony hands as if to ward of blows and uttered a feeble wail, thinking she was his stepmother. To-day when the case was called in court it was discovered that the woman had made her escape. Sheriff, who can not explain it, is roundly denounced.

A Millionaire's Daughter Elopes.

CINCINNATI, June 15.—Mount Auburn is in a ferment over the announcement that Miss Mary E. Lippencott, an attractive daughter of W. J. Lippencott, a millionaire manufacturer and banker, who had quietly left her home last Thursday morning and was married the same afternoon in Lebanon, this state, to Frank W. Cadwallader, a young lawyer of Warren county. The young lady left her home ostensibly to do some shopping down in the city. Accompanying her was a valise in attachment to young Cadwallader, and could scarcely believe the telegram which she sent them before night telling of what she had done. Mr. Lippencott was away on a hot pursuit of her daughter, but it is stated that her purpose is less to upbraid her than to try and induce her to return to her home and leave her husband. The match of the young lady has $20,000 in her own name, and is said to have felt pretty independent of parental control in the matter. Cadwallader comes from a well-to-do family of farmers, and the young couple went to the Cadwallader homestead intending to stay there.

Frank Hatton's New Paper.

CHICAGO, June 15.—The Evening Mail, an afternoon penny paper, which for the last six or eight months has been a lively competitor of The Times, has been bought by Frank Hatton and Clinton R. Snowden. The Mail made a strong bid at one time to become the democratic organ of the city, but fell out with the Mike McDonald faction, and consequently lost the city advertising. This loss crippled its resources, and it has since been a question of time that the paper, although well edited, would go under. Under its new management it will be an independent Republican paper.

Alive with Four Balls in His Body.

RALEIGH, June 15.—Henry Dabbs, the negro who was shot on Monday has been bracketed at Clayton on Christmas eve, has arrived here. Davis and Charles Smith were accused of burglary and arrested. A number of men took them to the Neuse river and drowned and began to shoot at them. Smith fell at the first shot and Davis ran. He was followed and after three times sinking down with a pistol and left for dead. He escaped to relations in Nash, where he has been ever since. His feet were frost-bitten, and he cut off his toes. He now has to get upon crutches and has four balls in his body.

Charged With Bigamy at Seventeen.

CHICAGO, June 15.—Simon Bear applied to the authorities of the town of Lake for a warrant for the arrest of his daughter Teresa. She was married two years ago she married James E. Green in Chicago. She lived with him only a short time when her father interrupted the honeymoon. The young wife was taken to a house of correction for a period of ten months. Her father relented and took her home. Sometime after she met one Harry Black, whose wife died only a few months ago. On Sunday the pair were married. The father wished to have his daughter prosecuted for bigamy.

Murder in Ireland.

LONDON, June 15.—An agrarian murder was committed in Mitt street about noon, and dispatches from Dublin state that an attempt to murder a landlord in county Tipperary, was made by National leaguers last night.

These crimes will be eagerly seized upon by the Conservatives in parliament, as furnishing additional evidences of the necessity for the immediate passage of the crimes bill.

Riot in Italy.

GENOA, June 15.—While a church procession was passing through the streets it was attacked by an anti-clerical mob. Stocks, flags and banners were destroyed, and the procession was dispersed. One person was killed and about twenty more or less seriously injured.

These Chicago Election Frauds.

CHICAGO, June 15.—Charles R. Gilmore and Joseph J. Fitzgerald, indicted for perjury in the Mackin-Gallagher election, resigned before Judge Blodgett and pleaded not guilty.

IN AND OUT OF WALL ST.

JAY GOULD AND DEACON WHITE SUPPORT THE MARKET.

A Powerful Combination Formed to Aid the Two Gladiators—The Gangers Attracting Considerable Attention. The Grain Market.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The stock market showed surprising strength last week, considering the conditions of unfavorable environment which seem to be working against it. Rates continue to be cut, time contracts at low figures are being made for months in advance, and no improvement in any branch of business is discernible. But the cheapness of money, the immense abundance of capital, and the convenience presented by the quickly available loans upon stocks as compared with mortgages or manufacturing and commercial investments, make the manipulation of the stock market not only easy, but quite profitable. For four or five months past it had been supposed Jay Gould and Deacon White were the supporting element, and acted accordingly stationary. The Grangers and the Vanderbilts moved ahead of the list. The belief of the speculators engaged in the real examination is that the market will widen of its own accord, and without any extra effort on their part; that is about the amount of the increase in money paid out for interest and dividends will seek reinvestment, and that between now and then the driving of the last spike on the Pacific road will furnish a sustain prices. Whether these anticipations will be justified, or whether some disturbing element will come forward between now and then, is for the future to decide. It is certain, and that is, that all the speculators mentioned above are men of considerable wealth, strong backing, financial and still larger banking facilities, and as long as they work in harmony there can be no doubt that they can put the market where-ever they choose to. The question is, how long they will work in harmony, or, rather, how soon they will begin selling upon each other. A week or two will settle this question. For the present time the market

A FEMININE CRUSOE.

NOW SHE LIVED EIGHTEEN YEARS ON A DESERT ISLAND.

The Story of the Lost Woman of San Nicolas—Her Ingenuity and Fertility of Invention—A Wonderful History.

[Cor. Rochester Democrat.]

Seventy miles from the shore is San Nicolas Island, the sixth of the group that clusters around the bay of Santa Barbara, California. It is celebrated for having been the residence for eighteen years of "The Lost Woman of San Nicolas." As her name is famous, and as her story has been told in romance, I will give the bare facts about her as I found them to be, without any added ornament, and leave the fiction to the pen of the novelist.

The island of San Nicolas was once densely populated. This is attested by the shells and bones and other evidences of human abode that are found there. The Alaska Indians frequently visited the island to hunt for furs and for the sea-otter. They took their women with them on these hunts, and on returning after the hunt was over they left them on the island to shift for their own fate, by order of the government, in 1835, the Indians were removed from the island. Just before they were to embark and carry away every human inhabitant, in the war supposed, a white Indian woman begged the privilege of going ashore for her child, which she had accidentally left. She was gone a long time in a fruitless search for her offspring. The wind blew a gale, the water was shallow; there was no one who was seeking the lost one. They set sail, intending to return for the lost woman of San Nicolas, but the boat becoming unseaworthy, she was left to her fate. For eighteen years known that there was a woman abandoned on the island, but no attempt was made for her deliverance. As the world soon forgets, so the woman of San Nicolas was forgotten, and the years passed away. After a lapse of sixteen years a man who landed on the island found that it was inhabited by some one. The footprints of a human being sunk deep in the ground were seen. The hardness of the ground was an indication that they had been made a long time. From their size they evidently belonged to a woman. Circular inclosures made of brush, six or seven feet through, were seen, where some one had lived. Near the huts were sticks driven in the ground and dried blubber hanging on them, thus prepared for food.

In 1853 San Nicolas was visited again and another hunt was made for the long-lost woman. The huts were gone, but had been seen before, but the old blubber had been taken away, and new food of the kind hung in its place. Wild dogs were found which ran away at the approach of civilized man. In a basket covered with sealskins that they found in a bush-heap was a dress made of shag skins, cut in square pieces, a rope made of sinew and several smaller articles, such as fishhooks and bone needles. The discoverers of these proofs that there lived on that island a human being scattered them on the ground, and on their return they found them gathered together and placed in the basket again.

The Catholic fathers of the "Old Mission," the foremost in every good word and work, offered a reward to anyone who would find the lost woman, and a third effort was made in 1853 to discover the prodigal about whom there was such a mystery and in whom the world of this coast was beginning to take an interest. Fresh proofs of life a woman were found. They belonged to very small feet, and were like those that were seen in the first attempt to find the woman. Huts made of whale rib and covered with brush were discovered. At length an object was seen in the distance that appeared to be moving. Going toward it they saw the woman that for eighteen years had reigned queen of San Nicolas, her subjects being the wild animals, her robe a dress of birdskins she had made, and her throne the hut she had built. She was seated in an inclosure, so that only head and shoulders could be seen. Two or three dogs were about her that disappeared at the command of their sovereign. She was seated on some grass that covered the ground and served her as a bed. Her dress was neatly made of birdskins, extending to her ankles, the feathers of which were pointed downward. Her head was covered with a thick mat of yellowish-brown hair, and her shoulders were bare. She was occupied in stripping blubber from a piece of sealskin which she held across her knee, and using for that purpose a knife made of an iron hoop. In her hut was a fire, beside which was set, talking to herself, and, occasionally shading her eyes with her hand, looked at the man that were in search of her.

She received them with much courtesy, bowing and smiling and showing that this lost child of nature had much of the politeness of a true woman. She took some roots in the basket and threw them on the fire, and gave them to the men to eat. She gathered up all her food, which was her chief concern, owing to fearfulness she had experienced, washed herself at the spring, and followed the men cheerfully to the boat. On being taken to Santa Barbara she manifested great delight on seeing the sights of civilization. She became a universal favorite, and was presented with many gifts. Passengers on the Bostana steamer that landed there all wanted to see the lost woman of San Nicolas. She related by signs her experience on the island, as she spoke no language but that of the Indians knew and none of the Spanish fathers, versed in Indian dialects, could understand. Civilization, which prolongs the life of some, shortened that of the Woman of San Nicolas. An excessive love of fruit led to her death in Santa Barbara at the age of 50. She was buried with the honors of the Catholic church by the Franciscan fathers, and her dress and trinkets were sent to Rome and placed in that receptacle of the world's curiosities.

The story of the lost woman of San Nicolas will always remain a wonderment. Her ingenuity is seen in the pails she made of grass, made to hold water by smearing them with melted asphaltum, and in her birdskin dresses, her bone needles, her knife of iron hoop, and the language she invented and spoke. It is inexplicable to all who have learned her story how a woman could live eighteen years on an island around which the waves were beating a requiem to hope, getting her food and cooking it without even those facilities which are common to the savage, and making her dresses neatly without the aid of needles except what she carved out of bone. She laid aside one dress for eighteen years, to be worn when the vessel that should come, of which she had a presentiment, she built herself, would take her to her people. She built herself a house, protected herself from the cold, gathered supplies enough over that would sustain her, and preserved her love for man and woman for well nigh two decades of human life alone in the wild. With no previous knowledge of civilization, without power to have sustained her for it. As ordinary women would have succumbed to the temptation to have committed suicide in such circumstances, she lived, suffered, labored, and bore up under her loneliness with a fortitude, a hopefulness, a cheerfulness worthy of a Christian heroine. Her story is one of the most remarkable in the annals of the human race.

A STAGE MANAGER'S STORIES.

Snow-Dipping with a Fine Fish-As—Flora Sees in a Hot-Air Blast.

[Brooklyn Eagle.]

"We were playing in a Georgia town one night," said Manager McConnell, "that was when Lawrence Barrett and I were starring together. Lawrence was playing Hamlet and I was doing the skull, or some other part like that. I was property-man at the time, and I ransacked that Georgia town for a pick-ax to be used by the grave-digger, and couldn't find one. There was nothing else to do but to make one. I had a strong jack-knife, so I whittled a pick-ax out of two pieces of soft pine and pasted tin-foil over the blade of it. It looked like a pick-ax, but it weighed only about a pound, and S——, who was playing the grave-digger that night, gave away the whole thing. When the curtain went up S—— was in the grave spitting on his hands. He took the pick by the end of the handle and let the blade drop on the bottom of the grave. It was so light it bounced about three feet. The people in front shouted. Then he picked the thing up between his thumb and finger and worked that way, letting it bounce at every stroke. It looked about as if he was pecking at the bottom with a piece of straw. Then he leaned against the edge of the grave and picked his teeth with it and scratched his ear with the point, all the time holding it between his thumb and one finger, mind you, and singing in as sober an eye as you please.

"Next night Barrett and I gave 'Hamlet' in a hall over a butcher's shop, where a ruffian below stairs kept smashing up sausages all evening. The place was frightfully hot, and a row of steam-pipes ran under the stage. When S—— jumped into the grave to do his digging act he was almost knocked over by the heat that played around his legs. The hot air came through the trap in a regular gust. He shoveled earth and got away from there in a hurry. Then the funeral procession came in, bringing Ophelia on a tray, and when they put the bier over the trap and began to lower it the hot air blew up the corners of the pall, and showed that there was no Ophelia there.

"However, they went on with the show, and the queen came up as solemn as you please, shed one or two weeps, and began to drop flowers into the grave. It happened that the flowers were made of tissue paper, and just as the queen said, 'Sweets to the sweet,' the hot blast caught the whole lot of them and sent the queen, and they went sailing all over the theatre. Some of them danced around two or three feet over our heads, some floated out in front and were caught in the chandeliers, and some came down among the audience. There was the biggest kind of a laugh, and we had to ring down the curtain. Yes, there's lots of fun in the show business."

A Trait of Human Nature.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

"Where are you going with the puppies, my little man?" asked a gentleman of a small boy whom he met with three pups in a basket.

"Goin' to drown them," was the reply.

"I want a pup for my little boy to play with. What do you say to letting me take one of the—?"

"I'll sell you one," spoke up the kid, with true American enterprise. "I'll sell you this yaller one for 50 cents, the black one for 75 cents, and spotted one is worth $1 of any man's money."

"I think my little boy would like the spotted one best, but you ask too much for it. You had intended drowning all of them, but will give you 25 cents and save you the trouble of drowning the spotted one."

"Twenty-five cents for that spotted purp!" exclaimed the boy. "I can't stand it; taxes is high; I've got to get good money to get into the roller rink. Oh, no; I can't take less than $1."

"But you intend to drown——"

"Take the black one at 75 cents."

"My little boy wouldn't like the black one."

"Take the yaller one at half a dollar, and he's dog cheap."

"My little boy wouldn't like his color."

"Well, then, you better tell your little boy to jump in the ash box," and he continued on his way to the river, remarking that "no party can dead-beat his way on me these hard times."

Wiping Spectacles.

[Boston Budget.]

The old gentleman with his spectacles, the "Lord Dundreary" with his "glahss," the myopic reader and short-sighted persons generally, who carefully wipe the dimness from their spectacles and eye-glasses with silk handkerchiefs, are, perhaps, not aware that a piece of paper will do the service much better. No matter how fine the silk may be, it will not leave the surface of the glass as well polished as the paper will. If palms are taken the lightly brush off any particles of gritty dust that may be on the glasses before rubbing them, the paper will never injure their surface in the slightest scratch. Dampen the glasses with spit or water, or, when possible, with the breathe, and the paper will absorb all the moisture and leave only what is deposited on the glass, now in a much softened condition. The best paper is unsized and quite porous, like the paper used by newspapers. Blotting paper with short fibres on the glass and is not desirable.

Story of Senator Ben Wade.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

Hon. Ben Wade represented the state of Ohio in the United States senate for eighteen years. A story is told of him which clearly shows the difference in state politics as they existed when he was elected and as they now exist.

After he had retired from the senate he was made a state elector, and, with the others of the electoral college, met in Columbus to cast the vote for Hayes. While there he asked some friend in what room of the state house the college met and what was its location. In reply to his friend said: "A man who has represented his state for three terms in the United States senate surely ought to be familiar with the capitol of his state."

"Well, I can not help it," replied Wade. "This is the first time I was ever in the state house in my life."

"Quite a Canadian."

[Chicago Times.]

Apropos of the recent water-color exhibition, here is a lady artist who was charmed with their beauty, and really would have liked to buy, but confided to the manager her objection, "because," said she, "I don't dare, for then I won't speak, you know, and Chicago is such a terribly dusty place." It was the same lady who remarked that she had studied art so much after that she had become "quite a comedian."

Small and Tuesday.

First Messenger Boy—Let's cross the street.

Second Messenger Boy—Yez; but let's wait. It ain't safe now.

First M. B.—Why ain't it?

Second M. B.—Here comes a funeral, and we might get run over.

New Orleans Picayune: There is a swing in the walk of veteran soldiers on the march that dads militiamen can never imitate.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

A Shooting Affray.

By the United Press to THE NEWS.

ALBANY, Ore., June 13.—Yesterday morning John Inman, Daniel Martin and Alexander Martin, neighboring farmers living at Crab Tree Creek, Linn County, had a dispute. Last evening the Martin brothers went to Inman's house and called him to the door. As he appeared they each drew a revolver and began firing. After shooting ten times but one shot hit Inman, taking off a thumb. Inman shot the Martins, but not effectively fired through it struck Mrs. Inman in the breast inflicting a fatal wound. Inman got a shot gun and fired at the Martins as they ran. They took to the woods and have not been caught. Inman does not think he hit either of them.

Cable Flashes.

BERLIN, June 13.—Prince Frederick Charles, the nephew of the Emperor William, died to-day from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy from which he was suffering.

BERLIN, June 15.—United States Minister Pendleton will present his credentials to the Emperor to-day.

LONDON, June 15.—The Russians have occupied a port in Cores.

An Outbreak in Crete.

LONDON, June 15.—A despatch from Varna states that a popular outbreak has occurred on the island of Crete, resulting from the appointment of Savos Pasha as Governor of the island and who is obnoxious to the Cretans. Serious rioting is now going on, and a perfect state of anarchy prevails.

Death of Admiral Courbet.

PARIS, June 15.—A despatch from Shanghai to the ministry of Marine, announces the death of Admiral Courbet, the commandant of the French fleet in the Chinese waters. The despatch states Admiral Courbet's death occurred on board the flagship of the fleet while cruising in the China sea.

Defalcation in Vienna.

VIENNA, June 15.—Another defalcation has come to light in the Vienna Deposit Bank. The Chief Clerk in the Bill Department led to an investigation which showed that his accounts were $25,000 short.

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French Style of Cooking—Lessons—No Sin to Guilt — Babies — Unmerited Literary Women—Notes and Paragraphs — Wire vs. Carpets.

[New York Mail and Express.

The wonderful strides made by the illusions in their manufactures during the past few years has become a serious thing for the manufacturers and dealers in carpets. "There is no doubt," said a Broadway carpet-dealer, "that the substitution of tiles for carpets and wood flooring will in time become universal. Even now there are acres upon acres of tiles in the rooms of the wealthy. Manufactories are used at the expense of less costly floorings. Some of these are much more beautiful than those found in the old Italian and Greek churches. The labors of the tile-makers are no longer confined to the manufacture of the plain, ugly colored blocks of concrete. Copies of the most celebrated art works, embodying all the delicate touches, are reproduced in the squares of tiles, and sometimes each tile is a gem in itself; then again each tile represents only a portion of one immense design. When the public becomes educated up to the worth of the tiles, I suppose the carpet and wood companies must go."

That the fears of the carpet men are not unfounded is proven by the fact that in the finer mansions uptown the entire house is tiled from garret to cellar. Not only is this the case in floorings, but in decorations of every wrought in wood, plaster and velvets.

Thomas Nast, the caricaturist, has in his residence at Morristown, N. J., a mantel and fireplace of tiles, all of carefully wrought tiles, representing scenes from Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream." Ward McAllister has in his Newport home a cabinet wrought in a similar manner, while in many of the homes of the wealthy New Yorkers the wainscotings and ceilings are made of elaborate and curiously designed clay squares. There is hardly a house among the upper ten that has not one or more Jardinieres made of tiles. So also in ship architecture have these pretty little squares been utilized. The saloon and music room of the Red Star steamer Noordland are resplendent in tile work.

One of the most curious specimens of tile flooring can be seen in the new Washington building, on Broadway, at Battery park. The pieces are put in irregularly and give the effect of having been dumped indiscriminately into a mass of cement and trodden down to the smooth, hard surface there exposed.

"Dishonorable" Labor.

[Dr. Talmage's Sermon.]

I denounce the idea prevalent in society that though our daughters women may embroider slippers and crochet, and make mats for lamps to stand in without disgrace, the idea of doing anything for a livelihood is dishonorable.

It is a shame for a young woman belonging to a large family to be inefficient when the family calls all its members to work. It is a shame for a daughter to be idle while her mother toils at the wash-tub. It is as honorable to sweep houses, make beds or scrub tiles as to twist a watch chain. As far as I can understand, the line of respectability lies between that which is useful and that which is useless. If women do that which is of no value, their work is honorable. If they do practical work, it is dishonorable.

Thus all our young women may escape the censure of doing dishonorable work, I shall particularize. You may knit a tidy for the back of an arm-chair, but if no means make the money wherewith to buy the chair. You may with delicate brush beautify a mantel ornament, but die rather than earn a penny at marble mantel. Or you may learn artistic mode until you can speak Italian, but never sing "Ortonville" or "Old Hundred." Do nothing practical if you would in the eyes of refined society preserve your respectability.

I accept these finical notions. I tell you a woman no more than a man has a right to occupy a place in this world unless she pays a rent for it. In the course of a lifetime she consumes whole harvests and droves of cattle, and every day you live you breathe forty hogsheads of good pure air. You must by some kind of usefulness pay for all this.

Objections to a Woman's Club.

["Uncle Bill's" New York Letter.]

An outlook of publicity seems likely to break up a woman's club before it is half started. The project has been seriously entertained by a dozen of the prominent maidens who bear the stamp of the very highest social approval. They affected an organization to be adopted like the Union club as a model, to be modified in such particulars as the difference in sex demanded. The idea was that a house should be made it a restricted resort of fashionable women. But the thing has been all but abandoned, on the advice of Mrs. William Astor. There is no millionaire wife in New York who is more clear-headed than she as to the social consequences of any conduct. She disapproved of the club project, and on the end of her silent countenance was absolutely requisite, the movement could not thrive. Mrs. Astor said that there would be needs, in and out of print, at any society woman's club, no other harm could be actively it might be conducted.

"Look at Sorosis," she argued. "The leading women are both for the ridicule of men. Now, such women as Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony can stand that, for they have the reputations in the world of reform. The very men who ridicule them in their absence are the ones to squelch talk-off their bats in their presence. They are famous and respected. But a social membership in Sorosis is merely an incident in their career. But this proposed club consists of women of unknown except as figures in fashionable society, and it isn't anything against them to say that they would not afford to be caricatured, as they certainly would be."

Bettina Bird Breeding.

[London Queen.

Englishmen to their own women are both helpful and protecting, if a little more masterful than some of them would like. Foreigners may say what they will, but Englishmen are, as a rule, good-hearted, and, if a little over-bearing, to all creatures that are weaker than themselves. When the ladies of a party are under private friends, or of long standing acquaintance, they may rely on being treated with consideration and protected against the consequences of their own enthusiasm. When they are strangers, and without private claims, they will find the tables for the most part turned, and, in the manners of the modern young Englishman, as much consideration as there is likewise between a bear and a poodle—a cub apple and a Newton pippin. They are no more unselfish than the ordinary forefinger, and they are not so polite.

The emergencies in which young women are trying alone are often subjected to again by no means a pleasant one is that of the tobacco. If a lady meets an ordinary young Englishman who does not know her, the same sense one who does not hold her worthy of politeness, and who does not go out of his way to show her any. If she be young, he chooses to consider, perhaps, perhaps speaks; if she be of no personal attractiveness, and has only her womanhood as her claim, he leaves her entirely to herself. Whatever she may be about to do—to pass through a doorway, enter a railway carriage, or an omnibus, or a lift, he makes no sign, nor, though no one is hurried time, and late her side or steadily after. The elder men are more courteous. They retain still a certain flavor of the stately old times when manners were a part of a gentleman's education, and politeness was one of the points of distinction between a courtier and a boor.

In Harmony with the Landscape.

A critic of interior decoration advances the idea in The Art Amateur that the wall of the room should be decorated in harmony with the landscape without. Rooms that command a great view should be warm in color, red, maroon, or citron. Our rooms should increase the beauty of the landscape. This is an excellent theory, but, as landscapes change, in fact while the season, it might create household disturbance to advise to the theory. Fall and winter landscapes would require different tints from a summer view.

Don't Kiss Pet Animals.

[Boston Budget.]

Mothers should understand that the excessive habit of handling and kissing pet cats and dogs is often dangerous. Pampered animals are very liable to diseases of mouth, throat or stomach. Their exhalations breathed by the children, who fondle them frequently create sickness and sometimes death, the cause not being even suspected. A medical writer says: "It is a source of danger that should be widely known and prevented."

Marrying Men to Reform Them.

[Rev. Sam Jones, Revivalist.]

Some women are fools—the biggest fools in the world. They marry men to reform them. Down in one place in Georgia all the girls took a notion that they would marry the young sots about the village and reform them. And before long there were more little "whip-poor will" widows around there than you could shake a stick at.

"The Milkmaid."

[Boston Transcript.]

A new way of arranging the draperies of tennis costumes is called "the milkmaid," and the folds are drawn through a loop at the side in a way intended to suggest that in which Dolly fastens up her skirts. A handkerchief over the shoulders and a wide-brimmed hat make the young women look like so many Paisleys.

Bread Jelly.

[Journal of Chemistry.]

What English people call "bread jelly" is a light and nourishing article for weak stomachs, in some cases preferable to the oatmeal or wheat porridge. It is made by steeping stale bread in boiling water, and pasting it through a fine sieve while still hot. It may be eaten alone or after being mixed and boiled with milk.

Lengthwise Tucks.

[Boston Transcript.]

Lengthwise tucks? What bad fairy ever put the idea of using them into a dressmaker head? A plaid means something, and a horizontal tuck, although not pretty, may be used so as to make a good border; but a lengthwise tuck looks like nothing but misplaced needlework.

Pity the Nurse.

[Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.]

We are accustomed to pity the trials of the schoolmarm who has to labor six hours a day with forty children. Don't say we told you, but the nurse who tends one baby ten hours a day is entitled to 99 per cent of the sympathy and all the gate money.

Tendency in Ornamentation.

[Philadelphia Record.]

The tendency of the period is for articles useful and ornamental made of the various sorts of metal. Iron enters largely into the decoration of hall and lib ary, while the fashionable table and room is furnished as largely as may be in glittering brass.

Gilded Hairpins.

One of the results of the Japanese exhibition in London is something very like an eruption of gilded hairpins, thirty being seen in one coil sometimes.

In a Nutshell.

"This is my wife; she is very entertaining, and I am highly pleased with her," is the way a Natick, Mass., man, just married, introduced his wife.

The Archduchess Maria Theresa of Austria has a passion for manufacturing jewelry, and labors under the instruction of a working jeweler.

The time when carpetings and upholsterings could be made at home, which has gone by. The rule now is harmony, and not monotony.

The Japanese government proposes to decorate ladies who have distinguished themselves for the benefit of the country.

Courier-Journal: Woman's education is defective; so is man's, but it is far more practical than that of woman.

It has been said of England that her three greatest rulers were women's—Elizabeth, Queen Anne, Victoria.

Love flies out of the window when a man discovers that his wife snores, and likes raw onions.

Selling Hams in Gotham.

[New York Letter.]

A New York grocer says that hams are sold at retail either by the pound at the actual weight or by the weight marked on them by the packer. As a ham loses by evaporation when being up, the actual is less than the marked weight, and the price is brought up to make these things even to the grocer. Thus a sixteen pound ham having a paper label, would sell at 16 cents a pound or at 15 cents by marked weight, the grocer getting $2.56 by the first method and $2.25 by the second. "Yet," said the grocer, "I always prefer, frankly, to have the packed hams at the establishment. If they went home at actual weight we shall accordingly have to charge the price per pound. If they prefer the marked weight we shall sell them with marked scissors."

Interesting War Relic.

[Booneville (Mo.) Advertiser.]

There is an interesting war relic in Tipton pasture west of town, which was used as a camping ground by the soldiers in the civil war. On several of the trees may be seen blazing crisp's which were made by them by the men while in camp to fasten their horses. The trees have grown around and over the scraps, and now only an inch or two can be seen, and the heather of the bark is the same color, outwardly, as the back of the tree.

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[Exchange.]

An applicant for appointment on the Kansas City police force received a blank to fill in one of the questions was: "What is the general state of your health? To this he appended "Married."

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Nesbitt & Co.'s store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

	1885.		1884.
6 a. m.	68	6 a. m.	52
9 a. m.	79	9 a. m.	59
12 m.	80	12 m.	65
3 p. m.	82	3 p. m.	75

Miniature Almanac.

Today and the corresponding date last year.

	1885		1884
Sunrise	4.28 a.m.	Sunrise	4.28 a.m.
Sun Sets	7.33 p.m.	Sun Sets	7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises	10.40 a.m.	Moon Rises	p.m.

Chronological Events.

Marlborough died 1722.—War with England declared 1812.

Signal Office Prediction.

Local rains, followed by slightly cooler weather.

For Wednesday—Local rains are indicated for the Middle and South Atlantic States, and fair weather, followed by local rains in New England, with cooler weather in each district.

JOTTINGS.

—Measles are reported prevalent in many districts in Elizabeth.

—A special meeting of the Fire Board will be held this evening in the City Court room.

—The rain last evening was eagerly welcomed by gardeners and farmers, as the ground was becoming very dry.

—A new cakgraph has been put in Sydam & Stillman's law offices by George C. Carpenter, the agent for this locality.

—Over one hundred children in the lower part of New Brunswick are down with the measles. Many deaths have occurred.

—The latest addition to the Job Male Art Gallery is an engraving, entitled "The Prodigal Son," presented by Carman Parss. It has been handsomely framed by Waldron.

—The music read the city and the river were entertained last evening at the residence of the Rev. W. R. Richards, the pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church.

—Elizabeth has nearly freed itself from tramps, owing to the recent stringent measures adopted. During the winter they come there in scores. The genus is very rare in this locality.

—A promotion card has been prepared under the direction of Mrs. Dr. Hurlbut, one of the trustees, for use in the public schools. It contains a picture of the High School, together with other devices.

—The admission to the commencement exercises of the High School in Stillman Music Hall on Thursday evening of next week will be without ticket, seats being reserved for the friends of the graduates.

—The public school at Union, in this county, closed for the Summer vacation last Friday. It is a country village, but they have scored one ahead of the larger places in the county on the closing of the schools.

—The New Brunswick Home News has just put in a second new Potter press, built by the Potter Co. of this city. It is the fastest in Middlesex county, and was selected because of its superiority over all other presses of its kind.

—John Brown was fined $10 by Judge Ulrich this morning for dumping refuse matter in an open lot in violation of a city ordinance. On a repetition of the offense the court stated that the full penalty allowed by law would be enforced.

—We would call attention to the Strawberry Festival to be given by Bethel Mission at Ryder Hall on Thursday afternoon and evening, June 18th. This mission is doing a noble work in our midst and deserves encouragement. Drop in and give them a lift.

—The Trenton Times under its new management has enlarged by the addition of a column to each page, making it the same size as THE NEWS. The new proprietor is bent on making the Times the leading daily of the capital. The paper is now in its third year and is spicier than ever.

—The essays in competition for the prize were handed in at the High School yesterday afternoon. The subject given out are made to be the final ones for the year in the several classes, all the members necessarily compete for the prize, and the best of those handed in are sent to the committee.

—The Elizabeth Herald says: "A gushing young bride of this city is said to have emphatically refused her lord the privilege of taking her to Yellowstone Park on a bridal tour on the good ground that yellow did not harmonize with her complexion." It is evident that Elizabeth is progressing, notwithstanding her enormous debt.

—A new counterfeit $20 gold coin has just been detected. It is dated 1880, and thus is its first appearance. The composition is apparently lead and glass, and it has a thin coating of gold wash. It weighs 306 grains and is slightly larger than the genuine piece. It has a gold ring and unless closely examined as to color and size is likely to deceive one.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY.

Cholera—Its Cause and Prevention.

[From a Physician.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—The threatened advent of cholera to the country during the present Summer leads me to make a few remarks concerning its cause and prevention.

CAUSE.

Cholera is caused by the combination, or operation, of two factors. One the material or epidemic condition of the year, or air. This atmospheric condition is indicated by 1d—an variable and elevated temperature, 2d—A still and oppressive state of the atmosphere. 3d—A certain degree of moisture, 4th—A complete absence of ozone in the atmosphere has been noticed during all the attacks of cholera and its reappearance on the declines of the disease.

This constitutes the first, or atmospheric faction which is entirely out of our control. The second, or locological factor, is entirely local and completely under our control. We are if willing, able to aid in its prevention. It is due to the cumulative decay of organic matter, both human and animal, giving off unhealthy emanations accumulated in cesspools, sewers, drains, or heaps and pere-lating the soil with ordure.

Cholera is intensified by impure water, poverty and bad diet, defective ventilation, overcrowded dwellings, uncleanliness, dampness, lowness of site, the vicinity of marshy grounds, and the exposed beds of rivers and canals. In short, cholera will occur anywhere where the condition of the atmosphere in terms of its being vitiated by the effluvia of the fermentation of putrid matters. It is not contagious, and one can safely attend the persons of the sick if the excreta are promptly removed and disinfected.

PREVENTION.

The following rule, if strictly complied with will greatly diminish the severity, if not entirely destroy the chance of a visit from the cholera this Summer.

1. Give prompt and earnest attention to any looseness of the bowels, or diarrhœa by lying down immediately and sending for medical advice. Looseness of the bowels is the commencement of the disease.

2. Do not become alarmed. Fear will often produce the disease which, when treated early, can in nine cases out of ten be cured.

3. Cholera is not contagious. That is, there is no danger of handling, or going near to persons having the disease.

4. Use chloride of lime, or any cheap good disinfectant, freely in your houses, yards, cellars, and in every place that is foul.

5. Live temperately, avoid the use of alcoholic liquors entirely, keep good hours, avoid night air and the early morning dews and crowded assemblies.

6. Keep body clean and the mind free from excitement.

8. Give notice early of any sickness in your families, that immediate attention may be given to it by your physician, or by proper authorities.

9. Avoid eating unripe fruit or indigestible food, and everything that will tend to produce looseness of the bowels.

9. Do not keep any dead animals, or decayed meats, stale oysters, or spoiled potatoes, or other decaying vegetables about your premises. Have them removed at once and covered with chloride of lime and buried.

Remember again, that cholera is not contagious, but it is the result of the emanations of everything filthy and foul, which it may please you to leave around you.

Meeting of the Board of Health.

A meeting of the Board of Health was held last evening. There were present Mayor Rockfellow, President Cortell, of the Common Council, and Corporation Counsel Marsh. It was determined to notify residents along the race near Green Brook to abate all nuisances. Other matters relating to the health of the city were discussed. A daily record of the work of the executive officers of the Board is kept, and the condition of each portion of the city visited is carefully noted.

The following are the resolutions passed at the meeting:

Resolved, That notice be served upon all persons having water closets or privies constructed or situated over Green Brook or the Raceway, to remove the same within ten days after service of such notice.

Resolved, That any person or persons who shall disobey this order of the Board of Health, shall be prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law.

Resolved, That notice be served upon all persons unlawfully having water closets or privy connection of any kind with Green Brook or the Raceway, directly or indirectly, to sever connection therewith within ten days after service of such notice.

Resolved, That any person or persons who shall disobey this order of the Board of Health, shall be prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law.

The North Plainfield Citizens' Association.

A regular meeting of the North Plainfield Citizens' Association was held last evening in the chapel of the Holy Cross. About twenty members were present. Matters relating to the good of the community were discussed, and the Association adjourned until the Autumn.

Mrs. Josephine Fitzgerald, of South Bridge street, Newark, yesterday became violently insane. She picked up articles of furniture and threw them into the street. Then she unloosed the shutters from their fastenings and dropped them as she saw pedestrians pass under the windows. All the crockery and light portable articles in the house were smashed. Her condition will be examined into.

The city council of Atlantic City has ordered the Philadelphia and Atlantic City Railway company to remove its tracks from Pacific avenue within ten days. The trouble grows out of the failure of the company to keep the avenue in repair.

The Board of Health of Long Branch prohibits the exposure, in any public place or church, of the remains of any person dead from a contagious disease.

Preparing for Commencement.

At the Board of Education meeting last evening final preparations for the coming annual commencement exercises were made. It was determined to reserve the orchestra for the use of the friends of the graduates, the teachers, members of the Junior class, families of the members of the Board of Education, members of the prize committee, the clergymen, the mayor, members of the Common Council, the press and others, in all 384 sittings. The rest of the building will be thrown open to the first comers.

The list of prize committees as finally completed is as follows:

Botany—The Rev. C. L. Goodrich, David Thompson, Abraham Baleu.

Essay: Aaron M. Powell, the Rev. W. R. Richards, C. M. Goldard.

Penmanship: E. H. Potter, O. S. Teele, James W. Jackson.

Mathematics: W. M. Stillman.

The other prizes are decided by the teachers, without reference to committees.

The President was authorized by the Board to secure the Seventh Regiment Band to furnish music on Commencement night. The same music will be used at the graduates' reception following.

The list of teachers was not finally completed, and therefore not ready for publication. There will be several changes made. The teachers secured to fill the places of those leaving will be the best that can be secured, and the excellence heretofore attained will be fully maintained during the coming year.

Personal.

Ex-Chief Andrew Carney is again confined to his residence by illness.

President Murray, of the School Board, expects to go to Virginia the latter part of the week on a business trip.

Telegraph Manager Charles Schermerhorn, who has been confined to his home since last Friday with kidney trouble, is improving.

The Rev. J. C. Rankin, D. D., of Basking Ridge, Somerset County, will read an original poem at the Henry C. Bowen Fourth of July celebration at Roseland Park. The other speakers of the day will include Senator Sherman, Senator Logan, President McCosh, of Princeton, Maurice Thompson, the poet, and Joaquin Miller. Mr. Bowen's son, Henry E. Bowen, resides at Netherwood.

The Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut leaves to-morrow for Ottawa, Kansas, to take charge of the Sunday School Assembly which opens there this month, after which he will go to Chautauqua and other places where his services as a Sunday School instructor are in demand. Prof. R. S. Holmes, registrar of Chautauqua University, who will assist him at the Kansas Assembly, started yesterday.

Macadamizing the County Roads.

A special effort is being made by road overseers throughout the county to improve the condition of the roads. The overseers are macadamizing several of the village streets and the turnpike between Linden and Union township—that portion of it lying in Roselle. The materials used are the screenings from a stone-crusher, and for a foundation in some of the streets iron slag is utilized. This is said to form together a very solid road bed. The appropriations for these improvements amount to between two and three thousand dollars. It is proposed to make the improvements as extensive as the funds will permit, and continue each year until all the streets in that portion of the county are put in good condition.

An Election.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary Board of Muhlenberg Hospital, held May 28, the following officers were elected to serve the ensuing year: Mrs. Rowland Cox, President; Mrs. Samuel Huntington, Vice President; Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, Secretary; Mrs. H. D. Burlingham, Treasurer; Auditors—Mrs. W. E. Lowe, Miss E. Cock.

The list of officers of the Board of Governors, as elected a short time previous, was published at the time.

Journalistic Style.

The editor of the Plainfield Constitutional has a peculiar writer, forming his sentences like the simple sentences of Ossian, tabooing conjunctions and eschewing expletives. For instance: "The skies kissed the earth; The cannoleist paddled! Forever live Democracy." Style is mighty.—Elizabeth Herald.

We are sorry the mighty Elizabeth contemporary cannot appreciate the mighty genius of the senior Democratic weekly. He has probably never read "Billy on Gall."

—Lewis C. Wyckoff, of East Front street, has a setter pup, which he himself hath trained to bring things. Yesterday the pup saw a penny on the sidewalk, picked it up and deposited it at his master's feet. The package proved to be a silk pocket handkerchief, enclosing a full set of valuable false teeth, and other things, which Mr. Wyckoff elsewhere advertises with a view of finding the owner. He speaks very highly of the dog as a picker-up. The teeth, not the dogs, are estimated to be worth $30.

—There will be a shooting match at Campbell's Club House on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, between Lubius Ayres, of Oak Tree, and D. Crowell, of Metuchen, for $25 a side. The match, which is 15 birds each will be shot from an H and T trap with 80 yards' boundary and one ounce and a quarter of shot. On Saturday afternoon, June 27, another match will be shot at the same place, between Daniel Terry, of this city, and William Parker, of Elizabeth, for $25 a side.

—The specifications of the new school building will be on exhibition at the office of Delinquent Tax Collector F. A. Dunham, on Park avenue, after June 24. Bids for the work to be done are to be opened on Monday, July 13, at eight p. m., at the Fourth street Primary School by the Board of Education.

—Principal Bose, of the North Plainfield Public School, is busy preparing for the annual commencement exercises to be held on Thursday evening of next week in the Warren Mission Chapel.

Temperance Work of Mabee and English.

The New York Tribune has the following in regard to the temperance work of Mabee and English:

The temperance work in Newark Jersey for the last two years has been greatly advanced by the efforts of Messrs. Mabee and English. These active and efficient workers are calculated for it naturally. Moody on a larger towns of the State have been thoroughly canvassed by these gentlemen and red ribbon or reform clubs organized in Scouton, Montclair, Plainfield, Rahway, Irvington, Freehold, Bridgeton, Millville, Amboy, Woodbridge and other places. About 50,000 people have signed the pledge and joined the red ribbon. Fully 3,000 men are in return club organizations in various towns and cities. Rahway, Plainfield, Montclair, and Freehold are the banner towns for active work, each having fine temperance halls furnished with books, games, papers and reading rooms. The rooms are also furnished with pure ale and given without charge to people. Every Sunday afternoon at Rahway and Plainfield places, the halls and churches are crowded by the girls and the public to witness the temperance question in its various aspects. Last Wednesday evening Mabee and English closed their work in the State for this season at Rahway. They will probably begin at Jersey City or Newark in the Fall.

State Notes.

Camden's Common Council have decided on lighting the streets of that city with naptha for another year.

Thomas Peak, employed in J. and C. Stockham's saw mill, at Camden, sawed off one of his hands last week.

The number of horses entered for the races at Monmouth Park this Summer is about 700 as against 400 last year.

Asbury Park's opera house has closed after an unsuccessful season, and will shortly be reopened under new management.

Zephar C. Howell, John Cooper, Henry R. Wilson and other prominent citizens of Camden are mentioned in connection with the starting of a new National Bank, at that place, with $100,000 capital stock.

At Belleville, a suburb of Newark, Saturday night, Louis Hoehl and John McFeely quarreled and came to blows. Frederick Barnhart followed the quarrel taking sides with McFeely and dealt Hoehl a stunning blow between the eyes. Hoehl drew a sharp knife and made for Barnhart, but missed the right arm. Hoehl turned the knife, cutting the muscles. Hoehl was arrested.

Mrs. Johanna Shaughnessey, of New York, while passing through the Pavonia ferry house, Jersey City, on Sunday night, was attacked by an intoxicated woman and severely beaten. The woman was arrested, and gave her name as Nora O'Keefe, and said she lived in Thirty-eighth street, New York. She gave no reason for her assault on Mrs. Shaughnessey and was locked up for examination.

George Burr, of East Orange, made three attempts at suicide yesterday by placing himself in front of a locomotive on the Morris and Essex Railroad. Each attempt was frustrated by bystanders, who interfered. He was hatless and wore an old dressing coat and a pair of slippers. A constable took him to his home. Mr. Burr has been sick for some time. He is well connected in New York, and has been residing in Orange about three years.

Phillip Haller, a young Bavarian living at Guttenberg, while at Union Hill yesterday, was stopped by several young roughs known as the "Seventh Street Gang," who asked him for seven cents with which to buy a pint of beer. Upon his refusal to comply with the demand Haller was assaulted and rendered insensible by being struck on the head with a stone thrown by Peter Koch. Koch was arrested. Haller's skull was fractured and his recovery is doubtful. He was removed to St. Mary's Hospital at Hoboken.

Annie McCormick, a young woman, was found wandering aimlessly about the streets at Jersey City yesterday. She requested the sergeant at the police station to take good care of her baby, when the shawl in which her charge was un-rapped, it was seen to contain a bundle of clothes tied up to resemble an infant in form. The unfortunate woman has been but three months in this country. She is said to have come from Ireland she became greatly attached to the little one died during the voyage and Annie became despondent. It is to this that her mania is attributed.

Caution.

We would caution the public to be sure of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, 50c. and 1.00, as oftentimes imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine in order to swindle the dealer sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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LEAVE Plainfield	ARRIVE New York	LEAVE New York	ARRIVE Plainfield
5 27 a. m.	8 50 a. m.	8 00 a. m.	11 20 a. m.
6 55 "	9 40 "	9 00 "	12 30 p. m.
7 35 "	10 30 "	12 00 m.	3 50 "
8 30 "	11 20 "	1 00 p. m.	4 50 "
9 30 "	12 45 p. m.	3 30 "	6 50 "
11 00 "	2 30 "	4 30 "	7 50 "
12 45 p. m.	4 15 "	5 00 "	8 50 "
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SUNDAY.—Leave Plainfield 7 37, 8 00 a. m. 10 10 a. m. Leave New York 4 00, 8 00, 9 45 a. m., 12 01 noon, 4 00 p. m. Arrive Plainfield 7 30, 11 20 a. m., 4 50 p. m.

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Stanley, 5 45, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 p. m.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1885.

A WORD TO WOMEN

There is a large portion of our purchasing population, particularly among the ladies, claiming that they can purchase dry goods and articles needed in the household economy in New York much cheaper than the same goods can be procured in this city. This has been the practice time out of mind, and it is one which very seriously militates against the interests of our city by taking away from it trade and money which could by no right advantage expended at home.

These outside purchasers, feeling that an excuse for their discrimination against home interests is necessary, claim that our own establishments do not afford the variety for selection, or the low prices to be met with in the New York stores. That is admitted of course; but that the prices of goods, quality considered, are any lower is very problematical. It is true that once in a while a purchase may by accident secure a bargain in New York; but, on the other hand when such is the case it is certain to be heard of, but we never hear tell of the little swindles and wholesale disappointments with which our excursion ticket traders meet. Those are kept carefully in the family skeleton closet, with the failures in biscuit and the astonishing disappointments in cake.

Now, the truth is, that if our dealers found an increasingly demand for goods they would quickly feel themselves warranted in increasing the quantity and quality, of their supply. A dealer cannot be expected to load his shelves with articles for which he finds no demand. That would be simply inviting bankruptcy. We do not think, however, that any one desiring to purchase a particular article ever asked for it in one of our stores, that the merchant did not offer to procure it at the New York price, and as quickly as the purchaser could go there and procure it, and this without any additional expense.

A great deal of the trade that goes to New York is taken there by the Mrs. Toodles, of our city, who think everything is handy to have to carry home. It is a well-used cheap by the Jeremy Diddlers in trade in the metropolis. There is a class of houses in New York that make a specialty of selling traps for those who are ever on the hunt for bargains. They will advertise a certain line of goods at prices actually below cost. When the country purchasers get there they are told, with tearful regret, that the last yard of the article they are seeking has just gone out at the door, or else they are shown a lot of ancient and unsalable styles, palmed off as the newest in the market, or a pile damaged, or sunfron goods, which they are assured with blatant politeness, are the very acme of style and the apex of fashion and quality and —oh! so cheap! They are cheap—in every respect. The purchaser finds it out when the silk cuts, the cashmere goes into shreds and the prints run into a chaotic conglomeration of color that leaves no trace of a pattern.

Then the purchaser has no redress. She can't run around the corner to the plausible fraud she bought it from, and with flashing eyes demand redress and get it, as she does at home. Her eyes must be her judge and if she gets "stuck," the only satisfaction she can secure is to say nothing about it. The New York dealer who sold her the goods regards her as his legitimate transient prey. He has never seen her before—never expects to see her again—and don't care whether she is united or not.

But by the best plan is for all to deal at home. Patronize dealers whom you know, and who have an interest in securing and retaining your custom by fair dealing, and who, if a mistake is made in quantity or quality, are accessible to make it right. Support the men whose interests are identified with those of your city, and you will therein be a conservator of the public welfare and subserve your own interests. All other things being equal, you of course favor most local interests when you favor the advertisers in your local paper.

CAREER OF A SWINDLER

THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS OBTAINED BY FRAUDULENT METHODS.

His Victims to be Found in the Far West — Political Services Made to be Highly Remunerative.

BOSTON, June 16.—"Phin" White, the notorious swindler arrested here on a charge of having obtained $2,000 from a man named Dollivor, is wanted in New York to answer for swindling A. B. Dollivor, a colored lawyer, at No. 23 Sixth avenue, out of $1,000. Dec. 31, White called and got over Dollivor's name. Soon after his arrival he presented to Dollivor that he owned a large amount of land in the West and that he needed $1,000 to help carry on the work on it. White finally induced Dollivor to loan him the money. He then disappeared and not until Dollivor did any of New York officers see him.

As soon as Inspector Byrnes, of New York city, was told of the swindle he notified Inspector Dunn, of Boston, to keep a look out for White. Saturday last the latter ascertained that White was in this city and soon notified Inspector Byrnes, and that officer and Inspector Sheehan left for this city on the 10:30 train. On the arrival of the officers at Young's hotel, where they learned White had a situation as clerk, they found that he had left the hotel about 9 o'clock in the morning. They then went to the saloon where he used to loaf, but he had not been seen there since Saturday last. They then went to Mr. Wheeler's office, where he formerly was a partner. He did not see him at the latter's house, but learned to the effect where he found a situation on The Adams express train as a sort of messenger. He was to leave Boston at 7 o'clock last evening, and he went to Hingham. He returned to this city again soon after. He went to New York about 1:30 and entered into the employ of the express company. Here he learned that the bookkeeper had left. He bought a set of books, and, after contracted for a large amount on real estate, left the express company to take a specialty of jewelry. He found a firm there of Winn, Harbins & Wheeler and gave up the business after accumulating a good deal of money. He left for Chicago, where he is $15th avenue. After awhile he began to buy gold dust from returned California men. He was arrested for passing counterfeit banknotes, but escaped. He then went to his home. In that state he lashed of his great wealth. He bought real estate on all hands, paying for it in notes. He mortgaged the property, sold it and left for Mexico, where he engaged in trading into cash returned to New York.

He soon after paid the city another short visit and in two weeks he made $40,000. He was next heard of in London, where he was then in politics. He was chosen a member of the town council. He then went to Paris, where he was arrested for the theft of Queen Victoria's diamonds. He escaped to Germany, where he got into the politics. He established a cotton farm on an island off the Georgia coast. He cleared about 10,000 bales when a flood swept them away, and while himself narrowly escaped drowning. He then went to Kansas City and engaged in the cattle trade. He made a good to the amount of $250,000 from New England and New York parties. He shipped the cattle, but they never reached their destination at auction. Having exhausted all his western resources he again returned to the Hub after making the acquaintance of a beautiful and accomplished lady from Boston, whom he had no doubt secured $40,000 with him. Before leaving Boston he was again in gambling one night. He lost to Colonel Cleveland, of Cleveland, O., $1,000, but was released. He went to New York, where he was again arrested at the request of the Boston authorities. He was brought to this city and lodged in Cambridge jail. He was later taken to Kansas city to answer for charge of swindling Boston parties out of $40,000. He was sentenced to two years in state prison.

In jail he called at the residence of William L. Hall, whom he had robbed of $30,000 in 1881. When Hall was one of the landlords of the Lovejoy hotel. Although Hall had not seen White since that worthy ran away with the money, he recognized him immediately. White professed sincere repentance for his knavery, and promised repeatedly to more than make good the $30,000 he had taken. Hall's credulity was not shaken even when White said that his property was so tied up that he could not pay the $30,000 immediately, and promised to call on the member his assets available in the future. White proceeded to give to Hall, our condition of the money being loaned, an envelope addressed to Hon. Luther C. Kendall, ex-U. S. the president of the Adams Express company, which, he said, contained incidental information. Hall, in turn, gave White an agreement to deliver the envelope, unopened to its address on or before August 1, on payment of $1,000. On the strength of the collateral and to oblige a supposed friend, Hall took the envelope, that I dont White $2,000, and promised to give him the rest of the $6,000. Pleased with the prospect of receiving back the long lost $30,000 Hall told his wife what he had done. The latter, notified ex-Superintendent Walling, who opened the package. It contained about $600 in confederate money. White was arrested and convicted. He was sentenced to three years in state prison and to pay a fine of $6,000. The latter was after word taken off.

White has been married three times. His first was married at Saratoga in 1880. He borrowed $50,000 from her brother and sister, and when the money was paid the brother committed suicide. While living in New York with his first wife the late Spaceo-Petina, the former's most frequent guest of his. Petina stole a valuable set of diamonds belonging to White's wife, but her husband advised her not to say anything about it, and he bought her a new set. It was many years before she discovered that White was a thief. He married his second wife in Maine. He had a third wife, but her whereabouts is unknown. Different persons in New York whom he has swindled have obtained judgment against White for thousands of dollars, but have never been paid. White affects to treat the present matter as a trivial one and said: "They cannot touch me. They have no warrant or requisition papers, and I am going to fight them."

Unusually Hot Weather.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The signal office reports that unusually hot weather prevails throughout New England and the middle Atlantic states. Temperatures ranging from 9 to 10 degrees above the average in the middle of June for the last ten years, while in the south and the Missouri valley the temperature is below the average.

A Furious Rain Storm.

SHELLWATER Minn., June 16.—A furious rain and wind storm struck this city about midnight, lasting two hours. Public and private property was damaged to the extent of $30,000. Myrtle street was torn into two twenty feet deep.

MAXWELL THE MURDERER.

Particulars of His Arrest and Detention at Auckland.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The steamer City of Sydney, from Australia, arrived with the following: On May 20 at Auckland, New Zealand, of May 23. The Auckland papers contain accounts of the arrest on May 5 of Walter H. Lennox Maxwell, alias Theodore Durrell, charged with having murdered Charles A. Preller, in St. Louis, April 5. The arrest was made by United States Consul Gamble, who received a telegram from the chief of police of St. Louis, with instructions in that effect. Two days later Consul Gamble received a telegram from Washington, D. C., ordering the state authorizing him to make the arrest. Two detectives boarded the steamer Tiritiri. The purser, in reply to their questions, stated that there was a man among the steerage passengers answering Maxwell's description. The man was summoned on deck and the purser quickly explained who he was as a physician. He promptly replied that he was not, but was a native of France and an officer of the French army. The detectives stated that they had not a warrant for his arrest and would have to take him into custody.

Maxwell appeared to be disconcerted, but recovered his composure while the officers were handcuffing him, coolly remarking that the whole matter was a mistake, which would be quickly explained in court. On May 5 he was brought into the police court and charges against him read. The crown solicitor appeared for the prosecution, and Barton and Barton for the defense. The latter claimed that the court had no jurisdiction, and after some argument the case was remanded to May 11th.

On that day the case was brought up. Consul Gamble was first examined. He testified on behalf of the prosecution as to various articles found in Maxwell's trunk, which, among other things, contained two unmounted photographs of "C. W. P.," and a shirt with two large spots of blood on the tail. In reply to questions as to how the blood came there, he intimated that his name had come into the possession. Maxwell said they had been given to him in San Francisco by a man named Robinson.

TOLEDO'S DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

A Man Cuts His Wife's Throat and then Commits Suicide.

TOLEDO, June 16.—This city was startled by a most terrible crime, which is supposed to have been committed about 2 a. m., but was not discovered until nearly 6 o'clock when Mrs. Phillip Brown, wife of a saloon keeper and sister of Mrs. Waikelee, residing across the street from the saloon, called to see what was the matter. Finding the house locked she raised a window and entered. Passing into the front room Mr. and Mrs. Waikelee lying on the floor, near the foot of the bed, she having her throat cut from ear to ear with a razor, and he with two bullet holes in the region of the heart.

Everything shows that Waikelee committed the double crime. Waikelee had always been considered a sober and industrious man, but last night was seen around Brown's place and was slightly intoxicated. It is supposed jealousy was the cause of the tragedy. He left two letters, one to his mother-in-law, containing $60 to pay funeral expenses. The words, "Dear old mother, good-by for ever; I'm tired of living," were the only words in the other. At the end of the latter he exclaimed: "Oh, Lucy, why did you do it? We could have always been true to her." They had no children.

A Good Chelsea Breeder.

CLEVELAND, June 16.—Several months ago the medical college building on corner of Erie and St. Clair streets, was torn down to make room for a new and more handsome building. The workmen were engaged excavating for the basement of the new building, they suddenly struck a vat or tank containing the carcasses and bones of six human beings. The vat was covered with a stone, the discovery of three more vats, each containing the remains of six bodies. While digging in the cellar of the workmen uncovered the decayed body of a man. The body was still enveloped in half rotten clothes. The body was again covered up and will be removed. The body is believed by coroner about a foot of earth, and it is said contained the college subjects of the past forty years. The stench in the vicinity of the building was almost unbearable, men were holding their noses and many almost fainting. There is great indignation among the residents of that part of the city.

President Cleveland's Generosity.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—Postmaster General Vilas said that a number of petitions had been considered by the president among with those of the postmasters who were summarily removed. The petitions all set forth the evidence presented of offensive partisanship sufficient to warrant their removal, and had decided that they should serve out their full terms. He said that in all cases the president had been exceedingly generous to the last administration in the cases of postmasters whose terms were nominated by President Arthur and confirmed by the senate just before adjournment, but had not been commissioned, and hence were not postmasters in the full meaning of the law. With one exception these had all been commissioned by President Cleveland, and this exceptional case was where the man had resigned before he could be commissioned.

Sweet Girl Graduates on Strike.

MILWAUKEE, June 16.—The unusual occurrence of a strike of three "sweet girl graduates" is reported at Milwaukee college. There are five graduates who prepared essays for the exercises of the commencement. Miss Susie Lowry and Miss Annette Datcher, were chosen to read the essays, while the other three were assigned to Misses Griffin, Lillian Paige and Jeannie Paige have struck against the alleged unfair ruling and left the college. The commencement threatens to be spoiled, as the strikers now head a hop up by the respective families of the girls and has summoned considerable proportions.

In the Nick of Time.

WESTFIELD, Mass., June 16.—On Saturday Albert Coates was married to a dead mute girl in Chesterfield against the wishes of the latter's parents. The latter heard of the intended ceremony, and appeared before a justice and made a charging Coates with being a married man. He denied the charge. The girl was induced to go home and await developments, and Coates was arrested for bigamy.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The president has decided to appoint Mr. Samuel Brooks assistant United States treasurer at San Francisco.

O. J. Harvey, of Pennsylvania, and Wm. S. Kaiser, of Indiana, have been appointed chief of divisions in the third auditor's office, treasury department.

Benj. S. W. Clark, of Plattsburg, N. Y., has been appointed a national bank examiner, and assigned to duty in Pennsylvania, and Samuel D. Taylor, of Washington, Ind., has been appointed to a similar position and assigned to Indiana.

THE IDOL OF THE MOB.

GLADSTONE STILL CHEERED BY LONDON'S POPULACE.

Conservatives Sighing Because They Have No Strong Leader—They Wish D'Israeli Could Once More Lead Them to Victory.

LONDON, June 16.—There was a spasmodic renewal of political excitement caused by the reassembling of the house of commons. The scenes of last Friday were repeated, the Westminster district being again thronged with people waiting to catch glimpses of the prominent members. Strangely enough the defeated premier, whom the "would mob's million feet" kicked out of office, was the one to receive the most uniqueness a barrel on here, is still and more than ever the idol of the mob. When he emerged from the house, looking pale and care worn, he was greeted with shouts of applause. A crowd of several hundred people ran after his carriage and cheered at intervals. Mr. Gladstone settled back in the cushions and looked very much pleased, but there was a complacent look in his face, which seemed to show that the applause of the multitude was more to his taste than the defeat was to his soul. Sir Stafford Northcote, who, as the coming chancellor of the exchequer will have more to say about the coming loan than any other man in England, came out a few minutes later and drove off unnoticed.

The members out on the hauls of the Conservative cabinet makers. Lord Salisbury is groping his way along in a halting, hesitating manner, and is apparently pleased with the way he is getting through. Now it is the coming of the queen which is awaited. Her majesty is expected at Windsor castle to-morrow, when she will confer with Lord Salisbury, Sir Richard Cross, Sir Michael Hicks Beach, and the names of the new ministry will probably be announced at the reassembling of the house next Friday. The informal dissensions which have been still the theme of the half-hearted, vacillating conduct of the Conservative leader. Even now many members of the party are begging Lord Salisbury to decline office. They say that the fossils of the party, who see nothing but the figures which show the increase and who have little knowledge and less faith regarding strokes of political genius, which reverse majorities or reshape them subservient. They advise Lord Salisbury to accept the office and the disposal of the Irish bugbear by giving Ireland some scheme of responsible self-government while maintaining imperial control. The plan, however, is bitterly opposed by the Conservative members for the north of Ireland, and, by common party courtesy, their views are entitled to reverence. They want coercion, pure and simple, and an extension of the Irish crimes act for three years from next August. This is warmly supported by Lord Randolph Churchill, are equally emphatic in their demand that the crimes act shall be allowed to lapse. This contingency is regarded by the Gladstonites as their party on a give them a well-disciplined, compact corps of allies on all home subjects of legislation, and the declare that it would be suicidal for any party to attempt to rule in the minority to overlook such a consideration. The subject, however, is one that involves feuds, but it is one that will be met with intensity and long standing that calm reasoning is swept away by gusts of passion and the delicate balancing of majorities becomes an impossibility. Such is the situation in the midst of a New year. This complication gives rise to renewed rumors of a split in the Conservative camp, and in the absence of a leader strong enough and powerful enough to throttle the dissidents, or at least prevent them from parading their quarrels in public, the rumors grow.

There has certainly never been a time in the history of the Conservative party when it was so sadly in need of a leader as now. Oh, for the days of Pitt, and how a backneyed expression at the Carlton club, but it is only hackneyed because it has been heartily uttered so many times during the past few years by members of the party. Salisbury has pottered for seven days over the acceptance of office, and having at last secured himself up to accepting it as far as over from formidable political pitfalls for even a defensive campaign. No one doubts that Lord Beaconsfield, in similar circumstances, would have accepted office for always considering apparent hesitation to make it certain that the demand upon him was imperative and his duty absolute. He would not only have accepted office, but would have seized it with a firmness of grasp that would have left no room for doubt as to who was master. Many clear headed men in the Conservative party say that Salisbury would have been put with a ringing address to the country which would have put the Liberals hopelessly in the wrong, captured the popular heart and would have left the question of any future missteps by showing what a legacy of chaos had been inherited. The time between now and the general election would be spent in pounding away and hurling the Liberals with the missiles with which their blunders have plentifully stored the Tory arsenals during the past year. All would be kept in the background, and dirty linen of Tory wear would be washed in the inmost recesses of Tory privacy.

Objects to Miss Cleveland's Book.

NEW YORK, June 16.—At a meeting of the Holy Name society attached to St. Ann's church, Twenty-second street and Lexington avenue, Greenpoint, Rev. Father P. F. O'Hara delivered an address, in which he uttered a sharp criticism of Miss Cleveland's remarks in her new book of essays touching upon nuns and monasteries. The reverend gentleman flushed with indignation when he spoke of the work. It is said Father O'Hara remarks were not tempered with a great deal of reserve.

Interstate Commerce.

CHICAGO, June 16.—The most interesting witness before the senate investigating committee on interstate commerce was Charles A. Peabody, vice president of the Atchison board of trade. He declared that in two shipments, made over a year ago, he had tied up $11,000, which he had yet to receive from the roads. Mr. Peabody, Armour & Co., Mr. H. R. Hobart, editor of The Railway Age, Robert Elliott, and others gave testimony.

Blaine Congratulates Forsaker.

CINCINNATI, June 16.—Among the hundreds of letters and telegrams which Judge Forsaker received on his decision in the Sunday case from James G. Blaine. It is very warm in its congratulations and wishes for success. From another source it is learned that Blaine and Logan will both be in this city this year to aid in the Forsaker canvass. The campaign of 1885 promises to be as important as that of 1884.

Forty-eight Hours Without Food.

LYNN, Mass., June 16.—Thomas McCoboon, a Gloucester sailor of the schooner Mary Connelly, was lost in a fog on the banks, and was afloat forty-eight hours in an open dory without food. He was picked up by the tug Storm King and landed at Newport, whence he sailed to this city.

BOOKMAKERS HAPPY.

Betting Resumed at Coney Island—The Western League Explores.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—The eighth day of the racing at the fair grounds track, weather threatening, track heavy from rain, race made still more by small fallings of rain, while the third race was being run. The two last races were run in the mud. Attendance was light.

First race—Purse $500; $100 to second; 5½ furlongs.

Second race—Selling purse, $500; $100 to second; all ages; 1 1-16 miles. Whizgig first, Telegraph second, Adventurer third. Time, 1:52½. Mutuals paid $8.30 on winner, $6.60 place.

Third race—Was a purse of $500; $100 to second; for 2-year-olds; five furlongs. Primrose first, King of Norfolk second, Jim Gray third. Time, 1:05. Mutuals paid $14.20 on winner; $6.40 for place.

Fourth race—Purse $500; $100 to second; all ages; mile and a quarter. Clay Pate first, Grasmer second, Father John third. Time, 2:17. Mutuals paid $9.10 for winner; $4.80 for place.

Fifth race—Purse $500; $100 to second; all ages; six furlongs. Jim Douglas first, Billie Boy second, Al Dennis third. Time, 1:15. No mutual sold.

Poolselling Resumed at Coney Island.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Poolselling and bookmaking was resumed at the Coney Island race track without interference.

First race—Mile and a quarter; all ages; over three-quarters of a mile—Lucy Lewis first, Brutus second, Tumerie third. Time, 1:17½.

The second race was a selling purse of one mile—Dizzy Blonde first, Disturbance second, Frank E. third. Time, 1:43½.

The third race was a selling purse of one mile—Kingfisher first, Bonnie Scotland second, Emma Manley, third. Time, 1:44½.

The fourth race was for the Brooklyn stakes; for 3-year-olds; mile and a half. Archfirst, Palinurus second, Jennings third. Time, 2:43.

The fifth race was for all ages over one mile and a quarter—Bella first, Jattler second, Barkley, third. Time, 1:58½.

The sixth event was a hurdle race for light weight welters over five hurdles, one mile and a quarter—Bonnie Lad first, Fred B. second, Exquador third. Time, 2:22½.

Was Hanlan Crooked?

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The Alta publishes an interview with the son of the United States consul at Sydney, in which he states that it is generally believed there that Hanlan had a large sum wagered on himself to beat Beach, but in a spurt on the river a few days before the race, Beach proved himself to be the superior oarsman. Hanlan then withdrew all his bets, but did not give his friends the same chance. This caused much bad feeling, and the general impression around sporting men in Australia is that Hanlan could outrow Beach if he would subject himself to a severe training instead of living a life of ease at the club.

The Western League Explores

INDIANAPOLIS, June 16.—The Indianapolis baseball club has been transferred to Detroit. The players left for Mount Clemens, Mich., where they have been ordered to report to sign with Detroit. The withdrawal of the Indianapolis club leaves but three clubs in the western league, and that organization may be said to have ceased to exist.

Baseball.

At Boston:.....	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	3	x—9
Philadelphia......	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0—3
At Providence:									
New York.....	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—5
Providence.....	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0—3
At Chicago:									
Chicago.....	1	0	0	1	7	2	0	0	2—13
Detroit.....	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—5
At St. Louis:									
Game between St. Louis (League) and Dufas (unions) postponed on account of rain.									
At Philadelphia:									
Athletic.....	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0—4
Louisville.....	4	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	x—10
At Brooklyn:									
Cincinnati.....	0	0	2	1	3	0	3	1	1—11
Brooklyn.....	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	2	2—9
At Richmond:									
Virginia.....	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0—5
Wilmington...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
At Norfolk:									
Norfolk.....	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0—6
National.....	4	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0—9

The Railroad Must Pay Up.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—Senator Lamar has written a letter to the attorney general in response to a letter from that officer respecting the counter claim of the United States for over $2,000,000 in the suit now pending in the court of claims between the Union Pacific Railway company and the government. Mr. Lamar says: "In my case in all its bearings the secretary says: "Upon the whole, considering the ascertainment of actual results during the whole of the period fixed in this suit as practically beyond reach under existing circumstances, I am inclined to recommend that the mileage basis be accepted for the purposes of the pending case as a final judicial determination to that date, but with the distinct understanding that for all subsequent adjustments the government will insist upon a mileage basis of 6,303 15-16 miles and will require such accounts to be rendered as will show such earnings month by month, as the same have accrued or shall hereafter accrue."

Diverse Wheat Crop Reports.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 16.—Reports have been received from over 800 agents in Minnesota and Dakota, covering every wheat growing county of importance, and from 300 points in Wisconsin and Iowa and Illinois. One hundred and fifty-five reports say the condition now is good; 135 say the condition is better than last year at this time; fifty say it is 10 per cent. worse, and fifty say the condition is poor; thirty-five say it is not as good as last year, and twenty say it is from 10 to 15 per cent. worse.

Another Embezzler Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, June 16.—Joseph F. Coolbaugh, late assistant secretary of the Central Transportation company, was arrested at Bushkille, Pa., while on a fishing trip and brought here. Coolbaugh is a partner of the Pennsylvania railroad, and has had other positions of trust. The amount of his defalcation by over-issue of stock is estimated at $100,000.

A Gold Headed Cane for S. S. Cox.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The Washington letter correspondent of the Cincinnati Gazette says: A gold-headed cane. This testimonial was given on the eve of his departure for Constantinople, in recognition of his services when in congress in behalf of the letter carriers of the country.

Another Outbreak.

NEW YORK, June 16.—A man named Parker, of Jersey City, was arrested just as he was preparing to jump from the Brooklyn bridge. He is supposed to be insane. He imagines he is jail.

GEN. GRANT IS WORSE.

HIS LIFE NOW HANGING BY A VERY SLENDER THREAD.

He Has Totally Lost the Power of Speech and Can Only Articulate Faintly. But Cannot be Understood. Fearing the Change.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The Sun says: Very many of those who are informed as to Gen. Grant's actual condition have given up the plan of removing him from his comfortable home with grave misgivings. That his life is now hanging by a very slender thread there is little doubt among them. His throat, or one aspect, was worse last night than it ever was before. Col. Fred Grant told a reporter last evening that his father had totally lost the power of speech. He is still able to articulate faintly, but even those most accustomed to his mode of speech cannot make out what he says. Food is with great difficulty given, when his throat was temporarily clogged with mucus, this is something that has never happened before, and it is a decidedly unfavorable symptom. Dear hours. It is said by those who are well informed that his mouth can no longer be opened sufficiently wide to enable the physicians to make an ocular examination, and when they feel of the affected parts they give the patient such excruciating pain that they refrain from it as much as possible.

In outward appearance, when clothed and in his easy chair, with wraps about him, the general has not very greatly changed. His face is as full as it ever was, and is without wrinkles, but it retains to a great degree its natural fulness. But aside from this, he is wasted almost to a skeleton. His flesh is wasted almost to a skeleton, and the bones of his hands and wrists show through the tightly drawn skin with the ghastly distinctness of a skeleton hand. The change most shocks those who of late have seen the general is the great malignant-looking swelling which has appeared on his neck under the left ear. This has grown with great rapidity, and is now as big as a man's two fists put together. It is kept concealed most of the time by wraps about the general's throat.

Of course Gen. Grant's household are better able to judge than anybody else what is the best course for them and for him to do, but, notwithstanding their decision that it is safe to make the experiment they are going to make, there is, among many who have closely watched his case from the commencement, a feeling of very grave anxiety as to the result. They doubt whether the mountain air will suit Gen. Grant.

Mt. Macgregor is the projection of the Adirondacks about twelve miles from Saratoga. It is 1,100 feet above the sea level, and 1,000 feet above the plain on which Saratoga is built. Around it on all sides the country spreads away in great rolling billows, extending to the sky wall of the Catskills on the east and the south, and to the peaks and massive green shoulders of the Adirondacks on the north. Over all the country to the east of the summit, of which Gen. Grant is to live, gray chilly mists are so frequently trailing that for many consecutive days, when it may be hot down in the valley, the air on the mountain people are sitting around crackling wood fires or going about in overcoats. In unfavorable seasons this dreary weather so settles in that the guests of the summer residents are glad to pack their trunks and trundle down the steep, corkscrew-like railroad to the valley.

Of course nothing has been spared to surround the general with everything to promote his comfort. He will live in Mr. Joseph W. Drexel's cottage, a short distance from the railway station on the summit of the mountain, and for weeks back people have been laboring as it and studying to make as much of it as they could for air and valid. Should he hold his own until Aug. 1, it is the intention to remove him from Mt. McGregor to Joseph Kasterskill, in the mountains further south.

How Texas Editors Manage Things.

HOUSTON, Tex., June 16.—J. L. Watson, manager of the Texas press association, apologized to satisfaction from J. H. Bailey, editor of The Evening Herald. Bailey declined to apologize, and appointed Cyrus W. Gale, editor of the Galveston Daily News to confer with Dr. S. E. Young, editor of The Post. Bailey and his second declined that an amicable settlement was not reached fight with rifles at fifty yards. Shooters should take place just across the Texas state line in Louisiana, distance twenty miles. Bailey until the conferences are exhausted or a man fell. The trouble originated in a reference by a paper called The Echo to the noted Amos article in the Herald concerning the Watson-Jones case of the old Post. Watson and the editor of The Echo had a street fight. In commenting on The Herald's account of Watson's connection with the breaking open of a letter which belonged to The Chronicle. The difficulty was brought to a termination by the old Chronicle and Watson, declaring their belief in the innocence of Watson. Based upon this paper, furnished by Watson's second, Bailey withdrew the obnoxious article. Gale is a son of W. H. Gale, and Bailey, ex-attorney general of North Carolina, and recently a law partner of United States Senator Vance.

The Penn Bank Failure.

PITTSBURG, June 16.—At the session of the Penn bank case, E. W. Craig, the notary who drew up Mr. Adams' deposition that at various times he had received orders from President Riddle to charge large sums to fictitious accounts which were carried on the books. The deposition, consumed in an analysis of these entries.

Buddensiek's Trial.

NEW YORK, June 16.—In the Buddensiek trial the testimony was entirely favorable to the accused, both as to quality of material used and thoroughness of workmanship.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Prince Frederick Charles, of Prussia, the field marshal, is dead.

Macon, Ga., is excited over the phenomenon of a negro turning white.

The laws with the Statue of Liberty on the top of the dome, fell.

A severe rain and wind storm did much damage in the vicinity of Omaha, Neb.

Both Secretaries Manning and Whitney have rented large houses in Washington for the next four years.

Sullivan appears somewhat coy about meeting McCaffrey. He says McCaffrey only wants newspaper notoriety.

Advices received at Berlin state that the revolutionary spirit is still rampant, and that an outbreak is liable to occur at any time.

Henry Hale, a New York furniture dealer, is reported to be making arrangements to help his brother, ex-Governor Hale, over his financial difficulties.

A colored woman who murdered his wife and then committed suicide is said to haunt Macon, Ga. A warm friend of the ghost, where it became a ghost, claims to have had an interview with the spirit.

Suicide at Milford.

MILFORD, Del., June 16.—Miss Sarah Ann Lofland, aged 18, daughter of Joseph Lofland, committed suicide by hanging herself in the garret of her father's house. She was found dead by her mother. Despondency is supposed to be the cause.

Arsenic in a Mint Julep.

PETERSBURG, Va., June 16.—Mrs. Peggy Epps, a widow lady living in Dinwiddie county, not far from here, charged with having poisoned his wife with arsenic given her in a mint julep. The circumstances were discovered while the woman was on her death bed.

A BIG RAILROAD SUIT.

Leading Financiers Made Defendants—Lawyers Will Probably Rejoice.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The suit of Ralph Bagaley, of Pittsburg, against the South Pennsylvania Railroad syndicate, the American Construction company and the South Pennsylvania Railroad Company, came up before Chief Judge Sedgwick in the supreme court. Among the defendants are W. K. Vanderbilt, H. M. Vaste bilt, F. R. Comstock, Wm. Mills, O. H. Payne, W. H. Whitney, S. R. Elkins, J. A. Hutchinson, J. D. Rockefeller, William Rockefeller and Abraham Hewitt. The object of the suit is said to be the Pennsylvania Railroad company.

In September, 1885, about thirty gentlemen formed what is known as the South Pennsylvania railroad, and contracted to pay in $15,000,000 in installments not exceeding $ per cent. per month, of which $500,000 was to be devoted to the purchase of the South Pennsylvania railroad and the balance to the completion of the road west from Harrisburg. It was provided that when 20 per cent. of the subscription had been paid in, each subscriber should, upon future installments, receive bonds to the amount of twice the sum paid in, and that until the entire subscription had been paid in. When the 20 per cent had been paid in, the company began the distribution of the bonds and stocks. Bagaley objected, and demanded his bonds when next he tendered his money. The syndicate refused to do so, on the ground

SEDGWICK'S DEATH.

KILLED BY A SHOT FROM A TELESCOPIC RIFLE.

Gen. M. T. McMahon's Vivid Description of the Occurrence—*Falling Dead with a Smile on His Face*—Soldiers' Grief.

[Another Interview in The Enquirer.]

Said I: "Gen. McMahon, were you not with Sedgwick, the commander of the Sixth corps, when he died?"

"Why," said Gen. McCook, "he died in McMahon's arms."

Said I: "If I remember correctly he was killed while sighting a gun?"

"No," said McMahon, "he was killed while dressing the line of battle."

I asked to be told about this incident, and McMahon related it to me nearly as follows:

"Sedgwick was killed about three miles. I should think, from Spotsylvania court house. I have never been to Spotsylvania hardly, but the court house and inn told the story which has been put there to commemorate Sedgwick's death in a manner wrong in place, in the *morning he died—and he died near 8 o'clock* in the morning—Gen. Sedgwick said to me, 'I don't like the way the Jersey boys are looking the wrong. They are such excellent troops in general that I think I see that they are discouraged with the fighting we have already had. I want you to go with them, Mahon, and spur them up some how—stimulate their pride a little.' So when I went out with the general's orders I halted high enough for the troops to hear me. They were then under the enemy's fire, and sharpshooters with telescopic rifles were picking off officers. I didn't feel enough at home myself, but I made some remarks to the men; I said when I saw a file of them about to shift position, and they seemed to think the balls coming: 'Why, it is a new thing for the Jersey boys to duck that way. The Vermont boys say they are going to take the shine from you boys today.'

"The brigade, which was one of the very finest in our service, had been ordered to go in the open and hold their rifle-pits should be got ready, in which they were to lie. When they were ordered out I saw that they had determined to fight, and the fighting we had in the Wilderness, with all our wounded accompanying us on the march afterward, their groans and wail had put a cloud around the army. Such losses had never been known in the army of the Potomac. Over the whole Wilderness campaign there seemed to hang the shadow of death. It was frightful. The battle of Spotsylvania happened toward the middle of May; Sedgwick was killed on the 9th. The temporary intrenchments to protect our men were made of fence-rails, with a little earth thrown over them. Before the order was given for the brigade to march out of their companies and get behind these slight ramparts, I said aloud: 'Now, colonel, you will move to your designated places.' At this I saw the Jersey boys get up and begin to move. 'What!' I exclaimed; 'who heard the order for you to move, boys?' It was evident that they were nervous, because they hadn't waited for their own officers to give them orders.

"At this time the peculiar telescopic shot were coming from the enemy's lines—not in volleys, but in individual balls, half a minute or a minute apart, and they made a sort of hoot noise. To those who heard. After the men were arranged Gen. Sedgwick came down along the line, and he saw at one place that a battery, or a part of a battery, had advanced beyond the infantry line, and the infantry were being annoyed by these sharpshooters, who naturally fired toward the guns. The balls falling among *the men, produced some little annoyance*, and Sedgwick stepped outside through the line of battle to order these guns to be slightly changed in position.

"I went out there with him, and said: 'general, I wish you wouldn't stay out here.'

"'What is the matter,' said he?

"While we were speaking these sharpshooters' balls were coming, making a noise like an insect in midsummer—something of a scream and something of a grinding in the sound.

"'Why, general,' said I, 'we have lost several officers this morning. These are telescopic rifles, and they are evidently picking out the officers.'

"'O, pshaw,' said Gen. Sedgwick, 'I don't believe they could hit an elephant at that distance.'

"At this moment one of those balls came screaming through the air, and suddenly stopped! It stopped with a kind of lumping or thudding sound. I thought I was hit myself, and I turned to Sedgwick, and there was a smile on his face.

"'Said I: 'General,' and I repeated the word 'general,' but in that moment there burst from his cheek, right under the eye, a great spurt of blood, which fell upon my face and breast, and he reeled and fell, and fell on me; he was a heavy man, and *we both fell to the ground, myself all covered* with his blood. I called him 'general' repeatedly, calling him to speak to me. I was in dreadful agony of mind, and could not believe he was dead. Although the blood continued to pour from his wound that smiling expression never left his lips. When he was shot I could see the men in that instance, depressed as I was, crawling up out of their rifle-pits and little ramparts on their hands looking at us from both directions. I can still see that scene of surprise, astonishment, wonder, grief all along that blue line. We took him back through the line of battle, and then I got on my horse and rode to Grant's headquarters. I was all covered with blood, and when I went in first they thought I was wounded.

"'Said I. 'No,' interpreting what they meant.

"In a minute they all cried out 'Sedgwick.'

"I burst into tears, and sat down there and cried."

An Anecdote of Stephen A. Douglas.

[Cor. Louisville Courier-Journal.]

When Douglas swung around the circle in 1860, he made a speech at Nashville. Just before he appeared on the balcony of the hotel to address the immense audience he swallowed two tumblers of undiluted brandy without batting an eye, and within two minutes was delivering the best speech he made during the canvass, beginning with the ringing words: "Sixteen years ago today, fellow citizens, I visited the city of Nashville, battling for the principles of Democracy, urging the preferment of a noble son of Tennessee, and received the thanks and hospitalities of the hero and sage at the Hermitage." It was a splendid speech, and the liquor he had drunk seemed only slightly to exhilarate him as tea does the delicate organism of a lady.

"Theodora" in Munich.

Sarah Bernhardt will have only one performance at her performance of "Theodora" in Munich. It will be the King of Bavaria, who pays $6,000 for the privilege of being the entire audience.

SONGS THAT ARE DEAD.

Once Popular Southern Strains That Are Now Seldom Heard.

[Baltimore Herald.]

"Have you ever seen a copy of that song?" asked Mr. Otto Sutro, as seated in his little back office, he pulled out of a pile of musty old music a piece of four pages. It was embellished on the front page with a cut, unusually fine, representing an ex-volunteer in a suit of gray, lying on the ground, his back against a tree, a limb of which he had been chopping, his chin resting on his hand and his face wearing a look of sullen disgust. The title of the piece of music was 'Oh! I'm a Good Old Rebel!' When answered in the negative, Mr. Sutro resumed:

"It used to be a very popular song here. It was written just after the war, by a well-known literary man now living in Baltimore, but whose name I won't tell you. This is one of the original editions published in Richmond."

"What other songs do you remember were popular in those days?"

"Most all the popular songs in Baltimore were southern songs," said Mr. Sutro. "'The Mother's Prayer' had an immense sale. It was written by a Miss Wambell, of St. Louis, a southern girl, and was sung a great deal. 'The Bonnie Blue,' of course, was sold a great deal. 'Stonewall Jackson's Way' *will be remembered by many as having* achieved much popularity. 'Dixie Land' was a great favorite, but no songs were so popular here, and through the south generally, as 'Maryland, My Maryland.'"

"The latter song," Mr. Sutro continued, "was written by James R. Randall, a native of Baltimore, and now editor of The Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle. The music to which it was adapted by a young Baltimore music teacher, named Ellenbrook, in 1861, is that of the old German Volkssong, 'O, Tannenbaum, O, Tannenbaum'—'O, Pine tree, O, Pine tree, How Green are Thy leaves!' It was taken up at once and obtained a popularity which seems undiminished to this day. Randall told me that he wrote it one night while in camp in Georgia, I think. The weather was close and the insect life so active in his bel that he could not sleep. His brain became correspondingly active, and the lines flashed through his mind—

"'The despot's heel is on thy shore!
Maryland, my Maryland!
His torch is at thy temple's door!
Maryland, my Maryland!'

"He immediately jumped up, he told me, and dashed off the entire song as though it had come as an inspiration. When he had finished he lay down once more upon his bed and went right off to sleep, despite the attacks of the parasites that lined his couch. In the morning he read his lines to the boys, who received them with enthusiastic approval. It was not long before they were known in every Confederate camp, and their rhythm ofttimes cheered the tired frame and weary heart of some 'boy in gray.'"

Making Toast at the Camp-Fire.

Many of the surviving veterans of the old Massachusetts Sixth regiment will doubtless remember the following incident of their campaigning in Alexandria. A *northern* lady whose noble heart bled to see the sufferings of the heroes who were fighting for their country's honor, visited the camp just as the "boys" were preparing their evening meal. A large fire had been built for the purpose of cooking coffee and toasting bread. One poor fellow who was so sick that he could hardly move crawled painfully to the fire with a slice of bread stuck upon the end of a lance. He had approached from the leeward, but did not have strength enough to crawl out of the smoke. The lady took the improvised toasting fork from his hand and soon returned the bread toasted to a delicate shade of brown. Looking upon saw another person in uniform equipped in like manner standing by her side, looking wistfully at the toast and then at his *own slice of bread*. She could not refuse this silent appeal and the second slice was toasted in like manner.

Before she left that block of wood she had toasted seven or eight loaves of bread, and the hungry men had a feast that vividly reminded them of home comforts. After the toasting process was completed, the lady looked behind her and there beheld two or three companies of the regiment seated in a semi-circle around her devouring toast like hungry children. She says that she looks back upon that supper with the Massachusetts Sixth regiment as one of the pleasantest events of her life.

What Odium Thought.

[Cor. Philadelphia Times.]

Bob Odium, the brave swimmer, was a young man of generous impulses and sunny disposition, he made hosts of friends. He was just as certain of accomplishing the feat of jumping the Brooklyn bridge as he was that he could jump from a chair to the floor. "Why," said he, in conversation with me a few days before the jump, "there's no more danger in jumping from the bridge if you are taking a railroad train from here to New York. The train might meet with an accident and you might get hurt. Some things we cannot foresee." People may call him foolhardy, but I know he would not have attempted the feat if he felt there was not a living chance of doing it successfully. There is a heap of good, sound sense in the remark of the preacher who officiated at the funeral of Odium. He was a professional athlete and recognized his right to use his power as he wanted to, and the responsibility rests now with those who, if he had accomplished the feat, would have applauded it, but now condemn it."

Odium had saved the lives of many persons. He also saved the life of Sawyer Calhan's only son, a young boy of 15 years, in the breakers of *Fortress Monroe some years* ago.

Russia's New Railroad.

[Chicago Herald.]

Russia is about to begin a second railroad between the Black Sea and the Caspian, along the foot of the Caucasus on the north, while the existing railroad is south of the mountains. Like the other Russian railroads, it will be of five-foot gauge. The cost, with harbor improvements at Novorissik, is estimated at $9,500,000, or $55,000 per mile. The line will give an outlet to a productive grain country as well as to petroleum. The latter does not depend upon it wholly, as there is now a pipe line sixty miles long leading from the wells to Novorissik. When built it will be possible to ride by rail all the way from the Atlantic to the Caspian sea.

The 1,000-Year-Old Rose-Bush.

[Chicago Herald.]

Within a fortnight tablets have been placed upon the new shoots of the 1,000-year-old rose-bush at Hildesheim. The oldest of these shoots dates from 1789, the second from 1850, the third from 1863, the fourth from 1877, and the fifth from 1884. This last one was discovered on July 4 of last year, and has attained a remarkable growth within this short time, it now being nearly nine feet in length and almost an inch thick.

"Blind Tigers."

"Blind tigers" is what they call the illicit whisky shops which dot the line between north west Georgia and Alabama.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

Tragedies in Tennessee.

By the United Press to THE NEWS.

NASHVILLE, June 16.—Advices have been received from Smith County in this State reporting two tragedies on Saturday and Sunday. Two cousins, one named Rollins and the other named Denny, quarrelled on Saturday. Denny had been hunting and returning home found Rollins with his brother, who is a cripple, across about a log. Rollins told his brother to go and bring a gun. The brother started, as supposed, for the gun, when Denny raised his gun and fired, emptying its contents into Rollins's body, causing almost instant death.

Sunday, while at church near New Middleton, Frank Evans quarrelled with Jesse Pritchard and the latter's son. Evans opened fire on the Pritchards, inflicting wounds on both from which they will die. The Pritchards had been witness in a divorce suit by Evans.

Promiscuous Shooting.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 16.—Officer Reich, *detected John Slattery* picking a pocket at a picnic of the Trinity Church (German) at Schuetzen Park yesterday and attempted to arrest him. The officer was immediately surrounded by a gang of roughs. Slattery started to run and being pursued by the officer, turned and fired promiscuously into the crowd pursuing him. One of the bullets struck and killed a young man named Henry Myers. Slattery has not yet been arrested.

Marrying a Count.

GALVESTON, Texas, June 16.—Count Joseph Parise VonHohkofler, the son of wealthy and titled parents residing in Trieste, Austria was married to Miss Minnie Althoff in this city Sunday. The Count is 23 years of age. The wedding was a very gorgeous affair, the bride's parents being very wealthy.

General Grant Goes to the Country.

NEW YORK, June 16.—General Grant and family left this morning for Mount McGregor near Saratoga. General Grant is suffering greatly from the heat and malaria on the Hudson. A whisper that only those accustomed to hear him can understand. He is much wasted in body and is aged looking.

An Election Riot in Mexico.

LARETO, Tex., June 16.—Passengers on the Monterey express arriving here last night report that a bloody election riot which occurred Sunday in the city of Lampasos, State of Nuero Leon. During the riot three men were killed outright and a great number of persons were wounded.

English Politics.

LONDON, June 16.—Lord Salisbury has been closeted nearly all morning with Lord Rand olph Churchill, and it is believed that he is endeavoring to obtain the young Tory statesman's consent to serve as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland under the new regime.

The Petrified Wood Industry.

[Chicago Times.]

The petrified wood found in the Rocky mountain regions is rapidly becoming utilized. In San Francisco there is now a *factory for cutting and polishing these petrifi*cations into mantle-pieces, tiles, tablets, and other ornamental parts for which marble or slab is commonly used. Petrified wood is said to be susceptible of a finer polish than marble, or even onyx, the latter of which it is driving from the market. The raw material employed comes mostly from the forests of petrified wood along the line of the Atlantic & Pacific railway. Several other companies have also been formed to obtain concessions of different portions of these forests. Geologists will regret the destruction of such interesting primeval remains, and some steps ought to be taken to preserve certain tracts in their original state.

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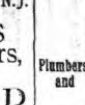

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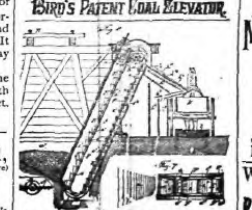

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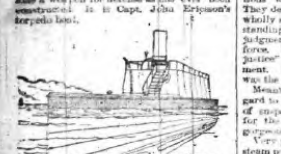
An American Torpedo Boat.

Once in a while the defenseless condition of American sea ports in case of an invasion is discussed in the newspapers. Nothing is ever done in the matter, however. Few of the learned writers are even aware that an American invention has been hanging fire for several years which would be so formidable a weapon for defense as has ever been constructed. It is Capt. John Ericsson's torpedo boat.



THE DESTROYER.

The most ponderous and all-armed invulnerable war ships in existence are the Italian Inflexible and Duilio, and the British Thunderer and Devastation. But against even these giants a torpedo boat like the Destroyer would be as the needle that punctures a toy balloon.

The boat has been built. She lies moss grown and rusty at the dock somewhere about New York. This is because the sapient United States government neglects to purchase her, or in any way gives encouragement her veteran inventor for his time and trouble. It will probably be another Hotchkiss gun case. Certainly, so far as anything can be judged which has not yet been put to long-continued actual test, the notion that should equip her ports and fleets with Destroyers would have a far-reaching advantage over her opponents.

The Destroyer is a submerged torpedo boat, which fires a 250-pound explosive shell under water. The great ironclads are heavily armor-plated only above water. If the plating was carried to the bottom of the ship, below the water, the weight would be so tremendous as to render the vessel practically useless. The Destroyer's fatal torpedo sneaks along, ten feet or so under water, and presently the great ironclad ship thinks Mt. Vesuvius has opened under her.

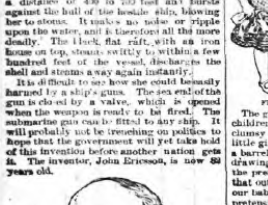
The illustration shows the Destroyer's external appearance, at the bow. For the matter of that, either end might be the bow, as she is built alike at both extremities.

She is 150 feet long, 12 feet wide and 11 feet deep. She lies almost entirely under the sea, the water-line being shown where the dark lines at the upper edge of the hull are seen. The house upon the deck is of iron, but is not a part of the vessel. It is for the temporary shelter of the crew, but may be all shot away, and the action of the boat be in no way interfered with.

The vessel is wholly of iron. Inside the hull is a plate-iron mid-deck. The space between this and the upper deck is filled in with cork and inflated air bags. The rudder is fixed upon a stern-post built upon the keel, and its top is four feet under water.

The torpedo gun is, however, the object of most interest. It is seen in the head of the boat, away down between the ribs. The keel is so narrow and sharp that a bulge must be built in it, more than a foot, to hold the gun. This is shown in the illustration. The torpedo or explosive shell itself is over twenty-five feet long and weighs 1,500 pounds. It is fired by compressed air. The tremendous shell moves through the water for a distance of 400 to 700 feet and bursts against the hull of the hostile ship, blowing her to atoms. It makes no noise or ripple upon the water, and is therefore all the more deadly. The black flat raft, with an iron house on top, steams swiftly to within a few hundred feet of the vessel, discharges the shell and steams away again instantly.

It is difficult to see how she could be easily harmed by a ship's guns. The sea end of the gun is closed by a valve, which is opened when the weapon is ready to be fired. The submarine gun could be fitted to any ship. It will probably not be trenching on politics to hope that the government will yet take hold of this invention before another nation gets it. The inventor, John Ericsson, is now 82 years old.



CAPT. JOHN ERICSSON.

A marvelous life is his. He has never been married, being wedded to mechanical experiment. He lives buried in his work in an old fashioned house in Beach street, New York city. His name is known the world over in connection with the invention of the monitor at the time of the late war. Other nations have adopted the monitor ironclad pattern in their navies. Besides this, however, the captain has made numerous other important discoveries. Among the products of his fertile brain are the caloric engine, the steam fire engine, various astronomical instruments, and the first idea of ironclad war vessels in general. Though nearly 82 years old, he declares he is in the prime of life, and certainly as far as appearances go he is. He works as vigorously and with as much fire and enthusiasm as he ever did. His brain teems with ideas and plans for the future. He declares the Destroyer, shown above, will annihilate any other vessel upon the face of the earth. A recent writeup of him: "He works incessantly and lives temperately on bread and vegetables."

The Keely Motor Again.

Is there anything in it? Doubtful. Still, an engineer who professes to have examined it, writes a communication to The New York Sun to which he signs his name, and represents it to be the most miraculous motor of modern times. The motor power, according to this authority, must be an agency entirely new to mechanics. This power is evolved by what Mr. John W. Keely calls an "interatomic liberator."

All parts of the machinery were examined by a committee of disinterested gentlemen. To evolve the power Mr. Keely uses a mysterious arrangement of brass globes, and various globes and metallic plates and frames. A disk of steel was called a "wave plate." There were also two tuning forks. One was placed near the brass globe, the other was removed with the "wave plate" about twelve feet away. Keely drew a violin bow across the tuning forks, and that seemed to liberate the force, whatever it was. No trace of steam, electricity or any known agency could be discovered. But when the iron machinery connected with the "liberator" was set in motion, it showed a pressure of 25,000 pounds to the square inch. So it is said.

At the conclusion of the exhibition a mechanician remarked: "I am interested financially in Keely's schemes, offered a set of resolutions which were unanimously adopted. They declare that the test had been fair and thoroughly successful, and that without understanding the invention, they gave it as their judgment that Keely had discovered a new force. Moreover, they deemed it an "act of justice" towards him to make this statement. Probably the mechanical engineer was the writer of the article in The Sun.

Meanwhile the proper state of mind in regard to the alleged motor seems to be that of suspended judgment. It is the fashion for the newspapers to pronounce Keely a gigantic humbug.

Very possibly. So was the inventor of steam power in his day. When Ben Franklin went out to draw electricity from the clouds with his famous experiment of the kite and key, he took his little grandson along, to protect him was kneeling for fun, so that his enemies could not laugh at him. If Keely is humbugging, so we shall find it out fast enough. No mob from the heights of our superior wisdom, to pass judgment on him beforehand.

Bread and Honey.

The Agricultural Gazette says that children would rather eat bread and honey than bread and butter. One pound of honey will go as far as two pounds of butter, and has, besides the advantage of being far more healthy and pleasant tasting. It always remains good, while butter soon becomes rancid. Honey eaten on brad bread is very beneficial to health. It is a common expression that honey is a luxury, having nothing to do with the life-giving principles. This is an error—honey is food in one of its most concentrated forms. True, it does not add so much to the growth of muscle as does beefsteak, but it does impart other properties no less necessary.

Facts of Interest.

Alabama's coal fields, as yet practically untouched, are half as large as those of England.

Lake Mastassinni, the great body of water newly discovered in British America, is probably larger than Lake Ontario. Explorations on its shores will be completed in August.

Jamestown, South Australia, has been changed from an arid desert to an earthly paradise in five years by the planting of trees in its suburbs and streets. This was done by the corporation of the town.

A school for horses in Brooklyn, called a "model," has all the desks arranged so that the light streams over the right shoulders of the pupils. This is altogether wrong. With light coming in that direction the shadow of the right hand will constantly be thrown upon whatever writing, drawing or work he does the pupil is working at. In fact it will injure the eyesight seriously. Light should come in on the left shoulder.

THE FASHIONS

Little Girl's Frock.

FRONT. BACK.

The graceful fashions that ruled so long in children's frocks are now shoved aside by the clumsy Mother Hubbard gown, which made little girls, if not big boys, look the shape of a barrel. But Mother Hubbard's day seems drawing to a close. We have a revival of the pretty princess dress and other shapes that outlined the plump, cupid-like forms of our babies somewhat. They look ready with any pretensions to taste ought to be glad of it. Here is a jaunty costume for a small girl. The low-neck frock is cut princess, open before down to the hips; then a full plaid skirt is gathered on. The goods is cut bias. A straight piece of the material forms the sash. The fabric is a small check or Scotch plaid, trimmed with narrow velvet braiding and ribbon.

Braided Trimmings.

Braids and galloons, woven, brocaded and embroidered, continue in vogue, and will form the trimmings most generally used this summer. They are arranged in the guise of bretelles on corsages, around the lower edge of basques, at the wrist of sleeves and extending up the seam, as a border on skirts and overskirts, and finally, the richest and most striking are used to define panels and tablieres on skirts, and for ornamenting wrappings of all shapes.

A Neat Pattern.

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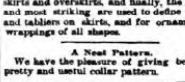

COLLAR.

The illustration shows one-half the collar, front on the left, back on the right. By remembering that the picture here is in every way just one-fourth the full size, it will be easy to cut one similar. Cut out of paper as pattern just this shape. Four times as large. That will be half the collar. It fits big in the neck. Put an ordinary band around the neck of the dress. Cut out the collar and sew it on top of that. The collar is a turn-over. It is first sewed on, then turn it down where the dotted line is. Put under it a stiff lining of wigan or foundation muslin. It may be of the material of the dress, and trimmed with a tasteful piece of ornamentation, as the collar, cuffs, and belt. Or it may be made of velvet, with cuffs to match. This last makes a pretty finish for a woolen dress.

Small Details at Weddings.

[Harper's Bazar.]

The bride alone wears white gloves, while the groom wears none, or else carries them down the aisle in his hand with his hat, which his best man has held during the ceremony. The bride also wears white stockings and slippers, and everything white except the "something blue" that she must wear for good luck. The bridesmaids wear very light undressed kid gloves, and their shoes and stockings may now be either black or white. A white feather fan with a mirror in the center is in favor for bridesmaids. At very elegant but quiet weddings no one goes to church without a bouquet except the bride and her attendants. Even the bride's mother wears her bonnet in the English fashion. At church weddings that are to be followed immediately by a reception at the bride's house, the more intimate friends of both bride and groom are requested to come to church without their bonnets, and this is considered an honor. On a written list given each usher, a seat is assigned each of these guests, and if the guest is unknown to the usher, he consults his list as he asks her, "Are you a friend of the bride or of the groom?" and finds just where she must be placed.

Told You So.

Here is the latest fashion news from Paris: Although the regular visiting season has almost come to a close, the approaching weddings and private festivities offer sufficient opportunity for the introduction of a remarkable change in gentlemen's evening dress, which made its appearance in Paris last winter. Short knee-breeches were worn there on all dress occasions, they do not differ other than the usual long trousers, and can be made, according to choice, of either cloth or satin. They reach below the knee, are fastened with three buttons on the outer seam, and finished off with a band and metal buckle, or a silo ribbon tied in a full bow. Black silk stockings and very low patent leather shoes are an indispensable addition to the short knee-breeches.

FASHIONLETS.

Blue flannel and red flannel dresses are made for girls' country and traveling suits.

Fans of large and unique forms are the only ones that should be used for wall decorations.

Large bows of wide ribbon or of piece goods, generally soft silk, adorn many summer frocks.

Egyptian and Arabian fancies in furnishing and decorating rooms are the caprice of the moment.

Velvet bonnet strings are being laid aside for those of lace and gauzy stuffs, especially gauze ribbons.

Bead embroidery on the collars, cuffs and waistcoats of dressy jackets are among other decorative fancies.

Red silk jerseys are prettily worn over skirts of printed sateen or percale figured with red for house dresses.

Tennis, afternoon teas, trotting and private theatricals are the amusements of Washington this spring.

Individual salt cruets in vari-colored glass, with silver-plated tops, in new flat shapes, are sold for $1.00 the dozen.

The same latitude prevails in the matter of the choice of materials for a bride's dress that is given in other fashions at present.

Full jabot ruffles of black lace are placed down the fronts, around the bottom, the neck and sleeves of dressy black silk street jackets.

To brighten up a black silk for summer a plaid silk vest is now used the waist, the pearl gray, rose color or striped black and white satin surah. This vest is of the finest knife plaiting its whole length, and sometimes tulle or thin French crape of the same color is laid over it.

Woolen Lace Overdress.

Nothing is more stylish, or, in a general way more useful, than a black lace overdress. Made separate, it can be worn at all seasons, and over all colors. It dims the glaring brightness of red or orange satin, and shows only dashes of brilliant color through the meshes of the lace. Over an old, creased and worn black silk dress, it is like enough, and covers a multitude of defects. Worn above the appropriate overdress, it serves in turn for carriage costume, evening dress or walking gown. With a little different draping, or color of ribbons, it is in like a separate costume every time.

Of course, most ladies who can afford it have the lace composed of strong, fine silk lace. But there are women who are of the salt of the earth, who cannot get the costly lace garment. For these there is something—well, yes, it is as pretty and graceful as the high-priced article. That is the woolen or yak lace polonaise.

WOOLEN LACE POLONAISE.

The illustration shows it. The goods comes in the yard, and can be bought by the yard like other fabrics. The overdress is trimmed with lace to match. The back breadth is silk, though it may be made as well of the lace. The belt and broad ribbon sash complete the stylish costume. Following is the description of a specimen toilet in black woolen lace over pomegranate red. The skirt of pomegranate silk, veiled by a lace skirt which is plain at the front, shirred on the sides, and very full at the back, forming a regular bell. The overdress is made of lace lined with pomegranate silk, and hanging over the back in two long ends is a wide sash of black satin ribbon. The small cape-shaped wrap is covered with lace; the sleeves form part of the back along the upper arm, and contract so as to join toward the front of the arm. Cut out the cuff, terminates in a basque with round pleats, while the front forms square tabs, having flat double pleats that extend from top to bottom, and are studded at the four terminals from the belt to the lower edge with macaroons in pomegranate and black passementeries the collar, cuffs, and belt. Also crosses the basque part of the wrap on the outside, are of passementerie, and along the sleeve and shoulder seams are double rows of passementerie drops, fringes, while at the lower edge of the basques the silk is prolonged two inches beyond the lace outside covering, and a passementerie drop fringe of the same depth is set upon it. So pronounced is the favor shown to all open-work stuffs that some very handsome entire skirts are being made of, course passementerie in black wool; these skirts are two inches shorter than the skirt over which they are worn, which is frequently made of red wool.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

	1885.	1884.
6 a. m.	60	6 a. m. 62
9 a. m.	66	9 a. m. 72
12 m	69	12 m. 82
3 p. m.		p. m. 94

Miniature Almanac.

Today and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise.....4 28 a.m.	Sunrise.....4 28 a.m.
Sun Sets....7 33 p.m.	Sun Sets....7 35 p.m.
Moon Rises 10 40 a.m.	Moon Rises.. p.m.

Chronological Events.

Battle Bunker Hill 1775.

Signal Office Prediction.

Cooler, clearing weather.

For Thursday, fair weather with slowly rising temperature is indicated for the Middle Atlantic States, with fair cooler weather in the New England States.

JOTTINGS.

—Catholic festival to-morrow evening.

—The Bethel Mission will hold a festival to-morrow afternoon and evening in Ryder's Hall on West Front street.

—The regular weekly prayer meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held in the parlor of Reform Hall to-morrow afternoon.

—The Maple Club of this city has forwarded $10 to the N. Y. Tribune Fresh Air Fund, from the Congregational Sunday School of Westfield $12 63

—On Monday carpenters began erecting scaffolding about the Court House at Elizabeth preparatory to building over the freeholders' room the new jury room.

—The Trinity Reformed and First Presbyterian Sunday Schools are making arrangements for their annual union excursion to Asbury Park. It will take place early in July.

—The prize committees on botany and penmanship of the public schools meet on Wednesday evening of next week at the Fourth street school to examine the work of contestants.

—While adjusting a moulding machine at Spicer and Hubbard's mill this morning, the head fell on the foot of Thomas Hughes, cutting a gash over two inches wide and one-half in deep. Dr. R. W. Hedges dressed the wound and the man is at work as usual this afternoon.

—A man arrested on Sunday for being drunk said that he had become intoxicated from cider obtained at John Paoli's, on North avenue. Paoli was accordingly brought before the City Court this morning for violation of the ordinance concerning the selling of merchandise on Sunday. He pleaded non vult, and sentence was set down by Judge Ulrich for to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

—A horse belonging to Insurance Agent William Woodruff is lame from getting a nail in his hoof, and it is doubtful if he lives. The horse picked the nail up in his hoof from a lot of garbage at the corner of West Front street and Plainfield avenue. If the animal dies Mr. Woodruff will hold the city liable for damages. It said there are eight other horses in the city suffering from the same cause.

—Two legal luminaries, in a case before Justice Wadsworth yesterday, somewhat lost their temper, and indulged in very uncomplimentary allusions to each other. The Justice endeavored to calm the troubled waters and adjourned the court, but the disturbance of the equilibrium of things continued until it threatened to bring one or the other of the lights of the bar to a state of enumlescence likely to mar the graceful tenor of their conduct, but that they, at this juncture, wisely took their hats and papers and departed apart.

—The Women's Christian Temperance Union are entitled to protection, and in every action they may take will be heartily supported by every respectable man and woman in this community. It arouses deep indignation when the story of the wrongs they have meekly submitted to are known. But there is a time when patience ceases to be a virtue, and for this patient Christian organization one will be justified in talking vigorous measure against any blatant hypocrites who persist in disturbing their meetings.

—Noah Pike has sworn out a complaint against Frank S. Harder for assault and battery, before Justice Nash. The alleged assault took place at Reform Hall on Sunday afternoon. Pike had been requested by the Women's Christian Temperance Union not to speak at their meeting, and in defiance of this request attempted to speak at the Sunday four o'clock meeting. The chairman called him to order, but he refused to desist. Mr. Harder, who was near put his hand on his shoulder and pulled him to his seat. Hence the complaint. The hearing will take place to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock.

Plainfield's Population.

Assessor Hubbard, of this city, has compiled his census report, from which the following facts are taken:

Wards.	Dwellings.	Families.	Inhabitants.
1	350	516	2,013
2	286	464	2,318
3	304	349	1,825
4	434	646	2,852
Total	1,374	1,975	8,988
Population, 1880			8,138
Increase,			702

North Plainfield's Population.

Assessor Brokaw, of North Plainfield, has completed the census upon which he has lately been engaged. It fixes the total population of all ages as 3,727, of which 1,773 are males and 1,954 females. The division in regard to ages is as follows: Under five years, 310 males, 195 females; between five and twenty, 584 males, 578 females; between twenty and sixty, 865 males, 1,026 females; over sixty, 117 males, 152 females. The nationalities of the foreign-born population is as follows: Irish, males 66, females 111; German, males 185, females 111; colored, males 50, females 53: all others, males 68, females 57. There are 684 dwellings, and 735 families, averaging over five occupants to each dwelling and less than five persons to each family. Population, 1880, 3,216. Increase, 511.

Fire Board Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the Fire Board was held in the City Court room last evening. Present: President Jones and Messrs Cauger, Livingston and Brown.

The reading of the minutes were dispensed with.

The following claims were presented and ordered paid: L. E. Clark, for services as collector from 1882 until expiration of term, $312 35; George Rickert, $113 07; Plain field Gas Co., $125; J. B. Miller and Bro., $10; Zephyr Hook and Ladder Co., $54.50, being one-half the cost of keeping the horses before the stables were built. The claim of Clerk was paid by a note dated four months from the time of being ordered paid.

The President was authorized to make a contract with Peter Rickert for the use of his horses for Gazelle Engine, No. 1, in case of fire.

Warren Engine Co., No. 3, was given a note dated a year in advance in payment for their engine.

The President and Treasurer were appointed a committee to interview the owner of Alert Hose Co.'s horses and inquire if the horses can be arranged as a store-room for the department.

The Committee on Supplies were directed to ascertain the cost of repairing the headlight of Gazelle Co.'s engine.

Work was ordered commenced on the fire-well at the corner of Broadway and Carlton avenue.

The President and Treasurer were authorized to raise $1,000 for the use of the department in anticipation of taxes.

The Board have concluded that it will be necessary for them to be economical in the expenditure of money, inasmuch as back claims amounting to over $7,000 have been presented and ordered paid. It was not thought that there were more than $1,000 to the credit of the department outstanding. The claim of ex-Collector Clark completely staggered them, both on account of its size and on account of the length of time it had been allowed to run. Mr. Clark says that he has been endeavoring to get satisfaction from the members of the Board to whom he intrusted his claim but had not yet succeeded.

But little business was done owing to the absence of several members of the Board.

Caught in a Shower.

A party of Plainfielders went last evening to a strawberry festival at Mt. Pleasant, a small place about three miles out on the Rahway road. The festival was held in a large tent, belonging to the Women's Christian Temperance Union of this city, and lent by them for use on this occasion. The proceeds of the festival were to be devoted to the defraying of the expenses of the Sunday evening out-post meeting held in the school-house there by the Young Men's Christian Association of this city. Everything in the tent was very prettily arranged and there was a full attendance during the entire evening. Affairs went lovely until the return home of the Plainfielders, which was undertaken shortly before the rain commenced to come down as it was wont to do in flood times. As the stage had no covering to it, the occupants received the full benefit of heaven's outpouring, and were a wet-looking crowd as they passed through Front street just as the second dash of rain commenced. They, however, enjoyed the affair hugely.

Pastures New by Moonlight.

James Muldowney, who resides in the vicinity of West Third and New streets, has a cow. This cow chews her cud in the dreariness of a barn yard by day without the virtifying influence cast upon an ordinary cow's life by green fields and bright sunshine, but when Vesper, having closed Olympus, has put the day to rest," her cowy heart responds to the calling of the moon's tender beams, and, lead by her kind master's hand, she sallies forth by various back routes to where the pastures fresh and new belonging to Francis McIntyre invite her yearning stomach. Last evening, however, McIntyre made connections with this new patent process of moonlight pasturage and caught Muldowney in the act. Suffice it to say that that cow now mourns by night as well as by day.

Personal.

The Rev. B. T. Vincent and son, Leon Vincent, of Philadelphia, were guests yesterday of the former's brother, the Rev. Dr. J. H. Vincent, of West Fourth street.

John H. Jackson, of the class of '71, has gone to New Brunswick to attend a reunion of the Delta Upsilon Society and the Commencement exercises of Rutger's college.

The North Plainfield Seminary Commencement.

The pretty Holy Cross Chapel on Mercer avenue, North Plainfield, was filled last evening by an audience largely composed of ladies, in attendance at Commencement exercises of the North Plainfield Seminary, of which Miss Burrows is the efficient principal. The chapel was tastefully decorated, a profusion of evergreens forming a wall at the back of the platform, while grotesque Oriental banners and fans were distributed about the walls generally.

The program introduced the Misses Hasbrouck and Reimen in a tarantella dust, by Rubenstein, rendered with such dash and finish, that one might readily perceive the fascination which makes it so popular as the music in sunny Italy for the lovers of the "spider" dance.

Master C. B. Tyler came next with a recitation, "A Catastrophe," by D. L. Prudfit, and showed careful elocutionary training.

He was followed by May Sandford, a pretty black-eyed girl with a pleasant manner that won her audience even before she had had begun the story of "The Wind and the Moon" by George McDonall, in which her well-trained and naturally fine voice was displayed to good advantage.

Miss Ramsen again presided at the piano and in clever style, in a saltarello by S. B. Mills gave a good example of Neapolitan dance music. She was followed by the concluding event of Part 1, a play entitled "Lord Malapert of Moon-shine Castle" in which Willie Burrows appeared as "Lord Malapert" Percy Sandford as "The Sanschal" Willie Tyler as "Man in the Moon," Gilford Cooley and Mulford Day as "Prick and Prick," Grace Cooley as "Cicely," and Mary VanDerventer as "Marianna," and Lottie Tuttle, Lulu Pangborn and May Sandford as, "Maids of Honor," each in appropriate costume.

The explanation of the play, as given on the program, is that "Mistress Cicely, from overmuch reading of fairy tales, dreams more of what she would like to be and like to have, than of what she is and has. A curious adventure recalls her to herself and shows her that contentment is better than wealth."

The explanation, however, was quite unnecessary, as the parts were all so well rendered as to make it a clear case, and well meriting the warm applause of the audience. Grace Cooley sustained the leading part with a naturalness that would have done credit to one of more mature years.

Part II began with a duet on the piano, "Pizzicati" (Leo Delibe), rendered by Miss Hasbrouck and Mrs. Hasbrouck; and was followed by a solo, Mallovs "Postition," sung by Mr. C. H. Clark, who in response to and encore sang "When We Shall Meet." Then Miss Hasbrouck recited "The Echo and The Ferry," by Jean Ingelow, and before she had time to withdraw she was met on the platform by Rev. T. L. Murpay, who on behalf of Miss Burrows, and in a neat speech, presented her with a set of books. She also received handsome bouquets as did also other pupils from admiring friends.

Miss Hasbrouck intends to continue her studies in the seminary with a view of teaching. She displayed herself as a most accomplished lady, and one who promises to "make a mark."

The pupils in this seminary are instructed in elocution by Madame Alberti.

Mr. Clark sung "The Letter," and was again called out for another song, but responded with a bow.

A piano selection, Krugis "Spanish Belle," rendered most sprightly by Grace Cooley, concluded the very enjoyable entertainment, whereupon the audience dispersed in a hurry to reach their homes before the threatening thunder shower, which was suddenly coming, arrived, as it shortly did, quickly overclouding the starlit sky, and in torrents delightfully, cooling the atmosphere, so intensely hot during the day and evening.

He Put Her Out, and She Smashed the Door.

Mrs. Patrick Cahill appeared before Justice Nash yesterday with a tale of mental infelicity. She said she lived in the Boulevard, and that her husband put her out of the house twice, causing her to fall on the sidewalk. She then said she found the door in the door. The justice refused to entertain her complaint, because he had once before taken a similar one from her, and sent her husband to the county jail to await the action of the grand jury, and when the case came up for trial she had refused to appear. She and her husband will, accordingly, have to pursue the unoved tenor of their way without the quieting influences of a short stay in the county look-up.

—There is one man in this community, who if he was in a less orderly community, we have no doubt would be treated to as liberal a dose of tar and feathers as has ever been bestowed on a two-legged biped, and drummed out of town with a vigor that would in some measure express public contempt for so contemptible a hypocrite and scamp. Indeed, we would not be surprised to soon even this community rise in its indignation before long and express itself in what is known as the "Western" (but certainly oftentimes the most effective) "way" of ridding itself of a nuisance, public nuisance, an ulcer on society generally.

—A committee from the Presbyterian church, near Dover, waited on Rev. Mr. Honeyman last Saturday evening at his mother-in-law's, near Mt. Freedom, where he was sojourning, to urge his acceptance of the pastorate of their church. This was the second committee who had waited upon him for the same purpose, but he was compelled to decline on account of ill health. This is the eighth time he has been offered the pastorate of churches since he has been in Plainfield.

—In case any of our Danelites, New Market, Round Brook and Westfield subscribers fail to receive their paper regular by carrier, they may assist us to secure greater efficiency by promptly notifying us.

—Several summer hotels are reported to have made their appearance in portions of the State.

Rink Manager Foster's Rogue Marriage and Sudden Departure.

On Monday the Overseer of the Poor of one of the townships of Hunterdon County appeared in this city to obtain certain affidavits, whereby the legal settlement of a child now being cared for by his township might be determined and the township relieved of its care. In the getting of these affidavits the story was told of Edward Foster's rogue marriage some four years ago.

Foster during the past season has been an employe at the Casino Roller Rink and of late has been one of its managers. It appears that about four years ago he hired rooms on Madison avenue, saying that he wanted them for himself and wife. He had moved into them, being accompanied by a young woman from Hunterdon county. Shortly after, the young woman's mother, thinking things were not altogether right, came here to take her daughter home. Foster said, "You can't take her, she is my wife," and exhibited a marriage certificate. As the mother could not read, a young man who was present read it for her. It was a marriage signed by a Roselle clergyman and two witnesses. The mother was satisfied and went home. Time passed, and it was supposed Mrs. Foster was about to be confined she went home and Foster went somewhere else. It was given out that he was going to Springfield, Ill., to work in the Elgin Watch Company's factory at that place, but instead he went to Springfield, Mass., and worked in the armory there. Nothing further was heard from Foster or his supposed wife.

About a year ago Foster re-appeared in this city, and a few months afterwards he married a young woman with whom he had become acquainted while away.

When the officer was here on Monday Foster followed him around while he was getting the affidavits, and, although he put on a bold front, it was very evident that he was fearful of the consequences. He admitted all the facts in the foregoing, but said that the certificate which he exhibited was a bogus one, which had been prepared by a friend of his. Nothing has been seen of him, however, since Monday evening, and it is currently reported that he has gone to parts unknown. The affair has made quite a sensation about town, and his sudden departure has been explained by his friends saying that he had gone away in search of employment.

The Vocal Society's Next Season.

The following circular has been sent out by the Plainfield Vocal Society concerning the work of the society for the next season:

The Plainfield Vocal Society, in making announcement of its plans for the season of 1885-6, expresses its appreciation of the cordial support it has had from the subscribing members during the season just closed, the most successful one since its organization. The Society is encouraged by the increasing interest evinced in its work, and aims by the community generally.

The Society feels that their patrons and the evidence of an educated musical taste in the community, are the ample rewards to the members for the time for the persistent work which has been required of them.

It is proposed to give three private concerts during the coming season. The dates selected (subject to change if necessary) are December 18, 1885, March 10, May 30, 1886.

To aid the Directors in perfecting their plans, subscribing members are requested to send their names at once to the secretary. Their co-operation is asked also in securing a few new subscribers.

By the payment of ten dollars, each subscribing member will receive invitations to each concert, with reserved seats. subscriptions are payable October 1, 1885.

H. C. COCK, Secretary.
W. W. HOWLAND, President.
C. W. McCOMBER, Vice-Presidents.
D E DAVIS Treasurer pro tem.
NELSON RENYON,
O. S. TEALE, Directors.

She Would Have Shot Her.

Yesterday afternoon a quartette of colored people, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Manning, assembled at Justice Nash's office in response to a request from that official. A short time before Mr. Manning had appeared and said that Mrs. Peterson had threatened to shoot Mrs. Manning, her sister, and that he wanted his wife protected. The Justice accordingly sent for all the parties concerned before a complaint was made. Mrs. Peterson admitted that she had threatened to shoot her sister, and said that if she had called her a liar again she would have put four balls through her. She knew the consequences of her act and was willing to take them. She was peacefully willing that her sister should make a complaint against her. Mrs. Manning said she did not wish to make a complaint against her sister. It appeared that Mrs. Manning did not even turn her head when her sister pointed the pistol at her. Mrs. Peterson finally said she would keep the peace, and the sisters agreed not to speak to each other, and the quartette departed.

St. Mary's Festival.

The following is the program of the music to be given at the Catholic Church festival in St. Mary's Hall to-morrow evening, full particulars respecting which will be found in the advertisement:

March—Firemen's Parade	J. Belsig
Lancers—Brunswick	N. Schleppegrell
Quadrille—In the Morning by the Sunlight	A. E. Voss
Overture—Zampa	Fred. Brandeis
March—Delicieuse	Fred. Brandeis
Caledonians—Scotch Varieties	K. Boettger
Lancers—Dairy Dou	G. H. Rees
Song—"Kiss Me, Ere I Die."	
March—Boulevard Ireland	L. Walle
Quadrille—Fleur Animees	F. Zibal
Caledonians—"Bright Heather Flower"	Boeklond
Song—Irish Airs	P. S. Gilmore
Quadrille—Medley Overture	Scanlon
Lancers—Saratoga	Bernicia

The State-House Rebuilding Committee of New Jersey, consisting of Gov. Abbett, Comptroller Anderson, Secretary Kelsey and Treasurer Toffey, came together yesterday afternoon and remembered their purpose of abandoning the rebuilding of the burned portion of the Capitol. They agreed to advertise for new plans for the building to be submitted on Tuesday next. The plans will be for a building 75 by 120 feet, about one-third larger than the burned structure.

State Notes.

The annual commence-ment exercises of the West Jersey Academy, at Bridgeton, took place Friday. D. Wilson Moore, of Clayton, was valedictorian in the place of H. B. Lupton, deceased

Colonel David Robbins, the ninety-year-old hermit of Northern New Jersey, was on Saturday relieved from the Warren County Almshouse. His property, consisting of bonds and bank stock, has been turned over to the county.

John Edwards, 35 years old, a laborer, while crossing the New Jersey Central Railroad tracks at Metuchen on Saturday afternoon, was struck by a train and killed. He was a married man and lived at Monmouth street, Jersey City.

Mr. Samuel Koltz, the new Collector of Internal Revenue for Newark Collection District, was sworn into office before U. S. Commissioner Kearney at that city Saturday forenoon, and late in the afternoon the stamps on hand and other property belonging to the Government were turned over to him by Mr. Hathorn, the retiring Collector.

The widow of Francis Ill, of Hoboken, who took a dose of carbolic acid a few days ago, from the effects of which he died on Saturday, appeared before Mayor Tinken and charged City Physician Heller with being responsible for her husband's death, alleging that he did not answer the summons sent him until five hours after he was called. Ill dying in the meantime.

One of the nine graduates who delivered orations at the graduating exercises of Rutgers College Grammar School on Friday was a Japanese, Kojiro Matsugata, who spoke on "The Japanese." He had practiced for weeks beforehand by speaking alone from a cliff facing the river back of the town. He was awarded the prize for the best oration as well as of that in history.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Granite Steam at less than the regular price, 5c. and 10c. as oftentimes imitations or inferior articles are sold on "The Sly." Ask for them by name and take no substitute. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

O. F. WOODWARD, Manager,
Le Roy, N. Y.

In consequence of the increasing demand of the people to have their clothing MADE TO ORDER I have concluded to give up the Ready Made department and devote my attention exclusively to the Merchant Tailoring. This will enable me to keep the largest assortment of these goods ever in Plainfield. Therefore to make room for a much larger stock of piece goods I offer for sale about $5,000.00 worth of Men's Youths and Boys' Clothing at the manufacturer's prices, and I will guarantee to sell 25 per cent. less than any clothing store can afford to sell the same goods. This clothing must be sold before September 1, 1885, to make room for the new order of business. Terms Cash

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2 37 a. m.	5 30 a. m.	4 30 a. m.	5 30 a. m.
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SUNDAY.—Leave Plainfield at 2 37, 8 01, 9 01, 10 01, 11 01 a. m., 12 01 p. m., 2 01, 3 01, 5 01, 7 01, 9 01 p. m. and 12 01 midnight. Leave New York at 8 45, 9 45, 10 45, 12 00 m., 1 00, 2 00, 3 00, 4 00, 5 00, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.

All trains from Plainfield connect for Newark EXCEPT 2 37 a. m., 5 01 p. m. and 12 01 midnight.

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Leave New York for Elizabeth at 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 p. m. Sundays 8 00 a. m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30 p. m.

Leave Plainfield 7 40, 8 10, 8 40, 10 10, 10 40 a. m., 12 10, 1 10, 2 10, 3 40, 4 40, 5 40, 6 40, 7 40, 8 40, 9 40, 10 40, 11 40 p. m. Sundays 8 40 a. m., 12 10, 2 40, 6 40, 8 40, 9 40, 10 40 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 4th and Green St., 4 25, 7, 8, 10, 11 00 a. m., 1 15, 2 45, 4 15, 5 45, 7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 11 30 p. m. Sundays 4 25 a. m., 12 00 m., 11 30 p. m.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1885.

RECENT LEGAL DECISIONS.

The Kentucky Superior Court held in the case of The Kentucky and Louisville Mutual Insurance Company vs. Harrison that the representation must be asserted that she owned the absolute fee in the insured property when her interest was only a defeasible fee, not being material to the risk, did not prevent a recovery on the policy, although it provided that no recovery could be had thereon if the interest of the assured was less than the absolute fee, unless the true title were expressed.

An interesting question was raised in the recent case of the United states vs. Badger in the United States Circuit Court at Boston—namely, as to whether the United States government protects letters after they have been delivered into a private box which the person to whom they are directed has authorized. The court ruled in this case, in which the defendant tried to enforce an entry, that the U. S. afford states protects letters till they reach the person to whom they are addressed, and that a delivery into a box such as that described above is not a delivery to the person.

In the case of Boston vs. Smithers, al, the Supreme Court of Illinois held that the payment to one stockholder of a private corporation for advances or loans made by him to the corporation, and interest thereon, by the transfer of notes and accounts, was not fraudulent as to other creditors of the corporation, being at most a preference of one creditor over others, which the law allows, but that the payment by an insolvent corporation to a stockholder of a demand which was not a legal subsisting debt incapable of being enforced by suit, was a mere gift, and fraudulent as to bona fide creditors.

Where the defendant bought from abroad articles which, if made in England, would be an infringement of the plaintiff's patent, and used them in the laboratory for the purpose of experimenting and instructing his pupils, allowing them to examine them and pull them to pieces, they being cheaper than the plaintiff's patented article, which he said he could not afford to buy for such a purpose, the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice (England) held that such a user was a user to the advantage of the defendant, and consequently an infringement of the plaintiff's patent. United Telephone Company vs. Sharples.

Where a debtor of a bank conveyed his interest in a tract of land to an officer of the bank, under an agreement that the debtor should aid in perfecting the title thereto, in obtaining sales of the same under prior liens and procuring satisfaction of incumbrances, the bank to pay the parties holding such liens and incumbrances, and to allow a credit for the net value of such land over and above the costs and expenses incurred in perfecting the title, upon certain sales being given it by a third party, which sums one had agreed to pay, the bank had agreed should satisfy a large amount of the debtor's unsettled liabilities to it, where by the debtor was to receive the benefit from the satisfaction of his debts to the bank, but in no event was to have any right to redeem the property from the bank, the Supreme Court of Illinois held (Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company et. al. vs. Wansen et. al.) that the above covenant and agreement did not constitute the transaction a mortgage by the debtor, and that such arrangement was not fraudulent as to other creditors of the debtor.

GEN. GRANTS JOURNEY.

HE BEARS THE EXHAUSTION OF THE TRIP VERY WELL.

A Longing Gaze at Central Park—Anxious to Move About Without Assistance Wherever Possible—The Relief Only Temporary.

MOUNT MCGREGOR, N. Y., June 17.—The sun rose upon a busy scene at Gen. Grant' residence in Sixty-sixth street. Servants were hard at work all through the house preparing the last dinner there before the family were to take to Mount McGregor. At 7:30 Col. Fred Grant's children—the children looked out from the open parlor window upon the busy scene. Carriages were loading the trunks on a wagon. Among the luggage were half a dozen lid canteens, each marked, "Gen. Grant, with care."

Gen. Grant was early after a fairly good night's rest. He expressed neither fear nor fear concerning the journey. With Dr. Douglas, his physician, over guard out upon the bustling scene below. After his throat had received the customary dressing he took some milk, with which ex ract of beef was mixed, but no nourishment. Then came a speech which fell upon him last Sunday morning still remained, and when he expressed a wish Harrison, his wife nurse, had to bend low to catch the faint, husky whisper. All the neighbors seemed to know that the general was to leave that morning, and the crowd in the street grew and grew. Shortly after 8 o'clock Mrs. Grant, with her children, appeared on the front steps. Gen. Grant, leaning on the arm of his son-in-law, Col. Fred Grant, and her two children, entered the carriage, and the procession of the Grant family carriages, driven by their colored coachman, drew up before the door. Harrison ran down the steps and put a big valise on the front seat of the carriage to meet Gen. Grant, who stood on the threshold. The general gazed up and down the street, and his glance lingered awhile on the waving trees in the park. Then, leaning only on the cane which his right hand firmly grasped, he slowly walked down the steps.

Any one who had seen only the pictures of the warrior would not recognize in the bent and feeble old man the heroic Appomattox. His head hung low on his breast, his form from his stooped shoulders, and a well-worn silk hat was thrown back on his head. Around his head a white bandage was twisted was closely wrapped, only partially hiding the ugly swelling under his right ear and on that side of his throat. A group of watchers on the opposite sidewalk, behind their fences, and workmen in the unfinished building on the corner of Fifth avenue did the same. But no change came over the pale, pinched features. Gen. Grant walked slowly down the sidewalk, moved by his iron will alone, he quickly made his way to the carriage. Dr. Douglas assisted him, and Gen. Grant soon had him to enter. Then he assisted Mrs. Grant to get in and closed the door. Harrison leaned upon the box and the coachman was on the front seat. The horses were impatient. Many neighbors came to the carriage window and wished the general a pleasant journey. He shook hands with them, and as the carriage drove around into the Fifth avenue sooner toward the Grand Central depot.

The bright June sunshine seemed to invigorate him. He suffered little of any pain. A remark of Mrs. Grant's as the carriage passed down the avenue. About a hundred people stood on Fortieth street when the baggage entrance of the depot at Forty-fifth street, when the general's carriage drove up. They blocked the sidewalks in their eagerness to see him. Many of the cadets of the 22d regiment with their clubs to clear a lane from the curb to the door. An invalid's wheelchair stood on the sidewalk, with two drawings from the hospital. Dr. Shrady, general. Dr. Douglas was close at hand and watched every movement. Dr. Shrady got in first and helped Mrs. Grant to her invalid husband's side. Then Gen. Grant, assisted by Superintendent Toucey and a few others also paid their respects. The children and nurses, with Harrison and two servants, took seats in President Webb's private coach, which was next to the baggage car. Gen. Grant, his wife, Fred Grant and Dr. Douglas occupied the last seat in the car.

The journey was made without incident. At noon the general took a little nourishment and afterward slept. Dr. Douglas in his throat with a soft brush dipped in cocaine.

At 1:55 o'clock the train arrived in Saratoga. One hundred invited guests, headed by G. A. R. Post Wheeler stood in line in the depot yard and applauded when they caught a glimpse of the old commander standing in the doorway of the car. He responded with a military salute, and the crowd of 300 people who had assembled about the depot joined in the cheering again. The Mount McGregor special car stood close by on its narrow-gauge track. Side by side were two trains moved along for a quarter of a mile, with the G. A. R. veterans marching behind. Opposite the Tallman works the two trucks ran within eight inches of each other, and there the trains halted. Before any one could help him Gen. Grant stepped off his train, crossed the space to the McGregor car and laid hold of the hand rail. Dr. Douglas, who followed with outstretched arms, but the invalid climbed up alone. The crowd cheered again and again as they saw that the general was clearly disappeared inside. His wife, Dr. Douglas and the others followed. Col. Fred and his helpers found it hard work to get the baggage aboard. At Glenwood the car door into the little car, and the general himself came to the entrance and soon directing his movements. The Engineer Todd started up the locomotive "U. W. Drexel" and the little special moved forward. The rude of fourteen miles to the summit was accomplished in safety again. The car of Gen. Grant's journey. As the diminutive engine wheezed along the uneven rails up the steep grade and behind out miles of stifling smoke which filled the car and that of the general much annoyance. Curve following curve in quick succession and the car pitched from side to side like a boat in a stormy sea. Gen. Grant lay wearily back with closed eyes, except when an extra sharp jolt aroused him.

The climb to the mountain sides was made in three-quarters of an hour, and at 2:40 o'clock, after five hours and forty minutes' journey, the car was drawn up on the summit of Mount McGregor. On the little platform, which does duty as a station, stood a white-covered hospital cot, with mattress and pillow, which some one had brought to which to carry him to the cottage. The top of the car steps was flush with the platform, and before any knew what his intention the general stepped off and started up the hill towards the Drexel cottage, 400 yards off. A rustic wooden awning covered the plank walk, and at the end was a rudely painted wooden sign bearing the legend "Welcome to Our Hero, 1885–1885." Borne up by his tremendous will power the general walked along the boat one hundred feet up the steep path. Then he wavered a moment and stood still. Detective Fryer, of Saratoga, who close by with a rattan cane, set Gen. Grant sank or rather laid full into it. The effort to climb the steps had exhausted him. Constables Minnick and Fryer each took hold of a side of the chair and carried the invalid up the rest of the way to the house. The moment the chair with their burden appeared upon the scene, and walked firmly up the flight of ten steps, with the solo assistance of his cane. He then swung open the screen door, and, after half an hour, went inside. Harrison changed the general's costume, and after awhile the general reappeared on the veranda, and looked out upon the scene. There he sat for hours, surrounded by his family, drinking in the fresh, clear mountain air. Towards evening a brisk shower came up, but the general remained in and stayed out till the wood mosquitoes drove him indoors.

As darkness fell veteran Samuel Willett, of Lee Benedict post, 5, G. A. R., of Albany, mounted guard before the general's door. He said he was an old soldier of his and would stay on duty until the general left the mountain.

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He Will Probably be Made Secretary of State for India—Gladstone Refuses the Office of an Earldom.

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SPORTS ON LAND AND WATER.

Racing at Coney Island and Chicago—Harlem Yacht Club.

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The first race was for maidens, all ages, over three-quarters of a mile. Brice, first; Dicer, second; Lord Lyon, third. No time given.

The next race was the Foam stakes for two-year-olds, over five furlongs. Portland, Electric second, Leterla third. Time, 1:03¾.

The third race was the Tidal stakes, for three-year-olds, over a mile. Pardee and Winters ran a dead heat for first place in 1:44½. Brookwood third.

The fourth race was a handicap sweepstakes of one mile and three furlongs. Hood, Le Fee, Euclid second, Wallanea, third. Time, 2:26¾.

The fifth race was a sweepstakes of a mile and a furlong. Dr. Hughes, Executor second, St. Paul third. Time, 2:01¾.

The sixth race was a selling purse of a mile. Logan first, Manitoba second, Carley B third. Time, 1:45.

Harlem Yacht Club.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The spring regatta of the Harlem Yacht club took place, favored by a clear sky and southwest breeze. The Rosetta and the Belia did not participate, the former on account of the illness of her owner, and the latter because of her heavy rig. The following are the winners in their respective classes:

Class A, cabin sloops—Carrie Van Voorhies, corrected time, 4:13:32; Sasqua, center board time, 4:03:2.

Class B, cabin sloops—Peerless, corrected time, 4:22:31. Finished alone.

Class C, open jib and mainsail—Nellie Thorp, corrected time, 4:23:08. Only entry.

Class D, open jib and mainsail—Daniel, corrected time, 4:41:46. Only entry.

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Class F, cat-rigged—Comet, corrected time, 3:40:08; Jay W. Gee, corrected time, 3:41:02.

Class G, cat-rigged—Rambler, corrected time, 3:34:50; Irene, corrected time, 3:41:42.

Trotting in Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 17.—About 1,600 persons gathered at the Driving park to witness the first day's racing of the spring meeting. Weather cool.

First race—3:00 class: Judge Lindsey first, Charles Hilton second. Best time, 2:21¼.

Second event—2:30 pacing race: Sam Hope first, Argyle second. Best time, 2:16½.

Third race—2:21 trot: Jerome Turner first, Walnut second, Zoe B. third. Best time, 2:17¾.

Baseball.

At Providence:										
New York	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2
Providence	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
At Chicago:										
Chicago	2	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	2	—8
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At St. Louis:										
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Buffalo	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2
At Brooklyn:										
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At Baltimore:										
Virginia	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	—6
National	0	3	1	2	2	0	0	1	x	—9
At Norfolk:										
Norfolk	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	—5
Wilmington	2	2	7	1	0	2	2	2	x	—18
At Philadelphia:										
Athletic	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	4	3	—11
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
At Baltimore:										
Baltimore	2	0	0	0	3	1	4	0	1	—11
Louisville	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Game called on account of rain.

The New York Custom House.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Collector Robertson, of New York, has submitted his report to the treasury department in response to a circular calling for recommendations as to methods of reducing the force and improving the efficiency of his office. He reports that sixty-five vacancies occurring during the past year, the salaries of which aggregate $90,000, are permitted to remain vacant, and that a further reduction of force is deemed inexpedient. Mr. Robertson deems it unnecessary to make any recommendations at this time for the improvement of the service.

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Interstate Commerce.

CHICAGO, June 17.—The senate committee on interstate commerce concluded its labors here and left for St. Louis. George M. Bogue, real estate dealer; A. C. Bartlett, hardware merchant, and C. M. Wicker, commissioner of the Chicago freight bureau, appeared as witnesses before the committee.

Intercollegiate Race.

NEW LONDON, Conn., June 17.—The Harvard university crew arrived here and was taken to quarters by the steamer Gen. Yale will arrive on Thursday. Hayward races with Columbia on Saturday.

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THE EXAMINING BOARD REPORTS TO SECRETARY WHITNEY.

Condemned for Her Unseaworthy Qualities and for not Developing the Required Speed—The Government not Bound to Accept Her.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The Washington correspondent of The Sun says: The board which examined the Dolphin for Secretary Whitney has handed him its report. Commander Belknap, Commander Bunce and Mr. Herman Winters do not desire another trial trip to satisfy them that the ship is bad. No, one of them believes her to be seaworthy. Even on their first trial trip, in the smooth waters of Long Island sound, she demonstrated her structural weakness. The report will be a unpleasant reading both for Mr. John Roach and the members of the advisory board, for the responsibility for the failure of this "pioneer vessel of our new navy" is a divided one. The plans were few, and they were executed in an unworkmanlike way. The advisory board designed a ship for speed, and as a yacht she only looks fast. Now that her log is finally reckoned, it turns out that she did not make the required fifteen knots even in the days of her youth. On her trial trip before and aft fire, and yet her six inch gun can shoot in neither of these directions. She can reach fire at a point where she may be pursuing, nor at one from which she may be flying. In order to do either she would be obliged to send her ball through the small boats that have been built on her deck. One of these houses is called "Social Hall," and this inefficiently indicates the use to which it was intended to put the Dolphin. The board recommends its demolition.

The report shows how faulty the construction is by pointing out that there are no bunk bulkheads in the vessel, and no engine whatever for her engines. On the first trial trip of the series instituted by Mr. Whitney, the Dolphin, in making the run to Cape May, caused the pinching and heating of her forward crank-pin, and on the next trial ten tons additional in her stern caused a like disaster to her new crank-pin. In other words, the vessel is so badly constructed that a slight addition to her load, or a slight shifting of her load, causes disarrangement of line. The absence of proper braces, due to faulty designing, causes her to vibrate and her machinery dock to shake in such a way as to make grave doubts as to her safety as a sea-going vessel.

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Iron Mines Shut Down.

PITTSBURG, June 17.—A West Elizabeth special says: The mines of the Joseph Walton & Co.'s mines have been shut down. From the present outlook nearly all the mines will be closed by the middle of the week. The coke and 1,000 men lie idle. Many of the miners are moving away.

The New York Oleomargarine Law.

NEW YORK, June 17.—In the case of the People vs. Nathan, who was fined for selling oleomargarine, and which was carried into the court of appeals, a decision has been handed down, in which holds that the law affecting the sale of oleomargarine as it stands at present is unconstitutional.

More Earthquakes in Cashmere.

SIMLA, June 16.—Shocks of earthquake continue with increased violence in the vain of Kangra valley. Many buildings have been destroyed in making contracts and superintending work. Consequently expenditures have been larger than were necessary or warranted. Hereafter, in addition to the annual reports, estimates, etc., be made in as detailed form as possible; that appropriations be made for specific objects, and that the state house commission be required to submit itemized statements yearly.

Desperate Assault by Desperadoes.

WOOSSOCKET, R. I., June 17.—Five men attacked the house kept by John Cregan, on Logee hill, about two miles from this city, last night, and threw a tree as a battering ram. They broke the blinds and one entered through a window. He was fired on five times by Cregan, but escaped, taking effect. The wounded man was carried off by his comrades and his name is not known. Cregan's wife, or mistress, was roughly handled. She clothes were torn from her body. She also received wounds on the head from a stone held in the hands of one of the desperadoes. Four of the gang escaped. Assailants, and Cregan are under arrest.

Spelling for a Fight.

LOUISVILLE, June 16.—A gentleman just returned from Knott county, Kentucky, reports that the Hall and Jones factions are under arrest, and that bloodshed is imminent. The Hall party numbers thirty-one and the Jones gang eighteen, and all are armed with Winchesters. The assassinating body is known as them. On Monday of last week, Perry Sherwood and B.ll Hawk Stammore, the latter one of the most notorious desperadoes in the county, were waylaid and killed. They both belonged to the Hall faction.

Dynamite for a Factory.

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SURRENDER OF THEIR HERITAGE BY THE SOUIX.

Conquest of the Black Hills Region—A Barbaric Concourse—Eloquence of the Red Man—Sitting Bull's Emissary—A Crisis.

[J. A Baldwin in Chicago Times.]

From Nebraska's western limits across the plains to Fort Steele, the tortuous North Platte river was, until 1874, the line which separated the pioneer's hut on the frontier of civilization from the Sioux country. In 1874 the tides of March bore to the country "The Sioux have broken out." They had crossed the line, and again with savage vengeance left the impress of their coming. The line vanished never to return, as kindred spear and arrow piercing friends, and the rigors of an intensely severe winter as constant companion, the troops marched, to give battle to their inveterate foe. Over snow-capped hilly and fir frozen valleys, and through bleak and desolate canyons, the columns moved to relieve the agencies. There was no conflict this province of the interior department perhaps can answer why. As a result of this demonstration followed the establishment of two military posts in the heart of the Sioux nation, and which eventually served as an entering wedge of future operations. Thus began the tattoo conquest of this section of country, over which has now grown the gigantic stock-raising industry.

Into these forts Indians would bring pieces of gold-bearing quartz. The subtle Sioux betrayed not the whereabouts of the precious metal. The Black hills was a sealed book. Adventure and exploration was there, and when returning parties reported that hidden treasure lay concealed in the folds of the mountains no proclamation was needed to announce to the world that the Indians must surrender that domain. The attempt by those in authority to stem the tide of hurrying prospectors was futile, for soon the hills were alive with the sound of men. To gain by treaty this El Dorado brought into existence the commission of 1875, composed Senator Allison, Gen. Terry, and others, evidence to this meeting numbers had been sent forth to all the bands of Sioux, including the affiliated tribes of Northern Cheyennes and Arapahoes, appointing a council at the fall at Red Cloud agency. Sitting Bull, war chief of the Minne Conjous, roaming in the far north, had never sought anything from the whites. For answer to the messenger he said: "Go tell the white man I hate him."

At the designated time a horde of savages 30,000, of all ages, sexes, and conditions, gathered at the council grounds. They had come from the sterile borders of the Missouri river, from the rocky slopes of Wyoming, from the tablelands of Montana, and from inhospitable and barren regions of Dakota—warriors, orators, and diplomats of an unruly nation, adorned by all the grewsome finery of barbarian apparel. Never again will be assembled such a concourse of red men, as earnest and performing as important an act, fraught with such far-reaching consequences to a doomed race, as when the representatives of this great government, in one spot, put forth their learning, power, craft, and cunning to coax the greed for gold.

On a bright September morn the chiefs whose names are conspicuous in the annals of border warfare in solemn council met the ambassador of the great father, who had been escorted to the place of meeting by a squadron of cavalry. A gala day, that broke in upon the impressive solitude of the plains, as grand as ever brought together, ages ago, the people of Marmon to their festival of the valley. The hills around the limpid stream were densely covered with herds of war ponies. The valley of the White river was thronged by masses in holiday attire wending their way to the grand council. Feathered and caparisoned ponies bore to the scene the aristocracy, gaily decked in gorgeous war bonnets trailing to the ground, and from whose lances floated gay-colored pennants. The fantastic-covered steeds display of the warriors' horsemanship for the applause and admiration of paint-embellished maidens. Mingling sounds of harsh and songs of battle echoed along the vales and through the pine-crested hills. From the rude stone club, the brutal implement of death, to the magazine rifle, a weapon was not entering the council army.

The council's proceedings were opened by a brief statement from the commissioners as to the desires of the government. Chief Red Cloud, Spotted Tail, Red Dog, White Antelope, and others recited with impassioned eloquence and dramatic gesticulation the oft-repeated history of their tribes. In words of burning reproach they laid bare the unbroken record of robberies and other wrongs perpetrated upon their people. These leaders told how they had been crowded from place to place, until now their exile from home and country, from the scenes of their youth and the burial places of their kindred, was demanded to satisfy the grasping and reckless spirit of the whites. Spotted Tail, id magic the province, the folds of the blanket draping his massive form, stood before the assembly, and in the center of the vast multitude in the uncertain brink of nature's solitude, an ideal child-like, a child among warriors. He pleaded his cause with a torrent voice, clear and soft, that was borne on the air as the sighing of zephyrs swayed by the consciousness of right. His appeal to reason, justice, and humanity was fast upon the pale-faced intruders, for, so made known by an unlettered interpreter's translation, it became a marvel of incoherent speech, readered in execrable English.

The speech of Red Dog, the orator of the Sioux nation, in imagery and beauty of Indian rhetorical has perhaps never been excelled by uncultured man. He had scarcely finished when an excited commotion was observed among the thousands there assembled. Rifles leaped to the front on an hundred brawny arms, and brandishing a grim weapon in air. Little Big Man proclaimed: "My heart is bad. I have come from Sitting Bull to kill a white man." Rapidly the ponies disappeared from the hills. Wrinkled squaws and suffered maidens hurried to their camps. As the painted and armed Tartar cavalry of the plains—joined the contiguous knolls the martial tones of Custer's Egan. Second cavalry, as valiant a soldier as ever bestrode a foe, rang out loud and firm. "Stand to horse—mount!" Impelled by the command each trooper, grasping carbine, vaulted to his saddle. Faces that had evinced mad scenes in other fields lost color as images of loved ones passed in mental review.

Happily the impending crisis was averted by the promptitude of Young-Man-Afraid-of-His-Horse espousing the cause of the troops, on whose flank he hurriedly arrayed his blanketed braves as auxiliaries. As a conservator of peace he approached Sitting Bull's emissary, Little Big Man, and in unmistakable meaning ordered him to leave the council ground on pain of being killed. But Sitting Bull's will was done. The council was at an end, and no treaty was accomplished, for on the morrow the congregated bands began journeying to their respective habitations, many days distant. In the following fall, 1876, a so-called treaty was signed, but not until after the "hills" had begun to yield up their golden store to the hardy miner and Sitting Bull had been driven by the Custer's army into Canada, later, turning on the Little Big Horn, he annihilated from earlier western Custer and his 300.

THE CREMATORIUM AT MILAN.

A Description of the Method of Incineration Employed There.

[London World.]

The crematorium stands on the far end of the grounds, a building not large nor high, but, with its crescent-shaped open atrium of white marble, sufficiently handsome and imposing. On the frieze is this inscription: Tempio Crematorio per volonta del Alberto Keller orette a donato alla cipta di Milano. On the wall facing this entrance is a handsome medallion of Albert Keller, who was duly cremated in the temple of his own providing. Many portions of the wall are marked off in small tablets inscribed with the names of the persons whose bodies have undergone cremation, and whose ashes, in many cases, repose in an urn or small vessel in a niche behind the tablet. Ashes they are not, properly speaking. I was shown about a couple of handfuls of white bleached bone, in bits not larger than one's finger—all that remained, as I learned, after the cremation of the body of a man some ten stone in weight. Other spaces have been appropriated by intending cremators, and have the word "Assegnato" inscribed on them.

Through a small door you pass from the atrium into what I may describe as the operating-room, in the middle of which stands the oval-hoed furnace, looking much like an enlarged edition of the family laundry copper. The fire is kindled at the back of the furnace, and when at the proper moment rushed from the uprifting of four ventilators, comes roaring through two large orifices, and quickly fills the whole of the space where lies the body. The body—all coverings, as the attendant called it, seeming to take great delight in repeating the words—dressed in a light linen or woolen shroud, or other costume, is taken from the shell in which it has been brought, and laid on a marble slab, thence transferred to a large iron tray which is borne to the mouth of the furnace and laid on a frame, which, by the action of a winch, is wound into the interior with its burden. The iron door is then closed, the shutters, as described above, are raised, and the furnace is now an American expression, is literally in full blast. At the end of two hours the operation is complete, and all that there remains of what was once a man, full of blood, bones, marrow, passion, feeling," are

"Two handfuls of white dust shut in an urn of brass."

The system at present in use is that of Paul Gorini; it takes, as I have said, two hours and the consumption of 300 kilogrammes of wood and twenty-five kilogrammes of charcoal. The cost of everything, including the mural tablet, is 94 francs. A new method known as the Systeme Venini, under which the incinerations will be effected by gas, was then immediately about to be tried—I saw the furnace just completed—and is no doubt now in operation. Under this system the whole affair will be completed in fifty minutes.

In this place, which was perfectly sweet, clean, and wholesome, without the faintest trace of anything calculated to offend the sense of sight or smell, there are about eighteen or twenty cases of cremation every month. They are, the attendant told me, decidedly on the increase, and were the Queen once again to appear, he had no doubt, from what he had heard, that the practice would have large number of adherents. Already bodies for cremation are sent from different parts of Italy, and in the next day one was expected from Paris. And, indeed, when I thought of all the horrors of our ordinary "burying," I could not wonder at the desire to be quit of them, no matter at what amount of trouble or expense.

Decorating English Brakemen.

[Pall Mall Gazette.]

Who shall say that the love of the beautiful is not gradually permeating all sections of the community when we find a railway company supplying their employes with regulation neckties of a uniform and artistic type? This is what the Southwestern Railway company have just done, and doubtless other companies will follow the example that has been set. The neckties in question are in color a brilliant red, and have the effect of making the Southwestern porters look almost picturesque.

But the object of the red neckties is partly utilitarian and partly sentimentarian. They are supposed to provide a ready-made and readily accessible danger signal. If ordinary signals go wrong the Southwestern guard or porter has only to drive his head into the necktie and and wave it in front of an advancing train to indicate that danger is ahead. Travelers by this line will pray that the occasions when porters' neckties have to do duty as emergency danger signals may be few and far between. In the meantime anything which brightens up one's everyday surroundings is a matter for gratitude.

Who Was "Hoyle?"

[San Francisco Chronicle.]

"According to Hoyle" is a phrase common among card players, many of whom are under the impression that Mr. Hoyle was a renowned authority on the question of bookmaking as a means of keeping himself out of the poorhouse. Edmund Hoyle was born over 200 years ago and lived in his advanced age of 97, dying in Cavendish square, London, in 1769. He was among the first who took special interest in whist, and after a long study and careful research thought it his life to teaching the game at a guinea a lesson. Some supposed he invented the game, but it was well known before he was born. However, he did much to perfect it. He was paid $5,000 for a treatise on whist, which was published in 1743. At the time he was attached to a government office in Ireland. Toward the close of his life he revised his treatise and included in it backgammon and other popular games of the day.

Her Library Classified.

[Harper's Bazar.]

Mary (entering library where Mrs. Knownaught is seated)—I found this book up stairs, ma'am, and was told to bring it down to the library. Does it make any difference on which shelf I put it?

Mrs. Knownaught—Why, all the difference in the world, Mary. We have had the whole library classified—scientific works, religious, fiction and so on. What is the book you have there?

Mary—"The Pursuit of Happiness," ma'am.

Mrs. K.—Well, then, that goes right in with the books of travel.

Introducing Shad.

[Chicago Herald.]

Several years ago systematic efforts were begun to introduce shad into the Alabama and Ohio rivers, and recent reports indicate good results, several hundred of moderate size, but good quality, fish having been made this season from both the streams named.

A Pronounced Success.

[New York Sun.]

"Father," inquired a small boy, "what is meant by a 'pronounced success'?"

"A pronounced success," replied the father, "is the first number of a country newspaper, or the first appearance of a fifth-rate actress."

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The French Ship Isere at Anchor in the "Horse Shoe."

NEW YORK, June 17.—The long-looked for French National steamship Isere, having on board Bartholdi's Statue of Liberty, arrived at Sandy Hook at five o'clock this morning and is now at anchor in the "Horse Shoe."

Railroad Accident.

EL PASO, Jun 17.—A freight train going west on the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio road was badly wrecked yesterday 20 miles from Sanderson, by a washout. A brakeman named Peter Murray was instantly killed. The engine and eighteen cars were totally wrecked.

Disastrous Fires.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—The large Pork and Lard Packing house of Washington Butchers' Sons, at the northwest corner of Sixth and Moore Streets, was entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The loss will exceed $250,000 including the machinery stock and building. Insurance as yet unknown. Upward of two hundred persons will be thrown out of employment, many of whom are women and young girls.

PITTSBURG, June 17.—At 10.30 last night fire was discovered in the large warehouse, 75 Water street. The building was filled with oil, baled hay, straw, etc., and was totally destroyed. The flames communicated to No. 75 Water street. The damage to this building and contents will not exceed $10,000 and is covered by insurance. The total loss by the fire is estimated at $75,000 with insurance for about one-third.

A Riot in Austria.

VIENNA, June 17.—Serious rioting is reported from Brunn. The hands employed in several of the factories there have been on a strike for the past few days. This morning they gathered round the entrances to the buildings and attacked a number of hands who had been engaged to replace them. A fight ensued which soon assumed serious proportions that the military were obliged to be called out. A fight between the rioters and the troops followed, during which eight soldiers and fully a dozen civilians were seriously injured. Great excitement prevails and fearful are entertained that the rioting will be renewed.

Floods in the West.

ALTON, Ill., June 17.—A series of terrible thunder storms has prevailed in this city since last Friday. The river has risen two feet within the past 24 hours, and is rising an inch an hour. The flood is equal to that of 1844, and the Missouri is also rising. Many observers fear as extensive an overflow as then occurred. The horrors and destruction of such a flood along the now thickly settled banks of the river would be indescribable.

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By what we have mastered of greed or
gain,
By the pride disposed and the passion
slain,
And the vanquished ill that we hourly meet.
—[J. G. Holland.

And if each system in gradation roll,
Alike essential to the amazing whole,
The least or greatest in the sight of God,
That system only, but the whole must fall.
—[Pope.

Move things are wrought by prayer
Than this world dreams of. Wherefore, let
thy voice
Rise like a fountain for me night and day;
For what are men better than sheep or goats
That nourish a blind life within the brain,
If, knowing God, they lift not hands of
prayer
Both for themselves and those who call them
friend?
For so the whole round earth is every way
Bound by gold chains about the feet of God.
—[Tennyson.

FACTS ABOUT TYPHOID FEVER.

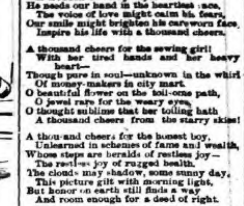
Pre-eminently a Filth Disease—Precautions To Be Observed—In the Country.

[New York Graphic.]

The frightful mortality at Plymouth, Pa., in consequence of the prevalence of typhoid fever impels us to publish the accompanying illustrations of the effects of the disease upon the human system, which can not fail to be interesting at this time. Typhoid fever is pre-eminently a filth disease, and in the degree of modern civilization prevails all over Europe and the United States. It is generated in and its germs thrive in human filth. Hence the idea in order to contract the disease some of these foul germs must be swallowed in contaminated water or milk with food, fruit or vegetables on which the filth lodged. The germs are generated more particularly in darkness, in obstructed underground drains and cesspools. The particular symptom of the disease is a peculiar diarrhea which carries with it some of the germs. If these be thrown into out-door privies the whole man becomes affected, and if there is leakage from them there is apt to be soakage into neighboring wells, the water of which reproduces the disease extensively. All who drink of this water are apt to contract the fever. Milk diluted with this poisonous water and even milk cans washed in it will convey the disease. If soakage takes place into cellars, all the fruits and vegetables stored there will become contaminated. Fortunately all the fouled water and milk be boiled the germs will be killed, and although nasty, will not convey the disease. Potatoes, cabbages, beets, carrots, etc., generally eaten cooked and are not very dangerous. Apples, pears, etc., coming from foul cellars must be carefully washed in pure water.

The disease is necessarily most common in country houses and hotels, and in small towns and villages without sewers and large general water supply. The dirty cellars, obstructed drains, foul outhouses and vaults and the unprotected wells are the breeding places of the germs. It is all-important that wells should be placed far distant from cowyards, stables, pig-styes, etc., and upon a higher level, so that no foul soakage can get into them. In large cities, with sewers and a copious water supply, no outdoor cesspools should be allowed.

In the country a large quantity of fresh earth are thrown into the vaults occasionally, and small quantities every day, all the fluid in them will be absorbed by the earth, and there will be no danger of soakage into the drinking-water wells. All the disagreeable smells and sights of these nasty places will be removed and the germs will die. If any one allows one case of typhoid fever to be generated upon his place, he should be regarded as culpable. If cases occur year after year he should be considered criminal, and all the physicians and health officers about should be severely censured. If every one typhoid will be perfectly practical to stamp out a large portion of this disgraceful pestilence in one year, and it may be almost eradicated from the land in from five to ten years.



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BOTTLE TRICKS.

A gentleman traveling in New South Wales discovered one of the most curious of nature's freaks in vegetation. It was a peculiar bottle tree. The fruit does not look it in shape; it might be a round bottle with a bunch of lilacs stuck into it. Australia is a country full of strange things, but here is certainly one of the oddest of them all. There were nine trees in the group. They were from thirty-five to sixty feet high. They are of immense bulk around, too. Dr. Bennett measured one that was thirty-five feet in circumference. The trees are covered with long, sharp leaves.

These strange growths were never known until about 1872. When the bark is tapped a sweet sap flows from it, something like sugar-water, only more gummy. It is a refreshing drink. The bottle trees are old, very old. They are believed to have been growing there, just as they are, for thousands of years. Their fruiting seems to be unknown. Dr. Bennett measured one that was thirty-five feet in circumference. The trees are covered with long, sharp leaves.

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A Beautiful Poem.

Here are some exquisite verses by an author whom we do not know. If the boys and girls do not appreciate them now, they will when they are a few years older. And when they are men and women, full of work and lonely, perhaps with gray hairs beginning to come in their heads, they will know all that these verses mean. Some persons make a mistake when they are nothing but a bother, expense and vexation, and the tender little hearts are saddened and made heavy daily by being made to believe they are in the way and are not wanted. Such cruel parents do not deserve to have any children. One of the sorest, sweetest enjoyments in life is romping and playing with a house full of merry young ones. It drives away for the time the heaviest care and the blackest gloom. It makes the old man and woman young again. Sad, indeed, however stately, however splendid, is the house without children. And this the author of the poem knew well:

DREAM CHILDREN.

[Boston Transcript.]

I trust in the dear Lord's wisdom,
I do not know it less well,
But oft as I sit in my chamber,
In the twilight, calm and still,

I long for the children's voices,
I long for the clinging arms,
As unto my ear they whisper
Their tiny griefs and alarms.

And my silent room is peopled
With forms I can almost see.
The forms of the dear dream children
Who cluster about my knee.

I can hear their merry prattle,
I feel their breath on my cheek,
And my fancy again makes real
The dear ones my heart would seek.

And so I sport with my children,
And watch their sweet, quaint ways,
Till my heart grows heavy with longing,
And my eyes are dim as I gaze.

For alas! they are but shadows
That out of the darkness grow;
Only the frail dream children
That the heart alone can know.

Here is the best riddle that we have seen in some time: My second took my first, after using my whole at dinner. What is it? It is a new bib.

A THOUSAND CHEERS.

[R. H. Collister in The Current.]

A thousand cheers for the blighted life,
The lonely one—we daily meet,
The sad and lot—a fight in life's strife
Is trodden down by rapid feet.
He needs our hand in the heartiest sense,
The voice of love might calm his fears,
Our smile might brighten his careworn face,
Inspire his life with a thousand cheers.

A thousand cheers for the sewing girl!
With her tired hands and her heavy
heart—
Though pure in soul—unknown in the whirl
Of money-makers in city mart.
O beautiful flower on the toil-cone path,
O jewel rare for the weary eyes,
O thought to nurture her aching bath
A thousand cheers from the starry skies!

A thousand cheers for the honest boy,
Unlearned in schemes of fame and wealth,
Whose steps are heralds of restless joy—
The restless joy of rugged health.
The cloud—may shadow, some sunny day,
This picture gilt with morning light,
But honor on earth still finds a way
And room enough for a deed of right.

A thousand cheers for the man of might!
Who barely prizes when others fall,
Who marches on to the losing fight
When right's go down and wrongs prevail.
The man who hears the scorn and the frown
And Censure's bitter blasting breath,
Receives, at last, a dear-bought crown,
A thousand cheers at the gates of death.

IS LIFE WORTH LIVING?

A Text for a Brief Sermon from Brother Gardner—Reconciliation.

[The Lime-Kiln Club.]

For some time past there has been illfeeling between Pike Root Perkins and the Hon. Justified White, caused by a dispute over the query: "Is Life Worth the Living?" As the meeting was ready to open Brother Gardner called the pair to the head of the hall and said:

"One reason why some people decida dat life am hard, an' wuth de fibin' am bekase dey make life a burden to deirselves an' werry onpleasant to odders. One real ueasn man in a community is made 500 people doubt if virtue am rewarded on airth. One canting hypocrite in a town kin keep a slander mill grindin' night an' day. One infidel in a church kin cause 5,000 weaker brudders to kinder doubt if dar' am a heaben or a hereafter.

"Bekase you two differ in opinyun you go at it an' help to make life onpleasant to each odder. It doan' strike you dat anybody else kin be right, or dat you may be entirely wrong. Brudder Perkins calls Brudder White a fule bekase he can't agree wid him. Brudder White calls Brudder Perkins a bigot bekase he won't accept his opinyun. Each has his friends an' supporters, an' dese supporters divide off an' feel aige wise toward each odder, an' before we know it de quarrel has involved 200 people. Gem'len, de pusson who argufies dat life am wuth fibin' must prove his arguments by his acksbuns. He who feels dat life ain't wuth de trouble of livin' kin count on airth can't do better than to walk down to de wharf, hitch a grindstun to his neck, an' jump into water twenty feet deep.

"You two brudders take each odder by de hand. Now shake. Now go to yer seats. Each one of you has a right to his theories an' belief, but nuther one of you have de right to denounce de odder. De world am big 'nuff to hold all de theories of all de inhabitants. Let dem plenty of room for all, an' de beliefs we kin believe in. Dar am acreage fur all de argyments we kin argy. When we realize dis we must feel how silly it am for de Hon. Justified and Pike Perkins to call Judge Merriweather Tompkins a charlatan bekase Mr. Johnding had thirty-two pussons to her tea, and Mrs. Tompkins couldn't count but thirty-one at her low coffee."

A Story Senator Voorhees Tells.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Dan Voorhees tells a good story of himself. He appeared once upon a time in a lawsuit out at Terre Haute in which one of the chief witnesses on the other side was the mother of Senator Booth, of California. In his free and easy way the Tall Sycamore asked questions that the witness resented, so it seemed, for the ugly inquiry after inquiry was propounded not the slightest sign of attention came from the witness-box. Mr. Voorhees became impatient and his questions grew a little snappy. Not a bit more effect was produced.

Finally, in dire exasperation, he demanded in his own all-sweeping oratorical way whether or not he was going to be answered at all. Then, with a smile barely tinging her protest, the lady turned to the lawyer of her friend, Mrs. Thompson, and asked, with a seeming innocence that ruined all that court-room's sense of solemnity: "Mr. Thompson, must I really say anything else than I told him in the beginning?" she pointed to Voorhees and fairly shuddered. Mr. Thompson, in his suave way, advised her to be brave and answer the questions of his Wabash friend. "Then, I'll do it with my eyes shut," she said; and she did. "Mr. Voorhees is very proud of this story. True goodness, he insists, does not always have beauty as its index.

The President Protected.

[Chicago Times "Notes."]

A visitor at the White House expressed his astonishment at the lack of precautions for the safety of the president. According to his statement there were only a few unarmed ushers in proximity to the president, and if some crank had felt disposed he could have shot him full of holes and unscathed. For the information of these men it may be stated that the apparently unarmed gentlemen are in reality unarmed policemen detailed for duty at the White House, and besides carrying black-jacks in their pockets each man carries a self-cocking Smith & Wesson revolver of the largest calibre in his hip-pocket. Especial pains have been taken in the selection of these officers that they shall be wiry, plucky fellows—men who would not lose their heads in case of an emergency.

Fooled His Wife Badly.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"You bet I fooled my wife the 1st day of April," said one man to another the other day.

"How did you fool her?"

"Why, I went home at dinner time and pretended to be on one of the sickens about something, and when she asked me what was the matter I ripped and snorted around and told her that it was one of her biz ness, and that if she didn't keep her mouth shut I'd box her ears. And, will you believe it I fools I her so badly, pretending to be angry, that she hauled off and knocked me down with a skillet."

To Cure a Horse's Trick.

[Exchange.]

It is said that a horse may be cured of bolting the head high when the bridle is put on, by a lump of sugar in the hand. Give him a taste, and he will hold down. Rub in on the bit, and he will soon become fond in the habit of lowering his head for the bridle.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is a record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	56	6 a. m.	65
9 a. m.	65	9 a. m.	75
12 m.	72	12 m.	84
3 p. m.	72	3 p. m.	85

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise..... 4 28 a.m.	Sunrise..... 4 28 a.m.
Sun Sets..... 7 33 p.m.	Sun Sets..... 7 35 p.m.
Moon Rises 10 40 a.m.	Moon Rises..... p.m.

Chronological Events.

Battle of Waterloo, 1815.—Cyclone in Iowa, 1882.

Signal Office Prediction.

Slightly warmer, fair weather.

For Friday—Fair, slightly warmer weather is indicated for the New England and Mid lle Atlantic States, the Lake region and the Ohio valley.

JOTTINGS.

—New Brunswick has gained in population since 1880, 1,086. The recent census foots up 18,276.

—A police-an ordered a couple of loungers off the steps of the First National Bank last evening.

—Preparations are under way at Hotel Brunswick for a fitting celebration of the Fourth of July.

—The Reform Club meeting will be held as usual this evening in Reform Hall. Short speeches will be in order this evening.

—A tablecloth was burned for the exposition of a lamp at George W. Horseman's residence, 9 East Front street, on Monday evening.

—The evening graduation of the High School will be held next Friday in Stillman Music Hall at which time the graduates will be presented with their diplomas.

—The Plainfield Swengelrand tendered a dance to the young ladies who assisted at at the tableau fair, in Cassin's Hall, on Tuesday evening.

—We have received a number of Prohibition papers containing temperance stories by J. H. Gibbs, the well-known temperance advocate, of this city.

—Joseph Bennett was brought before Judge Ulrich this morning for disorderly conduct. Officer Grant arrested him. He was given thirty days in the county jail.

—Last week Charles Graves, of Liberty street, while visiting the building in Dunellen, fell and broke his arm. This is the second accident of the kind which has occurred to him.

—On Monday evening a small fire occurred in Mr. Fisher's residence on West Third street. It originated from an overheated chimney, but it was soon extinguished. The damage was slight.

—The strawberry festival of the Bethel Mission will be held this afternoon and evening at Ryder Hall. You would encourage the ladies in this good work by your presence and patronage.

—Before Justice Ulrich this morning Lawrence Pauli retracted his plea of non vult to selling merchandise on Sunday and a hearing of the case was set down for Monday morning at ten o'clock.

—Among the relics found in digging on the site of the old jail and tavern at Somerville recently were a rusty pair of shears and a large key, a wood-head cane, "E Pluri bus Unum, 1787," and an English penny of 1718.

—The Elizabeth Herald yesterday gave a column article on "Pleasant Summer Trips." The pleasantest Summer trip which the Herald editor can take is to hire a house in the cool shades of Plainfield, to which he can commute every day.

—At the examination of teachers certificates in Somerset County recently there were 44 applicants for all grades. Of these 37 were for third grade; 30 were successful and 17 failed. Of the 20 who received certificates (third grade) 16 were ladies.

—The lively competition between two grocers at Rahway, to see who could bring the price of smoked herring down from 15 cents to 1 cent a box. When the successful competitor had sold out at the last figure the other dealer went back to the original price.

—George Stevens of Hickory Corner, Somerset county, lately discovered that he had a corner on hickory nuts. In testing his crop his old house he found six bushels of them. An old bible also came to light from a dark corner where it must have lain at least forty years.

—The cesspool at the corner of Peace and Second streets is to be filled up by order of the Board of Health. When it was examined last evening by Health Inspector Platt the air in it was so foul that a lantern which was twice lowered into it went out before it had gone down six feet.

A North Plainfield Caucus.

At a caucus held Monday evening at the Holly Cross chapel in North Plainfield, Mr. P. M. French was urged to be the nominee for mayor of the borough. He declined because his hearing was defective, he stated, that he would be unable to hear half of the discussions on public questions, although he was interested in promoting whatever would be for the public welfare.

A ticket was then agreed upon with John H. VanWinkle for Mayor and Henry A. McGee, Fred M. Slater, R. S. Braider, Charles Place, Henry K Carroll and Rudolphus H. Fairchild for Councilmen—all Republicans except Messrs. Van Winkle and Slater.

Some opponent of the borough, in a communication to the Somerville Messenger, calls the caucus "a parlor circle" affair, and endeavors to give some on demagogue soft soap to the opponents of the borough, whom he endeavors to make the boroughers designate as the "dinner-pail" element, meaning what is commonly known as the working men. That sort of a track has been played successfully in this borough when not so well posted as at present. Workingmen look with suspicion on those self-constituted champions of their interests, usually the worst of demagogues, and the correspondent cowardly sibling himself behind a nom-de-plume, and who, if he possessed the courage, innuendo to accomplish an end, is probably himself the very reverse of a workingman, and while we have not the slightest knowledge of who he is, we do not doubt but that he will be found to be a chronic grumbler, at all progress, who does the least possible work himself, and wears out the seat of his pants most frequently, sitting with a few congenial cronies airing his wailings that the world moves at all.

A story is told that a spanker with a huge diamond breastpin, fine clothes and soft hands, once appeared on the stump with Abe Lincoln. The speaker in the usual demagogue style told of the down-trodden workingman and how he, a workingman, was the champion of the horny paws of toil. He got off such "Down with the monopoly" and all that sort of thing in the usual stereotyped way, and sat down concluding that he had done the thing up brown, as old Abe, a typical workingman, arose, attired with utmost plainness, and crunching his hands, notoriously horny from toil, simply said "Look at these hands of monopoly." The contrast was so ludicrous that it brought down the house, and the demagogue subsided. This is a type with some modification of the demagogue everywhere, usually an idler, with plenty of sophistry, but little sense, at least in these days, when he resorts to the old trick of trying to make capital out of the class who work for wages, whom he takes for fools, but fools anything but to-day, and abundantly able to discriminate between low proper and the improper. The advocates of the borough have thus far acted with the utmost harmony and fairness, and have won against ridiculous and false statements put forth surreptitiously by a few chronics presuming to be the people, and who, if they had been supposed by the scheme, not understanding its advantages. They have decided in favor of a borough and the people have all the power to decide up on the borough officers. It is not in any sense a party question. This is the way it has been treated by boroughers despite that the money raised by taxation, in the most lucklessly settled portion of Somerset County shall be expended within the locality wherein it is raised and not on some backwoods road in the township on the line of the old stagecoach. That will serve as an illustration. The people will have their affairs run on business principles and get what they pay for.

The names above have been only agreed upon in caucus. It is not known whether they will accept. In fact it is generally rumored that Mr. Van Winkle can not accept, although his nomination it is generally regarded would be a most excellent one, and there is but little doubt but that he would be elected. However, there are plenty of good men left to endeavor to protect the various interests of the locality generally, if chosen for the offices, and without salary, as no salary is attached. They must work for the glory of the thing—the glory of doing good to themselves and their neighbors.

—John R. McDonald, a painter, residing on Pearl street, has in his yard a miniature farm in which he raises all the vegetables of the season. He planted them early, and now can show probably the first crops of the season; his peas will be ready to pick the latter part of this week, his corn stands about four feet above the ground, and his green tomatoes and green peppers are very large. Last year he bought a bushel of potatoes, he ate the potatoes, planting the eyes and realized fifteen bushels at harvest. This year he bought two potatoes, he planting the many eyes, and expects at least a bushel therefrom.

—The Grant avenue depot is to be opened to the public on the Fourth of July, when the train will stop at the station for the first time, and regularly thereafter. Hon. Chauncey Schaeffer is to make the address on the occasion, and other orators will be probably be indulged in. A commemorative of the event. The depot is said to be one of the most handsome to be found anywhere along the line, or rather it is to be when completed.

—The Legislature having failed to provide means to enforce the compulsory education laws, Gov. Abbett has approved a plan proposed by Lawrence T. Fell, State Inspector of Prisons and Workhouses. Circulars will be addressed to all school superintendents and principals asking to report cases where children are taken from school and placed to work in factories.

—Mr. H. C. Compton, of Evona, has raised this season some strawberries of the Charles Downing variety, which in the matter of size and flavor, he considers can't be beat. They average fully an inch in diameter and are certainly very fine.

—M. T. Peterson wishes us to state that he was not present at the shooting case hearing at Justice Nash's office on Tuesday afternoon.

—Westfield has 553 school children.

Personal.

Dr. Frank S. Wells and wife have returned from a trip to Pennsylvania and Virginia.

William H. VanSlyck, of East Front street, has returned from a bust ess trip to St. Paul, Minn.

Dr. R. J. Shaw, the druggist, has returned from his outing among the wilds of Sussex County.

Ex-Councilman West, of Central avenue, is still unable to improve his health by passing the Summer in Sullivan County, New York.

Mrs. George F. Quidort, of Fredericksburg, Caroline Co., Md., is stopping for a few weeks with her brother, Eugene Laine, of West Front street.

Mrs. Warren Marsh, of East Third street, intends visiting her daughter Miss Ada in Germany this Summer, where she is finishing her musical education.

George G. Earl, of the civil engineering firm of Earl and Jacques, has returned from the southern part of the State where he has been for several weeks past.

Miss C. R. Webster, of East Second street, starts to-morrow for a month's pleasure trip West, taking in Toledo, Ohio, and other points in that State, where she has friends.

Mr. Mattox, of Stillman Music Hall is busy superintending the thorough cleaning which is being given Stillman Music Hall in order to have it in the best condition possible on Commencement night.

State Notes.

The Polar Oil Company have begun operations in their new refineries at Constable Hook.

Stevens Institute Commencement exercises will be held in the First M. E. Church, Hoboken, this evening.

Miss Jennie Van Low died at Bell Bank Monday from injuries received by being thrown from a carriage.

"Children's Day" was generally observed in the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches throughout the State on Sunday.

The poles of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company have been erected along the proposed extension to Constable Hook.

During the past week general taxes amounting to $16,356 28, and water rates accounting to $15,560 84 were received by the treasurer of Jersey City.

The trial of Frank Patterson, the Asbury Park opera house manager, for forging the name of Henry Kessel to a note of $900, ended Monday in Trenton in the disagreement of the jury.

The Kearny Street Presbyterian Church, of Jersey City, on Tuesday night unanimously decided to call the Rev. E. C. Ray, formerly of Elizabeth, N. J., but now at Hyde Park, a suburb of Chicago.

State Superintendent Chapman has just been notified that the New Jersey educational exhibit at the Cincinnati Exposition has won awards, a number larger than that given to any other single State.

Mrs. Mary Dorsheimer, an aged lady of Gloucester City, fell down stairs on Saturday with a little child in her arms, sustaining injuries which caused her death last night, but, strange to say, the little one escaped unhurt.

Three valuable additions to the gallery of portraits in the State Supreme Court room were on Monday. These were portraits of the late ex-Governors—Philemon Dickerson, Mahlon Dickerson and Peter D. Vroom.

The family of the late Secretary Freling huysen will remove from Newark to the Three Hoes cottages at Elberon this week, for the Summer. George A. Hulsey will occupy one of the Hastings cottages, at Spring Lake.

Samuel Brown, an old and wealthy farmer 67 years of age, living on Pond Road, Secaucus, Hudson County, was married out of $1,000 on Saturday by two sharpers, one of whom personated himself as being a son of Colonel James N. Stratton, of Mount Holly.

William H. Gardiner, of Jersey City, was brought to Newark on the police headquarters yesterday, on a charge of robbing his brother Adrian's house, No. 129 Craven street, last Friday, of a gold watch and jewelry, valued at $127. The burglar also took away a small black and tan dog.

Figures were served yesterday on Dr. Marcold, president of the Board of Health, as a suit for $50,000 damages by Samuel E. Topp and Mrs. Mary A. Warwick Topp, of 84 Warwick street, Newark. The suit was brought on a statement made at a meeting of the Board of Health by Dr. Marcold.

Pleuro pneumonia has again broken out among the herd of cattle at Fowler's farm, at Pavonia, Camden county. A fine cow died of the disease on Saturday last. This makes four animals that have died, or been killed by order of the State Board of Health during the past few weeks on this farm. The rest of the cattle have been inoculated to prevent the spread of the disease.

The Pavonia ferry boat Susquehanna, of Jersey City, came into collision on Tuesday evening with a signal boat, in mid-stream. The ferry boat's rudder was carried away and the planking of the deck and hull was badly wrenched, causing the boat to leak. There was considerable excitement among the passengers for a short time. As soon as the pumps were landed the Susquehanna was taken to Allison's ship-yard and hauled up on the dry-dock.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday Jacob Schmidt, the proprietor and editor of The Beobachter am Passaic, a German weekly paper, pleaded guilty to the charge of libel on an indictment for libel. The indictment set forth that at the time Commissioner Schaeffer was candidate for the position of Postmaster in Newark an article was printed charging that the Congressman had received compensation for services performed from the United States Treasury of a number of fraudulent pension claims.

The Reading Railroad Company is sending to New York the rolling stock of the leasings of the Jersey Central about $12,500. This is in accordance with the instructions of the receivers, that the roads leased by the properties be kept separate. It is proposed by the Reading to take up said rolling stock amounting to $12,500 on Central's adjustment mortgage on June 30, which interest is payable on July 1, 1885. This has been decided upon by the receivers, and its payment, even at this late day, it is thought, will create a much better impression among the creditors of that company.

Andrew Clements and Henry Wolff, lads of twelve years, started out from Hackensack on Sunday morning on Sunday morning to gather magnolias in the Secaucus Swamps. They caught a bunch and had some difficulties with them. They wandered into the middle of the marsh and lost their way. Night came on and they could not find their way out. All day Monday they waded about and spent the night in the swamp. Yesterday morning they were discovered by a farmer, who took them home. Clements was bitten by a snake and his foot terribly swollen from the bite.

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LEAVE NEW YORK.	LEAVE PLAINFIELD.	ARRIVE PLAINFIELD.
Plainfield, New York New York Plainfield		
2.30 a. m.	6.50 a. m.	9.00 a. m.
7.45	11.30	1.40 p. m.
9.00	12.00 m.	2.55
10.30	3.00 p. m.	6.10
12.00 m.	4.00	7.05
1.00 p. m.	5.00	8.10
3.30	7.30	10.40
4.30	8.30	11.45
5.30	9.30	12.45 a. m.
7.00	11.15 p. m.	2.30
8.00	12.00 m.	4.15
9.00	1.15 a. m.	5.45
10.15	2.30	7.00
11.30	3.45	8.15
12.45 p. m.	5.00	9.30
1.45	6.00	10.30
3.00	7.00	11.30
4.00	8.00	12.30 p. m.
5.00	9.00	1.30
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9.00	1.00 a. m.	5.30
10.00	2.00	6.30
11.00	3.00	7.30
12.00 m.	4.00	8.30
1.00 a. m.	5.00	9.30
2.00	6.00	10.30
3.00	7.00	11.30
4.00	8.00	12.30 p. m.
5.00	9.00	1.30
6.00	10.00	2.30
7.00	11.00	3.30
8.00	12.00 m.	4.30
9.00	1.00 p. m.	5.30
10.00	2.00	6.30
11.00	3.00	7.30
12.00 m.	4.00	8.30
1.00 p. m.	5.00	9.30
2.00

MME. PATTI AT HOME.

THE QUEEN OF SONG AS THE HOSTESS OF CRAIG-Y-NOS CASTLE.

Traveling by Special Train to the Castle After Landing in Liverpool—How the Diva Is Beloved by Her Neighbors.

[Wales Cor. Philadelphia Press.]

The diva who recently set Philadelphia in a fore re is now the charming hostess of the castle of Craig-y-Nos. On her arrival at Liverpool Mme. Patti takes four attendants to a special train, which, leaving southward, is soon whirling through the loveliest possible country. After a quick translation passage the prima donna cannot put up with the regular Welsh train, the pace of that conveyance being, it seems, a sort of marketgoing jog, with halts made whenever the engineer or guard wants to chat with some of his numerous relatives along the road.

About Icebrook in the afternoon, Craven-arms or Garthmyl, where we were to leave the train, a roar and a crash were heard away to our right. "That's the Krupp," explained Madame Patti, and she went on to tell us that the head keeper always fired it in salute whenever she returned home. At Craw, which is but a mile or so from the castle, we found a group of the people of every description, from a dog-cart to a landau, in waiting, and a crowd of people, who cheered like a rally! We have had royal receptions and royal receptions, but I am sure a queen could not have been more heartily welcomed than Patti was by those whom she affectionately calls "my people." There were arches of flower across the road, more arches at the castle gate, flags flying, flowers filling the air, guns booming and people shouting, until we began to appreciate the fact that Patti was as diva at her home as well as on the stage. As soon as Patti's carriage turned into the drive the guns began to break up "Home, Sweet Home." The tears came into Patti's eyes then, and I remembered her farewell singing of that song in America.

DINNER AT THE CASTLE.

For us in livery were stationed on the portico, mounted on long-tailed blue coats, and every one was made to feel at home at once. Great fires burned in the great open fire-places, and there were maids and men servants in every room, while the unpacking was going on. At dinner, over which Patti presided with wonderful grace and tact, there were fireworks and music by a band from Swansea, the festivities continuing until midnight. At 9 o'clock the next morning breakfast was served in the conservatory. Madame looked as fresh and happy as a child. No sooner was breakfast begun than the footman brought in the letter bag and gave it to madame, who unlocked it and distributed the mail. No excuse is needed for reading letters here—and so for a while every one was busy.

After lunch the ladies changed their wrappers for warmer dresses, and the gentlemen donned coats, hats and gloves, while the horses were being brought around for all to take a drive. Patti started off in her high T-cart, driving and handling the lines like a coachman. Wherever we made our appearance, no matter what they were doing, the people would stop their work and drop a courtesy. As we drove along the old people would back to the doors and dip and drop, while even the babies playing in the road would scurry to the side and then bob up and down with the solemnity of marionettes.

MME. PATTI'S CASTLE.

The Castle of Craig-y-Nos is perched high upon the crest of a beautifully wooded mountain, and limpid lakes lie in the valley below. The castle is built after the common fashion of all Welsh castles, with low bastions, and what is called a curtain between—that is, a straight line of wall joined to two semi-circular towers. The walls, which are of the gray-green slate, so plentiful here, are topped with battlements and covered here and there with ivy, while the window arches are pointed or gothic. Sprawling away in front are the gardens and lawns, all terraced because of the precipitous character of the ground, and so coming gradually down to the little valley along which we had just driven. Through the valley runs a tumbling river, with an appropriate name, spanned with pretty bridges and well stocked with fish.

The castle contains twenty-two rooms, none of them very large, but all warm and cozy, as they should be, in this climate. Patti's own is hung with blue silk, all the upholstery being to match, while attached to it is a little dressing-room that is complete enough in its appointments for a princess. The drawing-room is charming, and he must be a dull person who could not find something to interest himself there. It contains two grand pianos, albums, statuettes, picture-and offerings from admirers, chief among the latter being an exquisite inlaid cabinet containing gold and silver coronets, with which almost every nation in the world has crowned the diva "Queen of Song."

THE CONSERVATORY AND SERVANTS.

The conservatory leads out from the dining-room proper, and this in turn leads to the billiard-room, which I remember the great beauty of the estate. This is a garden of great size, entirely covered in with glass and containing running fountains, gravelled walks and fine seats. Adjoining the winter garden are the hot-houses—one in which nothing but grapes are cultivated, the second devoted to pineapples, cucumbers and strawberries, and the third for flowers. A short distance from this third conservatory is the gas-house, where, under the superintendence of two men, gas for the whole establishment is manufactured.

You will easily imagine that such an establishment as this is not run without considerable help. There are, indeed, twenty servants, not including the game-keepers and grooms, distributed as follows: Two cooks five chamber-maids, two butlers, five gardeners, two coachmen, two footmen, two stablemen, madame's two maids, monsieur's valet and the women of the laundry, whose number varies according to that of the guests.

Amusing the Washingtonians.

[Exchange.]

The British legation has been amusing and delighting the Washingtonians by going to the races in the old English style, with a four-in-hand, and carrying an immense heavy lunch in the boot of the coach, of which they partook a la Ascot, seated on the grass. The misses West and Misses Balfar acted as attendants and poured out the sparkling wine.

A Wayward Husband.

[Bloomington Eye.]

Gus De Smith is a very derelict husband. Going home to his wife at 3 a. m., recently, he was taken to task for his unseemly conduct. "Ain't you ashamed?" cried she, "to be seen coming home here at this time in the morning?"

"Well, you wouldn't want a fellow to stay out all night, would you?" was his cruel taunting reply.

HABIT OF PROFANE SWEARING.

The Swear-Words of the English Language the Most Comprehensive.

[E. P. Whipple in North American Review.]

But there is a coarse fiber in the physical and moral constitution of the English race, which was early indicated by its habit of profane swearing. Curses were accepted as the signs of manliness. The author whom we have taken as our guide makes a desperate attempt to defend his countrymen in this respect. He shows that a profane use of sacred words is common to all races and nations, barbaric as well as half civilized. This fact must be admitted; but, in regard to modern times, one must think that the English have excelled all other nations in the increasing and ample use they have put into their words. The Latin races swear more constantly and more volubly than their Teutonic brethren, but their exclamations are trivial in comparison with the deep-mouthed and fierce hearted oaths of the Anglo Saxon people. The imprecations of the Italian, especially, seem to be mere outbursts of physical irritation, without any solid purpose in them; but in the ordinary English soldier and sailor profanity is of a more practical character.

It is needless to go farther back than the days of Joan of Arc in the fifteenth century. The English were called by the French peasant, who did not understand their language, "the Goddams." The heroes of Agincourt were thus named, after their favorite oath. When, afterward, it lost its step to make France an English province, or to make England a province of France, was thwarted by the genius and faith of Joan of Arc, it is said that this wonderful peasant girl was accustomed to name the English, as distinguished from the French, "the Goddams." This is the earliest instance we have had an utter horror of profanity. Her knowledge of the English language was probably confined to this single phrase.

English culture may have banished from polite society the favorite oath of the English race; but the rough, stout soldiers, sailors and peasantry of the race have carried it on from the days of Joan of Arc bestowed upon them in the fifteenth century, to every savage and civilized clime in which they have appeared. It is 400 years since their distinguishing imprecation was heard by Joan on the walls of Orleans, yet it is uttered now with equal emphasis on our own western plains by those aliens to that use, or rather misuse, the English tongue.

After New Mexico was organized as a territory of the United States, a gentleman of our acquaintance was sent there to occupy an official position. When he arrived at the point from which the wagon train of ten used mules was to set forth for the place of his future residence, he noticed that recent rains had made the miserable roads seemingly impassable. He asked a wretched-looking Indian savage, lounging about the station, if he thought the train would get through. "Yes, yes may," he answered, "but I don't believe the mules will." These terms he considered the English names of the animals he pointed out, for he had never heard their drivers mention them as "yes and may." He made a note of their exclamations and expressions so as to discriminate between the designation given to the patient and forgiving ox and thus plentifully bestowed upon the obstinate and resisting mule. In fact, he had only taken his first lesson in the English language, as taught by our bearded pioneers of civilization.

One of Washington's Caterers.

[Ben Perley Poore.]

John Crutchett was the fashionable caterer before the war, having taken the place of Boulanger, and he continued to be the purveyor of good cheer until he was in turn supplanted by Welcker and Hartley. It is said that he had three-dollar-per-head bills of fare if congressmen and politicians were to be entertained, all filet of beef, sweetbreads and peas, highly-flavored terrapin, canvas-back ducks, done to death, the heaviest wines and the strongest of brandy and cigars after all would be served. But if ladies were to be present a filet of chicken breast would be substituted for the filet of beef, the sweetbreads would be made into a sort of pâte and served in pretty little paper dishes, the ducks would be omitted, and any amount of confectionary, ices and candied fruit would end the dinner. If you said Mr. Miller (pastry eater), were to be present, there would be raw oysters or thick soup, fresh salmon from Maine, a saddle of mutton, plenty of terrapin, a strong Roman punch, and the half of a canvas-back following, crisp and brown on the outside but red as the hand of treason on the inside, with the head accompanied to show you that it was not a red-head duck.

These dinners were cooked in Crutchett's own kitchen and taken to the houses of his customers. The minute the caterer arrived he took possession of the house. His servants were placed in the dining-room, his cooks were in the kitchen warming up the courses. If China, or silver, or glassware was lacking Crutchett supplied it, furnishing also, if required, flowers and ornaments. Sometimes he furnished the wines, but generally his patrons wisely preferred to furnish their own, not only as a matter of economy, but also as a matter of quality. The uniform price of these dinners was $3 a head, without wine, with, perhaps, extras for flowers and other special things.

Subterranean Sutpine.

[Virginia (Nev.) Enterprise.]

It will be remembered that some months ago, in boring the artesian well at White Plains, out in the eastern part of this state, under the auspices of the Central Pacific Railroad company, a large log, or several logs, of wood were bored through at the depth of 1,615 feet below the surface. This has been a subject for discussion by scientists ever since, and a few evenings ago in San Francisco, Dr. Harkness made it the special subject of a very interesting lecture. Under the auspices of the Academy of Sciences, the wood was brought to the surface, and it was good, sound wood, in an almost perfect state of preservation, although its great depth and the character of the superincumbent strata showed that it was at least 1,000,000 years old. Microscopic examination shows that the ancient tree was probably similar to the present nutpine.

Redundancy of Legal Verbiage.

[Boston Herald.]

David Dudley Field has been making some interesting estimates of the amount of time and labor lost by the useless redundancy of legal verbiage, and ex-Judge Fullerton, who agrees with him on the subject, declares—what is news to many laymen—that any lawyer has a right to construct the simplest forms possible for legal instruments, their present tautologies and paraphrases being simply worthless relics of a by-gone age.

Blaine's Good Health.

[Washington Letter.]

Mr. Blaine no longer uses a carriage in his travels about Washington. He may be seen any day on the thoroughfares of the capital, his frame as erect as it was ten years ago. The paleness that has characterized his face of late years has given way to a fresh, pinky color that denotes good health.

Uncle Sam.

John Adams: Old minds are like old horses you must exercise them if you wish to keep them in working order.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE
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Balance in U. S. Treasury Today.

WASHINGTON, D. C. June 18.—The following is the balance remaining in the U. S. Treasury to-day:

Gold coin and bullion	$246,945,008
Silver dollars and bullion	167,224,025
Fractional silver coin	31,288,573
United States	47,686,305
National Bank notes	1,680,407
National Bank notes in process of redemption	8,677,705
Deposits in National Bank depositories	10,316,573
Total	$513,420,716

The following is the amount of certificates outstanding:

Gold	$198,582,970
Silver	103,570,576
Currency	28,960,000
Internal Revenue receipts	346,606
Custom receipts	442,190

Mine Explosion.

MANCHESTER, June 18.—A terrible explosion of fire damp occurred this morning in the Clifton Hall Colliery near this city. There were 350 men at work in the mine at the time, 120 of whom have been rescued. Two hundred and thirty are entombed and it is feared that they will be either suffocated or burned to death. Great excitement prevails, and the scenes in the vicinity of the mine are heartrending; wives, mothers and relatives are congregated near the entrances crying and shrieking and imploring God to save the loved ones imprisoned below.

Helping the New Orleans Exhibition.

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 18.—Director T. P. Buck, of the World's Exposition, started last evening for Washington to make arrangements for securing the $355,000 appropriated by the last Congress for payment of the claims of the foreign exhibitors of the exposition. This sum, together with the amount the old company will receive from the new company for the plant, etc., will be sufficient to pay all the former company's creditors in full.

The Cholera in Spain.

MADRID, June 18.—The Cholera is spreading at an alarming rate. From the cities of Madrid, Valencia and Castelion a total of 673 new cases and 157 deaths are reported to have occurred within the last twenty four hours. At Madrid one death is reported, and six new cases.

Loss of a French Man-of-War.

PARIS, June 18.—A telegram from Admiral Galiber, commander of the squadron in the Indian ocean during a cyclone and every one on board, 175 souls in all perished.

Parnell Wants Funds.

LONDON, June 18.—It is understood that Charles Stewart Parnell, M. P., seriously contemplates visiting the United States accompanied by a few chosen followers with a view of collecting funds for electioneering purposes in the Autumn parliamentary campaign.

The Italian Ministry Resigns.

ROME, June 18.—The narrow majority by which the ministry obtained a vote passed yesterday has so embarrassed the Government that the entire ministry this morning tendered their resignation to the king.

Collector of Customs.

WASHINGTON, D. C. June 18.—The president today appointed William L. Bancroft to be Collector of Customs for the District of Aurora, Michigan.

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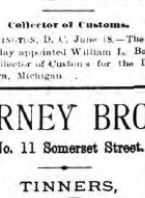

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EL DORADO, 1851.

[Harper's Magazine.]

I've just bin down ter Thompson's, boys,
'N' feelin' kind o' blue,
I thought I'd look in at "The Ranch,"
To find out what was new.
When I seen this sign a hangin'
On a shanty by the lake;
"Here's what yer gits for doughnuts
Like yer mother used to make."

I've seen a grizzley show his teeth;
I've seen Kentucky Pete
Draw out his knife in a fight
A "tenderfoot" for treat;
But nothin' ever took me down
'N' made my flesh creep
Like that sign about the doughnuts
That my mother used to make.

The boss was mummin' round the porch,
What unsuckles grew;
A yellow day of apple-sass
Was setting there in view.
'N' on the table, by the stove,
An old-time "dinner cake,"
'N' a platter full of doughnuts
Like my mother used to make.

A patient form I seemed to see.
In tidy dress of black;
I almost thought I heard the words,
"When will my boy come back?"
'N' then—the old sign creaked, but now
It is the voice of Jake:
"Here's what yer gets yer doughnuts
Like yer mother used ter make."

Well, boys, that kind o' broke me up.
'N' I had to hide my head;
I rather think I'll pack my kit.
Warnose the ranch, 'n' travel.
I'll make the old folks glad,
'N', if I don't mistake,
I'll fry some of them doughnuts
Like my mother used to make.

QUEER GERMAN SUPERSTITIONS

Cook in Fish Sauce—Telling Fortunes with Melted Lead—The Bible.

(Cor. Philadelphia Press.)

A true German would never think of going to bed on Sylvester Abend before the ushering in of the new year. Were he to be guilty of such forgetfulness a year of sickness and ill-luck would surely attend him. From the emperor down to the most humble of his subjects, the night is spent in reading the pack-book, recounting old family stories, dancing, in singing, conviviality and eating. So, too, does every loyal German hang carp and feast upon it with brown sauce and potatoes at this time. The fishmongers frequently make enough money on Dec. 31 to support them a year. For, since every one must have a fish, and since thousands are sold, advantage is taken of the custom to send the price up to eight and ten marks per fish. The scales of the fish must be saved up carefully all mid-night secured in a sealed packet; a small number are put in the pocketbook, in which there must be some money. This is sure to bring the possessor much wealth during the ensuing year. The fish is cooked in some sweet sauce, and is quite delicious. The roe brings with it excellent good luck.

At 11 o'clock each member of the family mists some leaden in a shovel over a hot stove, and when the metal is thoroughly liquefied it is poured quickly into a bowl of water. Naturally, it assumes all manner of queer forms and shapes, which a fanciful imagination can weave into various types. Early on New Year's morning the fortune-teller calls, and with these leaden effigies as his data he proceeds to read the fortunes for the coming year. Now, it is a singular inter-reaction of the psychic with the physical that these forms also have a partial largest of the substance of that which occupied the mind when the lead was poured into the water. For just as the liquid metal begins to assume form, whether the insensible metal really takes on the forms, or whether the imagination, governed by the wish, causes them to assume such forms the reader must judge for himself.

At midnight each one jumps into a chair, turns about, jumps down and shouts and then jumps up again. Each member of the family embraces, and the streets are filled with "Prosit Neu Jahr" from the mouths of the passers-by. Then the table is again brought out, and without looking, the finger is placed on a certain verse, which becomes the text for the next twelve months. The young women congregate together in one room, and, opening the stove door, expect to find the faces of their future husbands like the fishes' faces. Others, with a similar object in view, peer into the looking-glass just as the clock begins to strike 12. For ghosts the Germans have all possible respect, and their legendary tales are full of quaint, weird, fireside stories.

She Got the Facts.

[Harper's Bazar.]

Johnny (who is spending the afternoon at the Sun-flowers)—Mother says she would like to look like you, Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Smith (who is extremely plain, but not entirely aware of it)—Like me, my dear? I take that as a compliment, indeed, from so very pretty a lady as your mamma. You're quite sure that it was I, Johnny, that she meant?

Johnny (accepting another cruller)—Oh, yes'm. She said that if she could have your health and strength she believed she's as fief look just as you do.

Did Him Lots of Good.

[Exchange?]

A worthy old couple, the man member of which is an invalid, have various attentions from kind neighbors. One day a well-meaning friend sent in a bottle of disinfectant, which she thought was needed, and calling later to see how her protegee were getting along she was informed that Mr. —— had taken considerable of that medicine, and it seemed to do him lots of good.

Writing Rhythmically.

[The Current.]

Celebrate! Author (to a friend)—Do you know that if I can't write rhythmically I'll not write at all? Yes, sir; yes, sir! Only the other day I says to both my wife and my sister: "Give me a three-syllable adjective with the accent on the first syllable!" (Stands on tiptoe, watching the effect on his admirer.)

Colored Photo Negatives.

[The Current.]

German student of photography are making considerable progress towards the perfection of a process whereby negatives may be obtained in all the colors of the original. Professor Fogel, who has been experimenting many years, has succeeded in reproducing blues, yellows, reds, and greens.

Fringe for Trimming.

[Boston Budget.]

The tramp is preparing his wardrobe for his summer tours. It will be light and picturesque, and a great deal of frig go will be used for trimming.

The City of Mexico has sixteen daily papers.

BLENDED FACES.

PORTRAITS BY THE METHODS OF COMPOSITE PHOTOGRAPHY.

Something Novel and Fascinating—Likeness of a Man Who Exists Whom No Man Ever Saw—The "Average of Faces."

[Chicago Tribune.]

The scientific photographers have accomplished a wonderful thing. They have succeeded in producing an actual picture of the man who exists and whom no man ever saw.

The assertion is not as fanciful as it seems. In the last issue of Science appear four portraits illustrating what has been accomplished. The methods of composite photography, devised originally by Francis Galton, are simply this: Given a number of men or women, shadowy photographs of each are taken, and from all these shadows blended, is produced a face. It is a face of no one of those who sat, but it is the face of a human being whose countenance expresses all their traits. This is the theory of the photographer. The facts produced bears out the idea. It is a clearly-defined countenance with an expression of its own. It is something striking and fascinating.

In one of the photographs printed twelve mathematicians have their faces blended in a new countenance. It is the typical mathematician. Sixteen naturalists' faces form one, those of thirty-one painters another. There is a wonderful resemblance between the two faces thus produced. Naturalists and painters alike are students of form and color and outline. It is a new face produced by this queer process. None of the original faces is reproduced. The remarkable device eliminates that source—so far as it appears in the face—of so much of our happiness and unhappiness, "the personal equation." Like the body after death, it disappears, but still exists, though, unlike the body after death, is not diffused through all nature but is condensed into one entity, a visible thing.

The striking thing about these composite faces is that the likeness seems to bring out in bold relief of expression the dominant trait of the class. The one prevailing idea of the group shows in the combined face strongly. It suggests vast possibilities from the discovery of the photographers. The face shows the nature of a class, its strength and weakness, the "personal equation." Like the body after death, it disappears, but still exists, though, unlike the body after death, is not diffused through all nature but is condensed into one entity, a visible thing.

It is the fact that the central idea so protrudes itself in the developed countenance which makes the experiment attractive. It would be interesting to combine the faces of a score of prize-fighters to secure the resultant conscious brute, to mingle the faces of a city's ward politicians and get the face of a creature of low type, and cruel, and unscrupulous as to methods—that it would be alarming. Would the faces of a dozen clergymen reveal one with a kindly eye for the sinner and a look betokening that a "call" would be felt for that place offering the largest salary? Am I what sort of a face would the combination of those of a dozen leading editors produce?

There is a charm about the idea. What a face could be constructed from a group of the money-makers, the men who steal franchises and live on indirect taxation of the public! How the features would appear in that combination how foxy would become the nose of which in the individual we scarcely note the dishonesty, how long and cruel might be made experiments with a hundred types.

Perhaps by a thousand tools, blending the faces of those with at least clean records, a species of man could be produced which would tell a better story, which would be recognized without debate as belonging to the ideal man; strength would be there, but not the stone, but kind and wise. Unfortunately that man in the flesh could never be reproduced. Our system of blending blood in real life would not allow the ages upon ages of requisite stirpiculture.

Of course these are but fancies. Yet in Galton's discovery there is probably the germ of what will result in the most practical benefits. The average of forms is a frequent requisite of the artist and the naturalist. A use for the 'average of faces will soon come.

Old Tin Cans.

[New York Sun.]

Until recently old tin cans were an important source of revenue, at the rate of 60 or $7 a long load, the supply being unlimited. But now they are a drug in the market, and are left to the stale beer workers. They have had their day. The last older, a prudent resident of First avenue, who first saw visions of wealth in the tin and solder of empty preserve cans realized his dream. He has retired with a snug fortune.

Fish Phenomenally Plenty.

The theory of the decadence of the supply of ocean food fishes receives a severe blow from this year's experiences. Mackerel are phenomenally plenty, and the catch has been enormous. Herring in some quarters have been so numerous that the catch could not be used. Cod have been caught in unusual numbers, and almost all kinds of salt water fish are cheaper than they have been before for a long time.

The Meerschaum Body Guard.

[Miscellanea.]

A traveler, recently returned from India, was relating his traveling impressions. "What a country that is!" he exclaimed. "There every body keeps a dozen of servants. I had four myself. Each older, a poor relation

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WANTED—Amateur photographic apparatus at second-hand. Give price and full particulars to E. D., P. O., Plainfield, N. J. 19-2

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BICYCLE, 52 inch, good as new, for sale very cheap. Address, Front care of EVENING NEWS. 19-6

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A small black dog wearing a collar, answers to the name of Tiger. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at 7 West Front street. 19-2

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FURNISHED HOUSE on Third Place to let. Inquire corner of Sequesse and Front str eets of Cross & Mack. 5-28-tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—Cheap. The house with all out lot at the corner of Park ave nue and Seventh street. Apply to J. U. Fraley, on opposite corner.

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Financial.

J. L. ANDERSON, Stock Broker, 74 Broadway, New York. P. O. Box 2175. Telephone call 263 New— 10 share lots a specialty.

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CRAYON PORTRAITS. Miss Jennie Cowperthwaite, Crayon Artist. Specimen's at Reed's, 29 West Front, where orders will be received. 5-6-6

WILLIAM B. MAXSON, Counsellor at Law, will buy and sell real estate and mortgages, loan money, rent and take charge of property. All matters intrusted to him will be carefully and promptly attended to.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	57	6 a. m.	66
9 a. m.	70	9 a. m.	76
12 M.	79	12 m.	87
3 p m		p. m	94

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding days last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise, 4.26 a.m.	Sunrise, 4.26 a.m.
Sun Sets, 7.35 p.m.	Sun Sets, 7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises 10.40 p.m.	Moon Rises, p.m.

Chronological Events.

The Alabama sunk, 1864.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, stationary temperature.

For Saturday—Fair, slightly warmer weather is indicated for the districts bordering on the Atlantic.

JOTTINGS.

—The recent strawberry festival by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will net about $200.

—The Plainfield public schools have been awarded a certificate of merit for work exhibited at the New Orleans Exposition.

—The motto of this year's graduating class of the High School is a fine good, old Latin one, "Certe pete finem," or on the English of it is, "Aim at a certain end."

—The Philadelphia and Reading Road put a lot of new men on the New Jersey Central Division this week, and will also reinstate a considerable force of old hands discharged last Fall from passenger trains.

—The Jersey City police force, for weeks lies alleged several weeks ago had been presented to Tunis J. Carey, the popular Jumbo man, he is very anxious to behold, ere his garments becomes like that yarn—too thin.

—J. L. McVoy, the well driver, has just completed one of the finest drilled wells in Plainfield at the Seminary on Seventh street. The boring 60 feet he has succeeded in striking pure spring water with a flow of 25 gallons per minute.

—Justice Nash yesterday afternoon granted a judgment against Sandford and Co., the former owners of the oil cloth works, for $66.83 to John N. Schenck for work done for Quick and Frosley. This is one of the numerous claims against The Constitutionalist's "New Plainfield Industry."

—Persons who do business in New York yet buy property and help to improve and spend their money in Plainfield and the borough are decidedly termed by those who bar all progress—"roosters," to give the idea that they simply come here "to roost." If those who may hereafter come do as much good as those who have thus far favored the locality, by selecting it for their homes, it is to be hoped that the number will be legion. The more the merrier.

—Early last evening a man under the influence of liquor exposed his person to a number of young children on Putnam avenue. The men of the neighborhood were made aware of it, and started in pursuit of him. It was stated that some of them were so incensed at the time that they would have shot him, if they had found him. He was subsequently found, however, but was not arrested, as it was thought the charge could not be substantiated on account of the extreme youth of the children.

—Complaint is made by several parties of a vicious dog running at large on East Front street and believed to be owned by the occupants of the residence of the late R. O. Wotherspoon. The dog has on several occasions attempted to jump into carriages and bite the occupants, and when driven off attacked the horses. Yesterday while a gentleman was driving in that direction this dog made a spring to get into the wagon, but being beaten off turned at the horse's head and attempted to bite him, the speed of the animal only saving him from injury. The gentleman says that should he come across the vicious brute again he will use something more effectual than a horsewhip and yells.

—Inquiry about town by man whose curiosity was excited by the paragraph in THE NEWS of Wednesday respecting a deserving candidate for tar and feathers, has unearthed another case, to which it was concluded by those having knowledge of it that the paragraph referred; it is framed in fit as well. The latter case, disgusting to relate, involves a Front street business man and a negro wench, in an affair of long standing, which but for the discovery made a few days ago by a number of trustworthy men, would seem incredible. Threats are openly made of tar and feathers for the man, and lynching and fear for the woman. Such summary treatment is not necessary, however much deserved, since by lawful measures both culprits on conviction of such abominable proof, would be swiftly removed to their suitable quarters, of the penalty is a long imprisonment.

THE PIKE ASSAULT CASE.

The "Judgment of Men" Against Him.

The case of the State vs. Frances C. Harder up came before Justice Nash yesterday afternoon. The State was represented by the complainant, Noah Webster Pike. The offense which Mr. Harder was accused of committing was that of an assault upon the person of Mr. Pike on Sunday afternoon at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. in Reform Hall.

About seventy-five persons were present at the trial which took place in the law office of Jackson & Codington, at the corner of Park avenue and Second street. Three prominent took a very lively interest in the case, and the sympathy seemed to be entirely on the side of the defendant.

About half-past two o'clock Justice Nash called the case, and the music commenced.

The first witness sworn on behalf of the State was Noah Webster Pike, the complainant. He testified: I was present on Sunday afternoon at Reform Hall, and while taking part in the exercises, Mr. Harder put his hand on my shoulder and shoved me into my seat. I was standing and speaking. He was behind me. Should judge from his voice that he was excited. Mr. Harder said, "Shut up or you'll get yourself in trouble." He used quite some force. Went down into my seat. Looked his presence of his hand. Turned round to see him. Thought it was Mr. Harder. Down I went. Heard some one call "police." Noticed Mr. Harder usually sat on the other side of the house. All I heard was "police." May have heard Mr. Edsall's voice without knowing what he said.

The defendant here read a copy of the letter sent Mr. Pike by the W. C. T. U., which requested him to desist from further speaking at their meeting.

Mr. Pike continued: Decline to read the letter sent me by the W. C. T. U. Do not care to do anything to bring the W. C. T. U. in the case at all unless compelled to.

Mr. Pike then read the following notice from Saturday's issue of THE NEWS:

A cordial invitation is extended to all Christian men whatever name, and non-professors as well, to attend the union praise and conference meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in Reform Hall at four o'clock in the afternoon. Brief volunteer addresses and good lively singing, led by the Dunham Choristers, is a part of the order of exercises. All are welcome.

The witness continued: I immediately arose and asked if any one was aggrieved. The answer was no. I must confess I was not allowed to speak. I had not said more than two sentences when I was forced into my seat. Have what I said in my pocket. Talked strictly to the subject, which was "Heaven." I said, "After we have passed the portals of heaven, we are beyond the judgment of men. I have a communication in my pocket." I then heard the cry, "Police." The Justice asked the witness if when he was forced into his seat, it was with sufficient force to hurt.

The witness said: It hurt my feelings very much. I passed a sleepless night from the effects of it, and have been under the weather since. I have felt very much humiliated and have been very nervous since.

Joseph Cornelius was the next witness. He testified: Was on the stage with the choristers. Saw Pike get up. He asked if any one was debarred. The chairman answered that he knew nothing about it. Heard Mr. Harder say, "You're out of order," or words to that effect. He did not appear to be angry. He put one hand on Pike's shoulder. Do not know which one. Did not see any force used.

Mr. Harder was then called. As he was a Quaker, he affirmed and did not take an oath. Mr. Pike knew if he declined to take the oath on account of conscientious scruples. The witness satisfied the Justice on that point.

Mr. Harder testified: About 3.45 o'clock went to Reform Hall. Contrary to custom took right hand side near window. Noticed to Pike when he came in. He did not return it. Heard questions. Took no notice. Heard him speak of Heaven and all that sort of thing. When he referred to the letter the gavel came down. Reached over and put my right hand on his right shoulder. He was declared out of order. He turned to look at me. Edsall said "Is an officer in the house." Was not angry. May have been excited. Took the best action to quiet the leader of the meeting. I am one of the vice-presidents of the Reform Club. In the absence of the President and Executive Committee I acted in a semi-official capacity. Did not act until the leader declared him out of order. When Edsall called for an officer Pike sat down. Could not have forced him down. Took hand from him when he sat down. Pike turned to me and asked, "Why didn't you let me continue." I answered, "You are out of order. Y ou'll get yourself in trouble."

Mr. Pike here said that he wanted to acknowledge the receipt of the letter, and to say that he wouldn't speak again.

Mr. Harder asked him if in former speeches he had not made allusion to whiteslavery and the social evil. This question was interesting bit of history was cut short by the Justice, who declared it out of order.

Seely Edsall, the leader of the meeting, was then called. He testified: Before I threw the meeting open Mr. Pike asked if any one was debarred from speaking. I answered that I had nothing to say at present. He arose again, and asked if I was authority on the subject. I said that I had full charge and that what I said was final. Before I threw the meeting open I stated that it was strictly for religious worship and that business was out of order. After prayer was offered Mr. Pike arose. When he came to the W. C. T. U. letter I rapped the gavel and said, "Mr. Pike you have one or order; you can't speak." Then I requested him to speak. During his speech Mr. Harder put his hand on his shoulder very quietly and gently. The word "police" was not used. Both were standing facing me. Couldn't be positive if he sat down when Harder's hand was on him or not. Disciples in a very peaceable way. It was farthest from my thought that Pike would take it in any other way than officially one.

Joseph Powlison was the next witness. He testified; Sat in a seat next to Mr. Harder. Noticed Mr. Pike sitting near the aisle in the seat in front. Pike got up soon after the meeting opened and asked if any one was debarred. He was told that nothing not of a religious nature was to be brought into the meeting. Pike was nearly the first time to speak on the subject, which was "Heaven," a good subject. He seemingly wanted to get on the letter he had received. Harder asked me to let him pass. Edsall called police as Harder put his hand on his shoulder. No force was used. He told him to stop very gently. Do not know whether he had his hand on his shoulder or not when he sat down. There was no scuffle.

On being cross-examined by Mr. Pike as to whether he was speaking to the subject or not the witness said that he thought when we communicated by letter we were getting away from heaven. This brought down the house, and even Mr. Pike smiled.

William Hardy, the janitor of the building, was then called. He testified: Saw lots of disturbance. Saw some one standing up. The chairman called him to order. He didn't know enough to sit down. Saw a man put his hand on his shoulder. Edsall called him to order. He sat down. Too much confusion to hear more. Did not see any force used.

Justice Nash then rendered his decision. He said: This is a peculiar case. By the testimony given I do not see that any force was used by Harder. What was done seems to have been done in a spirit of peace and harmony, and under the circumstances I discharge the defendant.

Mr. Harder and the Justice were the recipients of numerous congratulations. Mr Pike slipped down the stairs and disappeared up East Second street.

The following notice has been served on Mr. Pike:

To Noah Webster Pike,

Sir: At a special meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, of Plainfield, N. J., held June 18, 1885, the following resolution was regularly adopted:

Whereas, Complaint of Noah Webster Pike has caused a disturbance in our meeting and has been attended with injurious results, be it

Resolved, That the said Noah Webster Pike be not allowed to again enter our meetings at Reform Hall or any other of our places of meeting.

You are therefore notified not to again enter Reform Hall or any of our places of meeting under the penalty of expulsion and being treated as a trespasser.

Signed by the President and Secretary of the W. C. T. U.

Mr. Pike was this morning issued a circular, which purports to contain the speech which was objectionable to the W. C. T. U. It, however, leaves out the objectionable portion or else is another speech altogether.

Personal.

Miss Carrie Milliken will return home from boarding school this evening.

Miss Kathie Yates, of East Seventh street, is expected home this evening from boarding school.

Miss Clemmie Yates, of East Seventh street, will return this evening from a trip to Newark.

Edward J. Donnelly, formerly with Shaw, the druggist, is visiting friends in North Plainfield.

Mr. W. T. Broadway and wife, of Seventh street, are going away to-morrow for a few weeks' change of air.

Mr. F. C. Langhorne, having let his house on East Seventh street, is now living in the new house he has just finished on Putnam avenue.

John Walker, of Park avenue, started yesterday on a trip on the sailing vessel Scotia from South Amboy to Cuba for his health, to be absent about two months.

Harry M. Clayton, of Boston, is recuperating at the home of friends on Park avenue, from the effects of a recent illness and contemplates permanently residing here.

Mr. A. B. Dunlap, of Broadway, starts for New Bedford, Mass., the latter part of this month on an extended fishing trip, remaining away probably the entire month of July. This is a trip he takes yearly for pleasure and health.

A Scotch Plains Episode.

[From a Resident.]

The rush of city visitors was so great at the "Hotel de Brown" one evening this week that two of the fair residents were obliged to take refuge out of doors in the rain, clad in the most primitive of Mother Hubbard costumes. It is very probable that if certain Plainfield backers continue the practice of stocking certain kind of attractions in a certain direction they will most likely get their names advertised in the papers and the "passengers" may hear of something else, later on.

The Bethel Mission Festival.

A strawberry and ice cream festival was held last evening in Ryder's Hall on East Front street in aid of the Bethel Colored Mission of that name. A number of ladies had been very generally canvassed and music was furnished by an orchestra. The place was filled the entire evening by both white and colored people and the best of feeling prevailed among the races, who commingled in the greatest friendship. This mission has been recently established, but it is doing a most excellent work.

—Henry Hall was arrested last night by Constable Rasmussen on complaint of Daniel Bunday, Overseer of the Poor, of North Plainfield, for the non-support of his wife. He was brought before Justice Nash, and his case was out of order. After prayer was offered Mr. Pike arose. When he came to the W. C. T. U. letter I rapped the gavel and said, "Mr. Pike you have one or order; you can't speak." Then I requested him to speak. During his speech Mr. Harder put his hand on his shoulder very quietly and gently. The word "police" was not used. Both were standing facing me. Couldn't be positive if he sat down when Harder's hand was on him or not. Disciples in a very peaceable way. It was farthest from my thought that Pike would take it in any other way than officially one.

St. Mary's Festival.

A very large crowd was present at St. Mary's Hall last evening in an attempt to raise the straw-berry festival over which the festival given by the ladies of St. Mary's Church. The hall was decorated with bunting flowers and forns, and the ground surrounding was illuminated with Chinese lanterns. The young ladies who had charge of the refreshment tables were kept busy supplying the demand for strawberries, ice cream and cake. Before the close of the evening nearly all the refreshments were reported as having been disposed of. The ladies will undoubtedly realize a large sum to be added to the treasury of the church. Rev. D. F. Smyth, the pastor, and Rev. Mr. Connolly, of Connecticut, were the clergymen present. The silver set of six pieces was drawn for about 10 o'clock and was awarded to ticket No. 46. The feature of the evening was the dancing, which was greatly enjoyed by all present. Prof. Guttman and his orchestra rendered the following program in fine style: The festival will net about $120.

March—Firemen's Parade	Rebell
Lancers—Bohemenah	Supprigel
Quadrille—"In the Morning by the Sunlight"	A. E. Voss
Overture—Zampa	Herold
March—Nanchen	Fred. Brandeis
Caledonian—Scotch Varieties	E. Boettger
Lancers—Daisy Dun	O. H. Ross
Song—"Kiss Me, Kre I Die."	
March—Beauties of Ireland	L. Wallis
Quadrille—Fleur Animee	F. Zikoff
Caledonian—"Bright Heather Flower"	Rutzland
Song—Uncle Ab	P. C. Gilmore
Quadrille—Medley Varieties	C. Scanlon
Lancers—Saratoga	Bernstein

The Reform Club Meeting.

The weekly meeting of the Reform Club last evening was attended as usual by a large number. Prayer and testimony was had, and the singing was led by M. M. Dunham, George Belcher, a violin, cornet, and organ. The following persons made addresses: Thomas Crossby, Alexander Symonds, Hon. Chauncey Shaffer, President J. S. Gibbs and ex-Mayor William B. Maxson. Several persons signed the pledge.

State Notes.

The Eighth Ward, Paterson, receives 11,450 inhabitants; in 1880 there were 7,200.

It has been decided to erect an iron bridge, seventy-five feet in length, over the canal at Woodstown to carry over the main street.

The Good Intent Fire Company, of Mount Holly, has due bad to dispose of its engine house by lottery, 10,000 tickets at 50 each having been issued.

Thieves during Wednesday night effected an entrance to the Tabernacle, Henderson and Mack streets, Jersey City, and robbed the poor boxes of $10.

St. Mary's Hall, at Burlington, opened its forty-eighth school year Tuesday with appropriate exercises. Bishop Scarborough addressed the graduating class.

Congressman Meadoo told a committee of Democrats on Wednesday night in Jersey City, that he was doing all he could to secure places for his constituents, and promised to provide for a number of men when the new Collector of Customs is appointed.

Jacob Abrahams, a merchant tailor doing business in Broad street, Newark, was arrested Thursday afternoon on a writ on an order by Judge Kirkpatrick in an action for $10,000 damages. The complainant is Carl Zemmlich. The prisoner was unable to get bail and was taken to jail.

A small package, done up in brown paper, was found in the hallway of No. 46 Newark avenue, Jersey City, Tuesday afternoon. The package was labeled, "Patrick Joyce, Chambers street, New York," and in a corner was written the word "Dynamite." The package was taken to Police Headquarters, and was opened by Detective Murphy. It contained a number of empty tin boxes.

George P. Smith, of No. 237 Ninth street, New York, a driver in the employ of the National Express Company, backed his truck up against a Pennsylvania Railroad freight car, in the depot, at Jersey City, yesterday morning, and began to load it with heavy crates. The train started suddenly, and the horses attached to the wagon became frightened and ran away. Smith, who tried to hold in the horses, was thrown against the freight train and seriously injured. The horses dashed across the railroad track, knocked down two men, one of whom, Charles Carey, of No. 83 Lake street, was severely injured that he was sent to the Jersey City Hospital.

The water supply question is agitating Newark again and Professor Cook the State Geologist, recently made a report touching the condition of the city's health in a manner which the Newark people decide is not wholly justified by the facts. The death rate in Newark is said to be 24.7-10 per 1,000, but it is also true that the statistics are very carefully kept there, and that the rate is lower than any of its size, while the rate is computed on the basis of the census of 1880, whereas the population has increased by at least ten thousand since that time. Moreover, Newark is a manufacturing city, where the mortality is always higher than in the comfort of Newarkers—lower than in Jersey City or Paterson, where the most greatest of all evils, water, is used by her citizens in sanitary state. Sewerage, however, is a necessity, and the supply is pumped in a majority of the cities, Trenton, which has suffered from surface drainage for years, is supplied by Newark's water, to the thousands, if not millions and Elizabeth has also been considering the subject.

Caution.

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MAKING OF BONBONS.

PROGRESS OF THEIR MANUFACTURE IN THIS COUNTRY.

Various Delicacies That Delight the Palates of Youth—In a New York Candy Factory—Fancy Sweets' —Works of Art.

[Brooklyn Eagle.]

Formerly the making of bonbons was a tedious affair, and the chief manufacturers were in the habit of beginning the preparations for the great consumption on Christmas and New Years as early as the month of August. Now, however, when the process is far more delicate and complex, and the demand has more than doubled, they commence preparing only some few weeks in advance. One grand reason for this is because they belong to the category of perishable merchandise. If one were only to forget to eat them for a sufficient length of time they would devour themselves. To preserve them they have to be shut up in airtight cases with a layer of chloride of calcium, which absorbs all moisture at one end, and by this means they may be kept for several years.

A large New York establishment, which ordinarily employs some ninety persons, about the commencement of December requires the services of almost double that number. The majority of whom are engaged in making bonbons for the million and the burn of the new year. The entire underground portion of the premises is devoted to the manufacture of sweetmeats. On descending the stone staircase one finds one's self in a stifling atmosphere, too heavily laden with the aroma of vanilla and other essences. Around are scores of workmen, their faces lighted by the red glare of numerous furnaces, busily engaged in plunging particular fruits into large saltpans filled with boiling syrups. More in the shade are other stalwart-looking men, their countenances made red by the intensely heated atmosphere, rolling up almonds, etc., on huge copper revolving pans, and so constant is the sound of metal on metal that the visitor might imagine himself in an armor-making establishment. Elsewhere are a host of busy workmen making bonbons for Christmas and children to crunch. On all sides are piles of sugar barrels, and bottles of syrups and essences—kirsch, wine, aniseed, maraschini, curacao, pineapple, apricot, strawberry, cherry, vanilla, chocolate, coffee and tea—with sacks of almonds and baskets of chestnuts, pistachio nuts and filberts being emptied into machines which bruise their husks, flay them and blanch them all ready to receive their saccharine coating.

Most bonbons are made by hand; only those of which are flat at the bottom are cast in moulds. In the hand-made bonbons the sugar-paste is rolled into shape by the aid of an instrument formed of a stout piece of wire, one end of which is twisted and the other fixed into a wooden handle. With this the paste is taken out of the cauldron and drawn and by a rapid stroke of the hand. For bonbons of a particular form, such as those in imitation of various fruits, etc., models are carved in wood of a certain number of these, say from fifty to sixty, are fixed on a narrow strip of wood, and the confectioner takes molds of them in starch, contained in a series of large, shallow drawers. As soon as the molds become dry they are filled with liquid sugar, already colored and flavored, after which the drawer is put on one side for twenty-four hours, when the bonbons are ready for sale.

The delicate sweets, containing some essence, such as pineapple, etc., are always cast in starch molds. It puzzles older heads than those of children to know how this drop of delicious liquid gets into the center of the sweet. Like many other puzzling matters, it is very easily explained. The flavoring essence is mixed with the liquid sugar, and poured into the mold the latter crystalizes immediately over the former. These essences, so nice to the taste, are the most remarkable examples of the power of chemistry to transform very repugnant materials into delicacies. Fusel oil is the base of the pear essence, and pineapple essence is obtained by diluting ether with alcohol. The chemist in his laboratory, with great cunning, manufactures scores of these essences, which are supposed to be the veritable product of delicate fruits. Some of the pretty forms that are made to take the fancy of the little ones are simply punched out of the flat films of sugar rolled; some are cast; some are pressed into shape when soft between engraved rollers.

The drops and sweets that are quite clear are boiled so long that all the water has evaporated out of them. Such sweets must be constantly bottled up, or preserved from the air, otherwise they absorb water and become semi-liquid. Barley sugar is a fair example in point. If it is not hermetically sealed up in tins, it quickly becomes soft and loses all its crispness. It is as well to know that this is the case with all sweetmeats being absolutely clarified sugar, and therefore the most wholesome for children. On the other hand, peppermint drops are the most open to sophistication. They should be made of crushed white sugar, mixed into a paste with gum. The temptation to adulterate is too great for the dishonest trader to resist, consequently, in order to supply the cheap market, one-half pound of Paris is mixed with inferior sugar. One can quite understand how a sharper-faced provider takes children sometimes after sucking those comfits; the wonder is that such a mass of plaster does not interfere more significantly with their digestion. Jujubes, those flexible lozenges which stick so in the teeth, contain a large amount of gum. They are poured into tins to cool, standing for several hours, sliced into squares and then cut by scissors into the well known diamond shape.

The veritable sugar plum, or almond drop, is made in a very elaborate manner. A number of almonds, after being coated with a little gum to catch the white sugar, are thrown into a deep pan surrounded with steam. This pan revolves sideways at an angle of 45 degrees. As it revolves the almonds, which are thrown about in the one another and with them are doing so the workmen power over from time to time liquid white sugar, allowing a sufficient time to elapse between each supply for the sugar to harden upon them. In this way it grows by the deposition of layer upon layer until it is the proper size. By some the sugar is applied in the cream of a dissolved and most regular manner. Girls are largely employed in the sugar plum trade, as they are found to be very deft in their work, but they have a sweet tooth and help themselves to the lozenges pretty liberally. As it is impossible to stop pilfering they are given liberty to eat as much as they like.

But if the bonbons themselves are in some degree works of art, the boxes, baskets and boxes made to contain them are still more so. Some of them are reproductions of ancient masterpieces. Others of modern invention. The models of these are carved in wood. At Easter, when sweetmeats are almost at their height in request for presents as they are at the New Year, the confectioners display the most exquisite egg filled with Easter eggs of all sizes, from the tiny bird's egg, of course, upward. There are elegant boxes of paper, in form of eggs, cradle full of eggs and fixed on a pedestal, and, lastly, the "grand egg" of the confectioner's window, which stands on the counter or hovering over the whole is the parent bird, which in certain regions in the United States dozes at the time it lays and sits.

BEER AND BRITISH LABOR.

The Astonishing "Temperance" Views Advanced by English Farmers.

[Boston Commercial Bulletin.]

In the county of Herts I stopped to talk with a farmer who was driving down his tall, handsome hay rick and loading the hay *for the London market. He was a lively,* progressive sort of a man, who had been an emigrant to Australia, and, after a long residence there, had again returned to the home farm in England, and like many others who had lived years away from England, he had returned with many broad ideas in his mind. Speaking with him of the bad beer-drinking habits of the English laborers, he said the great trouble was they would not use the beer in moderation. A moderate use of beer he thought might be beneficial to them. I asked him to tell me what he idea of moderation in this regard was. He replied that in haying time, which in old as in New England is a period when the farm-hand is expected to work unusually hard, a laboring man ought to be able to get along on a gallon of beer a day. If the men would put up with about that quantity beer would not hurt them.

These very astonishing "temperance" views I afterward heard advanced by other quite intelligent English farmers. In giving the statement of the vast number of arrests for drunkenness that are annually made in England, an American ought to remember that laws are probably more strictly enforced in England than in any other country on the face of the earth. I found that many English laborers earned by life almost six dollars a week. A very little bread and a *large amount of beer seemed to make up* their daily sustenance. I remember seeing a British laborer who had himself abandoned its use, holding up before me a very small loaf of bread—a loaf about the size of a coffee cup—and exclaiming: "See this; one of our hard workers will make a day's food of this, if you will give him beer enough to go with it." I used frequently to see them in beer-drinking halls in the taproom at all times of the day, but they were most in the habit of swarming into these places at night.

It is often the custom for a little clique of British workmen to sit down around the plain pine table in the beer-house and begin the evening by ordering a quart pewter pot of beer between them. They pass this around from mouth to mouth with a "drink, mate," chatting the while. When the mug is exhausted it is "Here, mate, another pot of beer;" and *so they keep it up until* the evening is over. The quantity of beer an English workingman will get away with is certainly astonishing. A Staffordshire man told me of a neighbor of his who was what they there termed a "bread-and-cheese carpenter," or a "follow-the-field carpenter," that is, a carpenter who has no regular job of his own, but who did odd jobs at his trade out of doors, who made a regular practice of drinking ten quarts of beer a day. He would do this year in and year out and keep steady at his work.

Bivouac in a German Camp.

[R. F. Zogbaum in Harper's Magazine.]

Hurrying forward, I reached our bivouac just as the troop was falling in for the evening prayer, although no tattoo had been beaten there, we being too near the enemy, and the music might have betrayed our whereabouts. Quietly our little force moved up in front of the fires, the guard standing to their arms. "Halt!" Right, such" and they stood there motionless in one solid, dark block, relieved strong against the bright light of the fires and columns of smoke and sparks rising almost straight upward to the black heavens. Out of the darkness came a short word of command, "Caps off for prayer!" and in solemn silence, with bowed heads, the rough *soldiers rendered thanks to the Almighty* for His mercies.

Lighted candles, stuck in bottles or fastened to rough-hewn blocks of wood, were gleaming brightly on the plain pine boards of the improvised table under the new moss tent, when, the men having been dismissed, the officers sat down for an hour's chat and smoke before turning in, and although our meals varied in shape and size, from a mess-chest to a folding camp chair, and the table appointments were of the simplest description, it would have been difficult to have found a merrier or more comfortable set of men than that of which our little party was composed. A hand-some, soldierly lot of gentlemen, these German officers, treating one with the freedom of the camp, but with the well-bred courtesy of their class, and full of eager hospitality to the stranger from *far America.*

Many were the *questions* asked about the land beyond the sea, where so many of their countrymen and descendants had their homes; about Texas, where I had been living for a long time, and about Paris, where I still resided; about the French army, their life and habits. Then the yarns about the late war between the two countries, the suffering, the hardships, the fun and the fighting, the good wines, and the fair women of "sunny France"—yarns that made the youngsters of the mess envious of their elders and anxious to take part some day in a like fair them glorious struggle. There was no boasting, no exultation of the victor over the vanquished, but the natural talk of soldiers over the adventures of a campaign, the like of which has seldom been met with in history.

As the evening were away in a pleasant chat until the major, our commandant, gave the signal for us to disperse, and we sought our beds.

Tourguenef's Criticism.

[Foreign Letter.]

"The trouble with us Russians," said Tourguenef on one occasion, as I was sitting smoking with him in his library, "is that we have the Tartar so close behind us. We are but semi-barbarous people, just civilized enough to have acquired the vices of civilization. We put Parisian kid gloves upon our hands, instead of washing them. We have and recipe and polite phrases in the one moment, then go home and thrash our servants. We like to declaim about the future of Russia, about her vast undeveloped strength and her manifest destiny to gobble up the rest of Europe; and this patriotic intoxication makes us blind and deaf to the horrible abuses of the present."

A Bad Custom.

[Chicago Times.]

The odontological extravagance of modern funerals is commonly considered as a great evil, and the death of Mrs. Vanderbilt, as the result of exposure while at the grave of a relative, is regarded as an illustration of the danger of the custom which requires the near friends of a deceased person to be present in the cemetery at the burial, however inclement the weather may be.

Castor Oil.

[Exchange.]

In Arizona and northern Mexico experiments are making with the castor bean for the manufacture of oil. The estimates give 1,500 pounds to the acre. Which, at two cents pounds of beans, worth $180. An oil factory is contemplated at Tucson, Arizona, provided sufficient beans can be contracted for.

Victor Hugo defined Paradise as "a place where parents will always be young and children always little."

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RECEIVING THE STATUE

A GRAND DISPLAY IN NEW YORK HARBOR.

The City Crowded with Visitors—The Naval and Land Parades.—Details of the Reception.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Flags are waving this morning from the tops of principal buildings throughout the city in honor of the formal reception of Bartoldi's statue of "Liberty Enlightening the world." The shipping along the river front and the vessels in the harbor are gaily decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the event. Early this morning trains brought thousands of strangers from surrounding cities, and Broad way and the streets adjacent are thronged with people in holiday attire wending their way to points from which a good view of the military and civic parades attending the reception can be witnessed.

Shortly after nine o'clock, the mayor, the president of the Board of Aldermen, the municipal officers, the members of the reception committee and other committees embarked on special steamboats and proceeded down the lower bay to the Isere.

Arriving alongside of the vessel they boarded her and at once paid their respects to commander and officers, and the mayor acting as spokesman bade them a hearty welcome to New York. The mayor then tendered them the hospitalities of the city and invited them to a formal reception at the City Hall this afternoon. After the interchange of a few remarks the mayor and city officials withdrew, returning to the steamboats which at once swung off and took up a position within a few hundred yards of the Isere. At 11 o'clock the fort at Sandy Hook thundered forth a salute to the French flag which was shortly after followed by a signal from Commodore Chandler's vessel notifying the vessels to form in line for the naval parade. The vessels then fell into line as had been previously determined.

The vessels steamed slowly up the Bay receiving salutes from the forts at the narrows. Forts Columbus, Castle William, Fort Wood and other batteries in the harbor. These were replied to by the French flagship La-Flore and the United States naval vessels, while hundreds of steam whistles sent forth blast after blast. The noise at times was deafening. On arriving at her anchorage at Bedloe's Island the Isere received a salute from the guns of the United States training ship Minnesota detailed for duty at that station. This was also the signal for the break-up of the naval parade.

The officers of the French flagship and those of the Isere were then conducted to the Island on the steamboat chartered by the American committee where they made a short inspection of the work now in progress on the pedestal. On the landing of the French Naval officers at the Island the "Marseillaise" was sung by over five hundred voices. At its conclusion the bands engaged for the occasion played several French and American airs. "Hail Columbia" and "Liberty Enlightening the World," composed by Gounod, were then sung by the members of the singing societies and the core morceau were concluded by the firing of salutes from the forts and war vessels.

The French officers were then escorted on board the *reception committee's steamer* and landed at the Battery where carriages were awaiting them and the land procession formed.

The line of march was directly up Broadway to the City Hall Park, where the mayor and French guests reviewed the procession.

After the review the guests were formally welcomed in the Aldermanic Chamber in *the City Hall. Speeches* were made by Mayor Grace, Frederick R. Condar, the orator of the day, and others. At the conclusion of the addresses the French singing societies rendered several appropriate selections, after which a collation was served in the Governor's room.

This ended the ceremonies of the day, which passed off without the slightest hitch of any kind or anything calculated to mar the good feeling prevailing. The French officials express themselves as greatly pleased with their reception.

Balance in U. S. Treasury To-day.

WASHINGTON, D. C. June 19.—The following is the balance remaining in the U. S Treasury to-day:

Gold coin and bullion	$246,397,905
Silver dollars and bullion	167,547,326
Fractional silver coin	31,227,636
United States	47,487,284
National Bank notes	1,749,913
National Bank notes in process of redemption	4,519,782
Deposits in National Bank depositories	19,487,698
Total	$513,377,452

The following is the amount of certificates outstanding:

Gold	$138,349,930
Silver	103,377,306
Currency	39,205,000
Internal Revenue receipts	331,008
Custom receipts	998,440

Brutal Assault by a Negro.

NEWCOMERSTOWN, Ct., June 19.—Yesterday Miss Bache, aged 18, and Miss Phillips, aged 20, were picking strawberries along the Panhandle railroad, four miles west of here, when they were assaulted by a negro, who knocked Miss Phillips down and then made an assault on Miss Bache. Miss Phillips called for help, and the negro was pursued and captured near West Lafayette in an old barn. There is little doubt that he will be hanged, as Miss Bache is unconscious and will die from the effects of her injuries.

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POISONS OF INDIA.

BALTIMORE PHYSICIAN'S CHAT ON MYSTERIOUS HERBS.

Modern Plant Canding Intoxication, Insanity and Death—Fatal Needles Dipped in Snake Milk—A Nightmania Plant.

[Baltimore Herald.]

A well-known physician lives in a pleasant home on Park avenue, which is flanked and surmounted on the place of one of those quaint French cottages that flavors the ends of the nobility in the days of Louis Philippe. The doctor is a skeptical, pressing sort of fellow, not old in years, but one of those tropical constitutions have browned to ebony and put fanny little wrinkles on his face. His rent-roll is much larger than his practice for he has a whole wife married under the shadows of a Spanish convent; a library picked up everywhere, and a round set slightly bald head filled with all sorts of curious old-fidel of knowledge. The other evening he was sitting on the verandah with a friend, a young man, and the two were discussing experiences of travel.

"I never realized until I sauntered into India," said the doctor, "how little we Americans know about the art of poisoning. In that country every herb that grows is a sign of life or death. Centuries of an existence of semi-idleness have enabled the natives to study out the wonderful secrets of the plants that surround them, and they revel in such abstruse knowledge. Compared with that knowledge, our own materia medica seems strangely inefficient. Almost every man in India can pick a harmless-looking plants in bloom, be sure tasting of whose flowers would cause a profound intoxication, such as could be produced by drinking a quart of Kentucky whisky." The younger man relished and looked incredulous.

"I had a curious experience with the datoora last cone," continued the doctor musingly, "that very much increased my respect for the native. The datoora plant grows wild all over the sides of the Indian hedges, of has large white flowers and very dark green leaves. From a distance it might be mistaken for certain hollyhocks. The leaves are a sure cure for asthma. Thoroughly dried and prepared like cigars or smoked in a pipe. The seeds of the flowers, which have a dusky yellow color, are a subtle and potent poison, and when taken in small quantities cause temporary insanity, and, in large quantities, death or permanent idiocy. The wonderful properties of the seed are well known and there are regular gangs of professional robbers who ravage the country at the close of vegetation, after having first placed them under the influence of the poison, which they conceal in sweetmeats. One evening I put up at a small village, and in an inn. On the verandah I noticed three fine-looking fellows dressed with more than customary elegance. Supposing them to be wealthy merchants, I soon engaged in conversation through my guide, and we chatted in their own language until midnight. I then retired, not dreaming it necessary to secure the door with any door. I remember nothing after that until a week after, when I awoke from what seemed to be a long sleep in a ground cabin, to learn that I had been poisoned by datoora seeds by the three fine-looking scamps in good clothes. They had taken literally everything I possessed, and would have had it not been unable to London for me so? The guide told me they found me in the morning speechless, with my eyes wide open, in a most ridiculous part of a state. I could walk about when I got over a blank. My only sensations were those of going to sleep and awaking. When a person dies of datoora poisoning in that country they cover the body with a cloth and some leaves, and place it for three days in the shade of a sacrificial banyan tree, where the vultures will come, and by that time the body is buried. The use of this plant as to a great extent superseded the use of snakevenom by the Thugs."

The doctor paused and drew from his coat pocket a morocco case, opened it and took out what looked like a penny-cake of compressed yeast. "That," he said, passing it over to his friend for inspection, "is the dried milk of the madar plant. I brought it back from India as a souvenir. The plant grows in clumps by the paths in the country, and bears a beautiful, large, white waxen flower with a pink center. Its leaves, when bound on a wound or sore, effect a speedy and miraculous cure. The milk exudes plentifully from the leaves and bites in hard cakes in the sun. The fellow who gave me these was traveling to apply it to sores in the nose, and then slyly nibbling the crumbs and swallowing them. Sometimes he would take a bite and let the current of blood absorb the milk. The effect is the same in either case, and I can tell you that when it gets interwoven in anatomy it creates the highest kind of delight. Fits of dependency are followed by spasms of jubilant intoxication; grants and sighs, give way to laughter. Then comes a strange, soft spell lasting about fifteen minutes. The influence of the drug extends over fully seven hours, and in that time there occurs usually two spells of delirium, or three incomplete changes of temperament. Unlike our knockouts, no nauseous fellow its we, and the patient is not sick at his stomach. The madar milk is sometimes mixed with powdered rutties and by accident. You prick the skin of their victim with a delicate skewer or needle, dip it in the poison and leave the fine point beneath the skin. Death slips along painlessly and almost unperceptibly. The victim is left in the same listing left on the skin, or in the blood or stomach. All the doctors and coroners in the country might examine the body in vain for traces of poison. The Thugs are the only people I ever heard of who ever used the madar milk, though it is probable that the Malays and Javanese have discovered its properties. I have a number of the needles with me, and will show you how they are made on."

[Literary World.]

Commander Neville at the head of an army of niggers, equipped with spades, pickaxes, and Martini-Henry rifles, Burton, America, has taken Fifteen Sticks, capital of the Transvaal. It is a great victory in the history of civilization, and the peaceful occupation of the territory in question is the result of the Jameson expedition, of the African boundary.

No Wonder.

A retired constable lives in the age of 100 years. No wonder he has a hump upon his back.

NATIONAL PHASES OF MEANNESS.

Points of Englishmen—Experience in a Pennsylvania—Jonathan and John Bull.

[Leisure's London Letter.]

For thorough, mean-spiritedness an Englishmonger can take the pie from any human being. Walk down Regent street, friend reader, at any time when it threatens rain, and you will see all the good fellow hanging in their awnings. This is explained to me as being done lest passers-by should take refuge beneath them, and so form crowds which might prevent a possible customer from entering. The crowd would prevent purchasers from seeing what there is for sale. In Scotland one often sees a bench placed where there is a beautiful view for weary wayfarers to rest and enjoy it. In England everybody cries out, "Keep off the grass!" "Ah, but don't you know, the tramps would sit on them." I sometimes think that one might sadly induce all England to live locked up in solitary cells to keep the vulgar out." The moral feature of this and all other national faults is, that every Englishman cheerfully admits them, with pride, indeed, because as he says, "It's quite true; but then, it's English."

But have we no national phases of disobligingness? My friend Mr. Jonathan Peck is a very serious one which I should like to see amended. One day I was in the Philadelphia postoffice. I wanted to send a message, but could not do so, for I had forgotten my eyeglasses and could not write. I watched a well-dressed young woman filling up her form with pencil. Then I asked her if she would not fill up mine, as I could not see to do it. She informed me with great confidence that she could not, as she did not know mine. Then I asked a young man. He said that he had no time to attend to it. Seeing a manifest younger, I asked him if he would do it. He said he would, but he didn't know—couldn't say—he was in a hurry. So I left him and went to the clerk at the window, and he filled up the form. The telegraphic regulations did not allow him to fill it. As the only persons who would require this would be the blind and those unable to write I was not particularly impressed with the kind spirit which could frame such a law.

Speaking to a certain man of all this, he replied that it was the English notion of an unlucky streak of charitish people, such as could not happen again. I offered to bet him that if I went there again three out of every five persons would lend me their specs and done. He would not take the bet. If he had he would have lost it. My dear fellow-countrymen, you are not the cheerful-as-John Bull is, but we have the fault of always fancying yourselves to be too busy and in too much of a hurry. You think it gives you an air of importance to show that your time is worth money. And so one hears no end of complaints from Americans of English men and city vices, but seldom of themselves, and when they do realize that they have faults they are proud of them because they are "characteristic."

The Growing Trade in Seeds.

[New York Tribune.]

"What is the value of the seed business in the country?" was asked of an old and well-known seedsman.

"Well, somewhere between $15,000,000 and $20,000,000," he said, judge, although we can't say exactly, because there is so much commission business done. All these boxes of seeds that you see in druggists' windows and country stores are put there on commission, and they return all that are left unsold. The bulk of the trade is in vegetable seeds, cabbage, beet, spinach and turnip being sold by the ton, while we handle thousands of bushels of peas and beans. In comparison, flower seeds are a mere bagatelle, and although nearly all dealers have a department devoted to cereals, the business is not large, because farmers largely raise their own grain, while that sold by seedsmen, persons under contract, peas and beans in northern New York, cabbage, turnip, etc., on Long Island, cauliflower in Europe, and beets on the Atlantic coast.

"Our business includes every county in the Union, but at present the south is the heaviest customer. Ten years ago nearly all the country about Norfolk, Newborn, and Savannah is growing for the New York market. The great development of the trade is a thing of recent years, however, but there is one firm in this city which has been in the business for a century. One thing which has to be taken into account in the trade is the great difference in seeds in regard to their vitality. Cabbage, cauliflower, and turnip may be kept for five or six years before losing their vitality, but there is only

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WANTED—Amateur photographic apparatus at second-hand. Give price and full particulars. F. E. J., P. O. Box 72, Plainfield, N. J. 6-20-1*

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this city and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelles drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	56	6 a. m.	72
9 a. m.	72	9 a. m.	78
12 m	81	12 m.	85
3 p.m.	92	p. m.	90

Miniture Almanac.

Today and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise..... 4.28 a.m.	Sunrise..... 4.28 a.m.
Sun Sets....7.33 p.m.	Sun Sets.....7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises 10.09 a.m.	Moon Rises.. p.m.

Chronological Events.

Victoria crowned, 1838.—Santa Anna died 1876.

Signal Office Prediction.

Warmer. fair weather.

For Sunday—Local rains are indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States with slight changes in temperature.

JOTTINGS.

—The Railway public schools closed yesterday for the year.

—The Bee Hive is making a specialty of children's white suits.

—Behm offers some new attractions in his advertisement elsewhere.

—Persons leaving the city for the Summer can have THE NEWS sent them without extra charge.

—Judge Savage, of Rahway, has been appointed U. S. Consul to Belfast, the second city of Ireland.

—The Plainfield Bicycle club expect to participate in the races to be held in Somerville on the Fourth of July.

—At Elsalla dry and fancy goods store is shown a very fine line of hand knit and cashmere white and colored shawls. The prices are remarkably low.

—The Executive Committee of the Reform club met last evening at the residence of the chairman, Asa M. Dunham, and attended to a number of steps for the prompt collection of dues.

—The Union County farmers who compose the County Board of Agriculture will convene next week and discuss farm matters on the grounds of Union Wood Drift in Union township.

—During a season's business a good many remnants accumulate. Pope Bros. announce in another column a closing out sale of brussells, ingrain, stair carpets, and mattings at a great sacrifice. Those in search of bargains would do well to attend.

—About seven o'clock last evening a horse and wagon owned by Mr. Hartwarger while turning into Park avenue, corner of Front, came into collision with another wagon, against which the horse forcibly struck his head, upsetting him and breaking one of the shafts of the vehicle.

—The weeklies are endeavoring to defeat the boroughites of North Plainfield in their endeavor to improve the material prosperity of the place are now following in the wake of THE NEWS in praise of the public spirit manifested by many of the leading residents. "Better late than never."

—The Job Male Library is located as nearly in the center of the city as it was possible to have it. An effort was originally made secure property on the corner of Park avenue and Fifth street, which is just about the center, but the building attended with too many obstacles, the present site three blocks further away was chosen.

"—Among the loan pictures which will be on exhibition at the opening of the Job Male Art Gallery will be a portrait of Madame Neckar, the mother of Madame DeStael, painted from life, loaned by Mrs. Aborn, and the "Evening Vespers," by A. B. Durand, N. A., loaned by the Hon. Chauncey Schaffer.

—At this time it is advisable to take every precaution against danger from cholera and *we know of no better and at the same time* no cheaper disinfectant than Thorp's, advertised among our special notices, and recommended by Plainfield physicians generally. It is free from acids and does not injure fabrics as is the case with other disinfectants.

—Lewis Wyckoff, of East Front street, has the stuffed neck of a crane, shot by him last Summer at a place called the "out off," about 12 miles west of this city, beyond the third mountain. The bird when alive stood over five feet high. Mr. Wyckoff's shot winged the bird, and a retriever belonging to Harry Campbell attacked it, but after one blow from its long sharp bill beat a hasty retreat, and could not be induced to go near it again. Its mate was also shot at but escaped. The crane was secured and brought to this city, where it remained for several days at Mr. Wyckoff's, and was finally killed for stuffing. It was found impossible to, stuff more than its neck, because of a cut.

Hotel Arrivals.

List of arrivals at the Hotel Netherwood from June 1.

Mr and Mrs A J Dunlap, Mr A L Gondran Mrs E Naulnberg and Son, Mr and Mrs W W Bulkley, child and maid, Mr and Mrs Jas Todd, 2 children and maid, Mr and Mrs I W Condit, Miss Condit, Mr J A Timpson, Mr C H Bissell, Mr and Mrs M A Roome, Miss Roome, Dr E A Arnold, Mrs Wotherspoon, Miss Wotherspoon, Master Wotherspoon, Mr H E Rogers, Miss Shephard, Dr Richard Kalish, Mr. W. T. Vernam, Mr Walter P Jones, Mr and Mrs Harry T Shoemaker, Mr. E G Tool, Count Monaco, Mr and Mrs E Kirberg, Mr and Mrs F. K. Hain, Miss Nettie Raymond, Mrs L S DeAgreda and son, Mr and Mrs. C E Conway, Mrs Reesner, 2 children and maid, Mr and Mrs C P Doane, Miss Caroline P. Doane and maid, Mrs Horace A Foot, Mr and Mrs C N Roy, all of New York; Mr L S Conklin, Mr Cnas Dayton, Mr H S Chandler, Mr W H Metcalf, of Brooklyn; Dr I S Nepp, Mr C A Wray, Mr C H Bissell, of Dunellen, Mr Frank Bell, Mrs C M Williams, of Jersey City; Mr and Mrs Warren Ackerman, Miss May L Ackerman, Miss Lydia P Ackerman, Miss M C House, of Scotch Plains; Mr I H VanDeventer, Netherwood; Mr and Mrs A J Belo, Galveston, Texas; Mr Edwin A Ames, Miss Ida M Meilick, Woodbridge; Mr and Mrs S Young, Montclair; Mr and Mrs F T Lerned, Plainfield; Mr A K Wilson, St Louis; Miss C. S. Davis, Louisville; Mrs Theodore T Humphrey, Savin Hill; Mr and Mrs Joseph Gadsden, Charleston, S C; Mr and Mrs H P Lincoln, Rahway; Mrs W Weston, New Brunswick; Miss Robn, Philadelphia; Miss H H Janeway, New Brunswick; Mr H L Janeway, jr., New Brunswick; Miss Bessie Dunlap, Peekskill; Mr. R. Pressler, Tyran; Miss B W Taylor, Plainfield; Miss M E Wood, Plainfield; Mr Roscoe Henry Channing, jr., New York; Count Monaco, Vice Consul of Italy, has arrived; C F Doane, Gen. Agent of the New York Central and Hudson River R. R. and family; F K Hain and wife, Geo. Sup't N. Y. elevated R R; W Luttgen, of August Belmont and Co., and family; Warren Ackerman with party to dinner on Thursday; Col. Belo and family, of Galveston News, Texas; J W Goodie, of Acker, Merrell and Condit, and family; A S Dunlap and family, Gen. Sup't. New York and Boston Dispatch Co.; Rev. Dr. Burchard, famous from his connection with the recent Presidential campaign, was a guest of the Netherwood on Thursday.

Hotel Netherwood Notes.

The electric lights will soon be in place.

The billiard room is deserted for the tennis courts.

Two mules are received and two leave the hotel each day.

The bell boys are resplendant in new suits with brass buttons.

The broad piazza serves a very good purpose for roller skating.

There will be an informal hop in the hotel parlor this evening. Prof. Walsh will be floor manager.

Corporation Counsel Craig Marsh is indisposed of stags and train since becoming self-propelling.

Four men are constantly occupied on the grounds around the hotel, keeping them in beautiful order.

Master Frank Coleclair makes the distance between the hotel and Mr. Leal's school in three minutes on his gallant Columbia.

The present rage among the young guests is the collecting of stamps. Master Harry Becker has the finest collection, numbering seventeen hundred.

The stage runs regularly to all trains; and to Plainfield at ten a. m., returning at eleven thirty a. m. A convenient arrangement for ladies who have shopping to do.

The weight and height of guests need no longer be a matter of guessing. A highly ornamental Fairbanks scale and measuring rod conveniently placed in the entrance hall will tell a truthful story every time.

Vice-Chancellor's Decision.

Vice-Chancellor Bird has filed an opinion in the case of Royal E. Doane and others against Charles H. C. Beakes, Allson E. Hutchinson and others. The object of the suit was to have the legal charge of certain surplus moneys determined, and to procure a decision as to which of several claimants is entitled to moneys. The Vice-Chancellor's syllabus (as follows) may prove instructive to the legal fraternity:

1. A building erected by a tenant on the demised premises pursuant to a convenant in his lease, and which his lease gives him no right to remove, is not severable or removable as a trade fixture.

2. A chattel real cannot be encumbered by a chattel mortgage so as to make the record of the mortgage effectual against the creditors of the mortgagor, if it is recorded only in the record of chattel mortgages.

3. A sale of partnership property under a judgment against a member of the partnership, for his individual debt, gives the purchaser only such interest in the partnership property as the judgment debtor may be entitled to after the partnership debts are paid and the equities of the partners are adjusted.

Base Ball.

The second game of base ball between the Camcolins and Sunsets was played yesterday afternoon on the grounds corner of Central avenue and Eighth street. The game was called at four o'clock and continued for several hours. Five innings were played, and the Camcolins came out victorious by a score of 24 to 23. The Sunsets lost the game by their loose fielding, and the Camcolins were the weakest at the bat. A number of friends were present to witness the game. The Sunsets are arranging for a game to be played with a nine from Dunellen.

Dockertown is enjoying the luxury of a small milk war.

Report of the General Synod of the Reformed Church on a Somerset County Communication.

Among other papers brought before the General Synod of the Reformed Church, recently held at Syracuse, New York, and which was attended by the Rev. A. V. V. Raymond, of this city, for consideration was one sent by the Law and Order League, of Somerset County, on the subject of License, etc. The committee's report on the communication called forth a warm discussion, there being a difference of opinion as to the propriety of the Synod's taking action on said paper, coming as it did from a body with which the Synod had no ecclesiastical relations. The report was adopted, however, by a strong vote. It was as follows:

COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

A communication has been submitted to your committee from the Law and Order League of Somerset County, N. J., asking the General Synod to take action condemning the practice of the signing of tavern licenses by members of the church. While they sympathize with the communication comes is one with which the General Synod has no official relations, and while the statutes in various localities differ in their requirements, so that in some states no signature except the applicant is necessary for the procuring of licenses to sell intoxicating liquors; yet in view of the terrible and wide spread evils of intemperance, and also in view of the fact that the General Synod has repeatedly made emphatic deliverance on the general subject, your committee recommend the following:

Resolved, That in the judgment of this Synod it is the duty of all who love our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, and their fellow men to use every endeavor to resist the progress of intemperance, to prevent men from being ensnared by this dreadful evil, and to deliver those who are under its power.

Resolved, That we deem it utterly inconsistent with the character and profession of the members of the Church of Christ to encourage the traffic in intoxicating liquors, by renting for the purpose of such traffic any property which they own or which is under their control, or by signing the applications of those who apply for licenses to sell liquor; by becoming sureties for those who make application for such licenses, or in any other manner whatever.

Personal.

The Rev. A. H. Tuttle is taking a short sea voyage for the benefit of his health.

Isaac Scribner, of North Plainfield, started last evening on a trip south on a visit to his daughter, at Frederick burg, Va. He expects to return next week.

Telegraph Manager Schermerhorn was out to-day for the first time in a week. He started this afternoon for Lambertville to recuperate from his recent illness.

Joseph W. Terhune, of Boston, Mass., and his wife, formerly Miss Laura E. Rogers, of this city, are spending a few day's at the residence of ex-Mayor Maxson, who is Mrs. Terhune's uncle.

Mrs. H. M. Case and son of Church street, are summering in New York city, whence they expect to make excursions to the various seaside resorts until September 1, having rented their residence in this city until that date.

Senator McPherson and family left Washington this week for their farm, at Belle Meade, in Somerset County, where they will remain until fall. Owing to the pressure of business, the Senator has abandoned his pleasant trip to Europe. In advance of the family from Washington a handsome conservatory will be added to the mansion, which is already one of the most beautiful at the Capital.

A Pond War at New Market.

The village of New Market is excited over a pond war waged there by the miller and the owners of boats. The miller claims that his wheel has been greatly injured by sticks and other articles thrown into the pond, and to rid himself of the nuisance he made enough fish traps to stock the pond. He says that the government told him if any one boated on the pond or threw anything into the pond thereafter he could have him arrested. This was sometime ago. The miller, who is a German, claims to own the entire right to the pond. Although other people own frontage on the water. The other people in the neighborhood laugh at the miller, and propose some fine afternoon soon to have a sort of triumphal procession on the water directly in front of the irate miller. The miller, however, threatens, however, they do not let out boats as formerly.

A Rahway Paper on Temperance.

(From the Rahway Censor.)

"The Rahway Censor evidently does not favor the temperance movement."—PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS.

The Censor is not opposed to the temperance movement. The editor is in favor of temperance in all things, and believes in enforcing all the laws. We do not favor some of the methods adopted by the reformers, but we acknowledge that they have accomplished much good, and rejoice thereat. We despise informers and political prohibitionists but we know and respect the man who is reclaimed from the excessive use of intoxicating beverages.

The Best Department in the State.

(*Benjamin A. Mumford, Foreman of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company, in Firemen's Herald.*)

In answer to a communication in your issue of June 1, and "Challenge" from Dockertown, N. J., let me say that I shall be most happy to have him as my guest, when I feel confident that I can show him not only all he desires as to by-laws, truck, houses, etc., but one of the best organized volunteer departments in the State, and the apparatus goes by horses, and with swing harness, our time is about ten seconds, which, considering a run of about fifty feet for the horses to the pole is pretty quick time.

—Frank W. Dodge and John H. Sayres, of this city, took part in the anniversary exercises of the Martinville Reform Club on Wednesday evening.

John Jones, who committed suicide at Washington several years ago, left $1,700 in money. No heirs being found the county of Washington took possession, and has erected a tombstone over his grave.

Services To-morrow.

The early morning prayer meeting will be held at 9 15 in the parlor of Reform Hall.

The Rev. G. L. Roberts will preach, morning and evening in the Park Avenue Baptist Church.

The Reform Club meeting in the evening will be addressed by Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, Capt. W. B. Ostrom and John H. Cuthbert.

The pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be occupied by the Rev. Mr. Romin, who has lately become a resident of this city.

Ann Packer, a minister of the Society of Friends, will be at Friends' meeting in the morning at eleven o'clock at the house of worship on Peace street. A general invitation is extended to all to attend.

Rev. P. E. Smyth, of St. Mary's Catholic Church of this city, will assist to-morrow at the dedication of the new Catholic church at Spring Lake, Monmouth County. A priest from the Monastery, West Hoboken, will attend St. Mary's during his absence.

The Rev. Mr. Koechli will preach an interesting sermon in the morning in Warren Mission Chapel, North Plainfield, at 10.30 a. m. on "Utility of the Affiliation of the Germans in our Community." All Germans are invited to attend these services, who also a accord to bring about such a result.

The public praise and conference service under the auspices of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will be held in Reform Hall at four o'clock in the afternoon. Christians of all denominations are invited to come and give brief volunteer addresses of five minutes each. Good singing led by Dunham Choristers. All are heartily welcome.

A New Construction of the Beer Act.

In the Morris county courts it has been held for years that the drinking of beer on the premises where it is sold by the quart under Government tax is a violation of law. Judge Dalrymple entertained this opinion and Judge Magie has followed in the same course. At the last January term Andrew Fagan was indicted and tried for keeping a disorderly house at Whippany, the only disorder claimed being the drinking of beer upon the premises where it had been sold by the quart. The Judge Magie held to be a violation of the beer act, and, under instructions, the jury rendered a verdict of guilty. Fagan carried the case up on a writ of error, and the Supreme Court on Tuesday of last week reversed the judgment found in the Morris courts, thus construing the law so as to make it legal to drink beer on the premises where it is sold by the quart. According to the opinion rendered by the Supreme Court dealers who sell under Government tax can also sell at less measure than a quart, providing the beer is taken from the premises and drunk elsewhere.—Dover Era.

Advertised Letters.

List of advertised letters in the Plainfield post office, June 19, 1885.

Allen, Miss Mary	Daly, Mrs. T., Jr.
Elson, Miss Gracie	Johnson, M. W.
Kenny, Agnes	Lurlily, John
Lawana, Mrs. E. A.	Madden, David
Mott, Mrs. Anna	Partoe, Mrs M. W.
Pierce, Miss Edith	Reber, Frank
Stoyner, Mary Ann	White, Miss Mary F
Willis, Miss Amanda	

When called for please say advertised.

E. R. POPE, P. M.

Outrage at Coomtown.

News has just been received from Coomtown, a small place in the backwoods of Somerset County, of an outrage on a woman committed yesterday by a negro. The offender was subsequently captured and lodged in the jail at Somerville.

State Notes.

Charles Snyder, of Elizabeth, lost a valuable Hambletonian stallion by colic on Monday evening.

We digest's census gives the population of that village at 3,373, an increase of over 900 since 1880.

A lusty young baby boy was left on the doorstep of Ira B. Wright, one of Elizabeth's prominent citizen's on Monday night. The police took charge of the little waif.

The annual parade of the Atlantic City fire companies took place in that city today. Visiting companies from Reading, Pa., Gloucester City and elsewhere participated.

The New Jersey exhibit at the New Orleans Exposition will be opened to the public on opening next November. The Government exhibit has been withdrawn, but all the State and Territorial exhibits are represented.

The Paterson Board of Aldermen, by a vote of 12 to 4, on Tuesday instructed the City Council to prepare an ordinance for the purchase of "Colt's Hill" for a public park. The price is understood to be $200,000, for which sum the city will be bonded if the purchase is consummated.

Samuel West, colored, aged 33, while driving down Atlantic avenue, Atlantic City, on a runaway stallion fell back in the wagon unconscious. He was taken to a neighboring drug store, where he expired in a few minutes. An autopsy was held and the cause of death was found to be a rupture of the heart.

Burglars on Thursday night forced an entrance into the house of the Rev. Dr. Harcourt, pastor of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, in Tomelle avenue, Jersey City, and carried away some jewelry and silverware. The burglars entered the room in which the pastor and his wife were sleeping and stole from a bureau a gold watch.

The appointment of the Rev. William H. Moffett, rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Newton, to be Consul at Beirut, Syria, was a complete surprise to his people, but it is generally commended as a superior selection. Mr. Moffett is a scholarly gentleman, quiet and modest, mingling little in public affairs, though generally understood to be a Democrat. He delivered an eloquent oration upon the death of President Garfield.

Joseph Butterworth, age seventeen, of East Main street, Paterson, and two other boys were helping themselves to cherries at Captain Anton Muller's place on the Goffle road, on Monday afternoon, when Muller's son Charles Horseheidt, age thirteen, employed on the place, fired a gun at the intruders with fatal charge of powder and shot, striking Butterworth in the right thigh, making an ugly wound. Butterworth dragged himself home, bleeding all the way. Horseheidt's statement was that he fired off the gun, but Dr. Paxton disagrees with him. A warrant for Horseheidt's arrest was issued yesterday.

Jennie Houghton treated the patients of the Essex county insane Asylum to an exhibition of fancy roller skating on Tuesday.

Mary Clark, age sixty-five, fell from the roof of the three story house No. 155 Morgan street, Jersey City, yesterday, and sustained injuri s of a fatal nature.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, 50c and $1.00, as other times imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. B. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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" 2.—The same trimmed with Swiss embroidery $1.39
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SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1885.

SLANG—WEEDS AND BRIARS.

The Rahway Censor undertakes to defend the use of slang in an extended article, not one word of which can be construed into slang of recent or remote origin, and yet it says that "the English language is made up mostly of words which when first used were considered slang." We do not so understand the case, but that the number of words which in the 19th century have come from fifty thousand to one hundred and fifty thousand, very largely by additions of words from other languages, first introduced by the more scholarly or by foreigners, and made common as people got into the habit of using them and had become familiar with their meaning, as, for instance, the word "salon" from the French.

The Censor's illustrations are not apropos. "Hudibras" as an exaggerated figure, intended by Samuel Butler to falsify the sour puritanism of another age, was not a caricature of an opinion number of Hessians used to the building while the officers stood the ballyhoo. All who have read Samuel Butler's lofty lay, were scattered in number of persons who made it their business to annoy the Holy both religious, for the sake of the fun and also as the best of the profession as well as the street the mind surged off the sidewalks, and in imitation of respectable citizens are said to have been clubbed.

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LIBERTY'S GALA DAY.

NEW YORK DOES HONOR TO THE GIFT OF FRANCE.

Sea and Land Parades in the Shape Honor The Harbor Glittering with Noble Craft Dressed in Gay Bunting.

NEW YORK, June 20.—The event in Bartholdi's career and of history to which all possible event in the history of this city. Seeing else was talked of and many in the country from great thoroughfares and villages of the surrounding country and boys from the metropolis. Broadway from the City Hall Park to the Battery, all the public buildings and hundreds of private residences were out with American and French colors.

Accordingly as Soldrck the law presented a beautiful scene, studded as it was with the white-sailed steamboats which with their custom boats, loaded to the guards, wending their way to Gravesend bay from a point the great Bartholdi statue was erected and other craft encamped in the harbor up to the city at about 11 o'clock. All the shipping in the harbor, and the ferry boats also, were literally covered with the flags of France and the United States.

Gen. Sloane completed all the details connected with the naval part of the programme. The fleet was to be under his command near noon. At this point, after a general salute from the fleet, Mr. Bartholdi and Col. Williams, on board the Despatch, were to transfer their respective cruiser in order to deliver the statue speeches, to distinguished and the other was passed on to the Baltery, where they were received by the flags of France and the United States.

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The parade in the city in honor of the arrival of the statue was an imposing affair. The column started from the Battery in the order of 12 and 1 o'clock in the following order:

First—Mounted police.

Second—Gen. Fitzgerald and staff, the commanding officer and the officers of the 8th, 9th regiment, Col. Duane, Lieutenant-Colonel Fiorella Lafayette and the Grenadiers de Rochambeau; Mayor Grace and members of the municipal government in carriages.

Seventh—French societies.

Eighth—Detachment of police.

The march was up Broadway to the city hall, in front of which the line of march was halted by a letter in the city hall, the guild having an opportunity of seeing and talking hands with the French naval officers.

Previous to this period the programme, however, the mayor delivered an address of welcome to the French guests, which was responded to in a felicitous manner by Admiral Jauréguiberry, which was handsomely received with much sound banting and the strains of Hail to America's Anthem. At the close of the reception of the big fleet of noble looking ing to the American and other ships, exchange of courtesies steam-tugs and a squadron of swift yachts.

A rain was barely averted at the Produce Exchange. The Sixty-ninth regiment was escorted to the Produce Exchange, where on the small street in front of its floor, looking. On the balcony stood the members of the exchange viewing the scene. Below in the street were the soldiers with their bayonets fixed and muskets, just before, of the 69 being drawn up in front of their cages, and the 69 stood with their muskets at their feet for a time, when rose and three cheers were given for the 69th and one for the regiment, which was handsomely received with much cheering and waving of handkerchiefs and the troops also threw shouts of applause.

Gen. Mortimer, of Company F, called the attention of Maj. Duffy to the fact that all the officers and men of his command were in full dress uniform, and that the officers and soldiers, and Maj. Duffy said that if the guests did not immediately come he would not be responsible for the conduct of his men. After the exercises of the reception a number of officers marched to the building while the others stood the ballyhoo. All who have read Samuel Butler's lofty lay, were scattered in number of persons who made it their business to annoy the Holy both religious, for the sake of the fun and also as the best of the profession as well as the street the mind surged off the sidewalks, and in imitation of respectable citizens are said to have been clubbed.

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GEN. GRANT MORE CHEERFUL.

He Receives Several Visitors—Writing Notes to Them.

MOUNT MCGREGOR, N. Y., June 20.—Last night and again this morning Dr. Newman conducted a service of prayer at the Grant cottage, the entire family gathering about the general during the devotional exercises. Mrs. Grant's request of conveyance were listened to with deep attention by all. Buoyed up by the assuring and affectionate words of the clergyman, the invalid, especially the general, prized his visit to the fullest extent. Dr. Newman says that to-day Grant freely conversed with him, and on Wednesday evening he writes as follows:

"I am exceedingly pleased with this delightful mountain air. The change is great, but not sensational as yet, but I do not think that it is so.

Dr. Newman, in conversing with Gen. Grant on the 24th, he replied: "Oh, sometimes I feel very lonely saying that great men did not die on the tops of mountains. Moses received the laws on a mountain; Elisha was translated on a mountain; Christ was transfigured on a mountain and Christ was translated on the top of a mountain. Dr. Newman spoke about the coming Sabbath, and the general said that he desired to be carried into the presence of an invalid.

The mother-in-room on the main floor of the cottage, 25 by 30 feet, the twelve feet square, has been converted into an office. On Col. Grant's desk lay a considerable pile of pounds of the generals manuscript, which is to be carried to the printer certainly as the general would pass through this room on the way to his own room, which is but 14 by the room adjoining. The latter included the portion of his time devoting additional matter for the memoirs, while the fact he has not said of his views for several days. Although the general has made a fair beginning on the general subject on paper today, and, as if foretold, the trump card to the Tories, the fact of lords has proposed action on the final stages of the redistribution bill. This included the Gladstone wants to retain the power to dissolve parliament at once if the Radicals prove troublesome, and to compel a new election on the old register. The Conservatives on the bill to allow the government to dissolve parliament on it. Nov. 3d, when the whole scheme of the extension of the franchise to the counties comes up for consideration.

The Radicals are furious at the presence of a dissolution and an election on the old lines excluding two millions of the new voters. The Tories are very hopeful.

The aristocracy resembles a game of bluff. Lord Salisbury's best card is his ability to negotiate at last, proposing the extension of franchise bill. Mr. Gladstone's best card is his ability to refuse supplies. Each side knows what these cards are, but neither is quite ready to play them. Both sides are much afraid to order up their opponent. The present moment is undoubtedly Lord Salisbury's best chance to compel a compromise. Next Tuesday the vote on the supply will be taken. Previous to the introduction of the budget, and on this occasion Lord Salisbury must move the amendment of the budget as a party measure. Lord Salisbury will not be compelled to do this, however, until on the occasion

CONVICTS' SIGNALS.

HOW PRISONERS IN SOLITARY CONFINEMENT COMMUNICATE.

The Secret of 'Sending the Mail' Through Water Pipes—Jack Canter's System of Communication Between Prisoners—Another Scheme.

[Philadelphia Times.]

During the past twenty years various means have been devised by which the convicts could communicate with each other and keep posted as to the movements of the criminal police and their enemies. The first and best known was that of "sending the mail." The convict who first introduced the scheme was put to solitary confinement, and was employed in the shoe factory. He had no means to send a communication to a "solitary" prisoner, confined in a cell in the same corridor. While at work he received a manufactures a square, waterproof, leather case in which he enclosed a message scratched on a thin strip of leather. He then secured a quantity of shoe thread and concealed the box and thread on his person. That night he carefully memorized the width of the cells and with the information he was able to call slate to an inch the distance to his fellow-convict's cell. He then attached his thread to the box containing the letter and threw it from the distance to his companion's cell, fastened the other end to a knob and deposited the box in the sewerage pipe running by a grate all of the cells. In the morning a stream of water is turned on in this pipe in order to flush it and this stream of water carried the box to the inside of the prison, where it was picked up under the trap in the convict's cell, for which it was designed. The message was read and then the box was put in the pipe, through which it traveled to the sewer and thence into the Delaware.

The communication contained a well-secured bundle of thread, so that no one suspected, but frustrated. The secret of "sending the mail" leaked out, however, and after that and up to the present day many quick messages have traveled down the sewage pipes of the eastern and other penitentiaries and plans of some successful and many unsuccessful schemes to escape have been communicated from cell to cell in this way.

JACK CANTER'S SYSTEM.

The credit of the invention of the most perfect system of communication between prisoners confined in one institution belongs to Jack Canter, an ex-burglar, who has since been pardoned by the United States if not in the world. He came from South Carolina and was educated in Paris as a psychiatrist. He afterward learned the art of engraving and then turned out as a professional counterfeiter. He has since reformed, and is now earning an honest living under a different name in New York city.

While undergoing a sentence in the eastern penitentiary he invented a system of telegraphy quite as ambitious and similar to that invented by Morse. He found means of teaching the alphabet to some of his fellow-convict, and in the course of a few months it was known to almost every convict undergoing a long sentence. Those who were released taught the system to criminal then on the outside of the walls, and in course of time the upper strata of the criminal fraternity became expert telegraphers. The wire of this novel line capable of conveying the news and talk of which was the exterior cell in the vast inclosure. They were excellent conductors of sound, and by means of sharp raps on the pipes with a piece of nickel or iron knife handle an operator could quickly send a message to a fellow-prisoner who stood near the middle of the wire. He was in communication with a man in another corridor his message passed along from one cell or "relay station" to another, until it reached its destination. The convict to call made his call and then his "call," the same as operators along any telegraph line.

THE SECRET DISCLOSED.

The system was adopted by the inventor of the prison inspector and the convicts now find it difficult to send any important message, as a prison officials now understand the alphabet as well as the operators time system. They are still alive, however, to keep each other posted on the movements of noted criminals and the general criminal topics of the day. When a prisoner is discharged or a new convict brought in the fact is immediately telegraphed around. A new arrival, if he is in the secret, "wires" his news of the outside world to the prisoners on the inside, and when a man is discharged he generally has with him a large number of "telegraphic" messages to outside friends of the convict.

ANOTHER INGENIOUS SCHEME.

Another ingenious system of communication employed by the convicts was recently discovered in a penitentiary in a neighboring state. Two men, sentenced together to solitary confinement, were placed in adjoining cells. One of them, by patient labor and the aid of a piece of wire, picked the plaster out between the shoes in the wall between the cells. During the day he replaced the mortar with crumbs of bread. In the course of a few weeks he bored a hole through to the adjoining cell, and every night held a conversation with his partner in crime. The latter in turn bored a hole through the next partition wall, and in the course of nine all of the prisoners on that corridor were in communication with each other, and a plan of escape was hatched out, but fru trated just before it was to be put in execution.

A Dry Year for England.

[Chicago Journal.]

Mr. J. Bailey Denton has predicted that the year 1885 will be remarkable for a sort of water dearth in the east and south of England. He shows that the rainfall in 1884 was not more than two-thirds that of the average, while the proportion of rain evaporated was unusually great, and he therefore maintains that this year there must be a lowering of the subterranean water supply, and a reduction of the yield of the springs which supply the rivers, entailing an increase of the evils of the pollution of the streams.

Need of Advertising.

[Exchange.]

The French papers attribute a mot to Lamartine (or, which is more likely, to some other person), but he denies all responsibility. Some one asked the poet whether he was not spending too much money in advertising his publications. "Sir," he is reported to have answered, "advertisements are absolutely necessary. Even Orin worship (in the original "le bon Dieu") needs advertising. Otherwise what is the meaning of church bells?"

Roller Mills in France.

The largest flouring mill in France has recently adopted rollers, a fact which has not a little disconcerted the stone-mill advocates, of whom in France there are not a few.

No Index.

[The Judge.]

He'd writing is no index to character. We a bit notes written in every style, and the ill ers are all bad ones.

THE JUDGE'S CATNIP.

WHAT WAS DONE FOR AN AILING BABY IN DENVER.

Unlooked-for Interest Taken in a Catnip Garden—A "Motley Mass" in the Front Yard—An Astounding Spectacle—Catastrophe.

[Eugene Field in Chicago News.]

The Hon. Charles H. Toll, of Denver, has had an exciting experience. Four years ago he was attorney general of Colorado, and it was near the close of his administration—which, by the way, was characterized by singular probity and ability—that a son was born to him. One day the nurse came to Judge Toll and said: "The baby has been ailing for a week; we ought to do something for him." Judge Toll turned his hand down into his pocket and pulled out a $50 bill. "Get him what he needs, and if that isn't enough I'll give you a check for my whole bank account." The nurse shook her head. "What he needs," said she, "is a simple remedy, and I know. Now I was brought up down east, and I was taught the efficacy of catnip tea. I know of no better stimulant for an ailing babe." "Well, buy a ton of catnip," said Judge Toll. "No," replied the nurse, "it can't be bought here in Colorado—you'll have to send east for it." So Judge Toll forthwith telegraphed to his relatives in Connecticut to send a ton of catnip at once. In about a week four dozen bushels of catnip hay were arriving at the residence and Judge Toll and the baby's nurse were duly installed. "Well, now, what's to be done with all this?" asked Judge Toll. "Why, plant it in the front yard, to be sure," said the nurse. "I'll have a nice bed of tea catnip on each side of the walk." And so it was that Mr. Gladstone's favorite herb was planted in rows in the front yard of the Toll mansion on Welton street.

In a few days the catnip began to push up through the ground and attract universal attention. Mrs. Commissioner Arapahoe Curtis Beth Cooley came down from her place and capital hill and leaned over the garden fence and admired the catnip immensely, and said: "Well, now, Bill Ingoldsby of the Denver Tribune has got a new idea. That man is full of ideas, and he'll have one of them in his paper before long." Mrs. Governor Routt, Mrs. Fitzsimmons, Mrs. Governor Adams, Mrs. Governor Eaton, Mrs. Governor Grant, Mrs. Governor Pitkin, Mrs. Governor Evans, Mrs. Governor Elbert, Mrs. Governor Hunt, Mrs. Governor Cooper, Mrs. Governor Gilpin, Mrs. Governor Steele, Mrs. Governor Hall, Mrs. Governor Gunnison, Mrs. Governor Hamilton, Mrs. Governor Arapahoe, Mrs. Governor Cherry Creek, Mrs. Governor Platte, Mrs. Governor Larimer, Mrs. Governor Auraria, Mrs. Governor Denver, Mrs. Governor Colorado, Mrs. Governor Jefferson, Mrs. Governor Boulder, Mrs. Governor Golden, Mrs. Governor Central City, Mrs. Governor Georgetown, Mrs. Governor Idaho Springs, Mrs. Governor Leadville, Mrs. Governor Gunnison, Mrs. Governor Lake City, Mrs. Governor Del Norte, Mrs. Governor Conejos, Mrs. Governor Pueblo, Mrs. Governor Trinidad, Mrs. Governor Las Animas, Mrs. Governor Lamar, Mrs. Governor Granada, Mrs. Governor Fort Lyon, Mrs. Governor Kit Carson, Mrs. Governor Cheyenne Wells, Mrs. Governor Kansas, Mrs. Governor Colorado, Mrs. Governor Arizona, Mrs. Governor Utah, Mrs. Governor Nevada, Mrs. Governor California, Mrs. Governor Oregon, Mrs. Governor Washington, Mrs. Governor Dakota, Mrs. Governor Montana, Mrs. Governor Wyoming, Mrs. Governor New Mexico, Mrs. Governor Indian Territory, Mrs. Governor Oklahoma, Mrs. Governor Alaska, Mrs. Governor Hawaii, Mrs. Governor Japan, Mrs. Governor China, Mrs. Governor Africa, Mrs. Governor Europe, Mrs. Governor Asia, Mrs. Governor Australia, Mrs. Governor North America, Mrs. Governor South America, Mrs. Governor the World, and Mrs. Governor the Universe called and admired the catnip.

Finally the catnip began to put forth its blossoms, and then and there all other catnip fairies bowed down before the catnip fairies of Judge Toll's catnip garden, and the catnip fairies of Judge Toll's catnip garden, and the catnip fairies of Judge Toll's catnip garden, and

THE ALMANAC COAT.

HOFFENSTEIN'S BIG SURPRISE IN READY-MADE CLOTHING.

A Wonderful Garment That Will Foretell the Weather and Keep Away the Chotera—Expressly for Gentlemen of Horal Proclivities.

[New Orleans Times-Democrat.]

"Herman," said Hoffenstein as he entered the store and hung his hat on a nail, "I haf about had a big vacations, you know."

"How was dat, Mi der Hoffoistein?" inquired Herman, noticing that the old man was in good humor.

"Vell, you see, I goes up mit de exposition die morning und vat you think, I meets Jake Lowenstung and Solomon Myers, vat vas old frents of mine in Vicksburg twenty five years ago. Lowenburg vas at de exhibition as von of dose Turks, und vas selling beads und odder beautiful dings, und Myers told me dat he vas here as an Egyptian, und vas making plenty of money. Vell, ven I see dose fellows it take my breath right away, because I dinks dey vas dead. Myers brother Jake vas courting my vife Lean at de same time I vas, und he vas great freats. Myers tells me dat Jake failed in pisness at Leslie Rick a short vile ago und vas doing vell, because he fail on you ade at his store und runs de oder."

Hoffenstein smiled pleasantly at the idea, and walked to the door and looked down the street, and as he did so a customer came in.

"Vat can I do for you my frent?" he inquired.

"I want to get a good coat, but one that is cheap. I'm a farmer, and go in for comfort more than I do for style."

"You vos right at out dot, my frent, and I dinks dot I can fit you mit a good article at an easy brice. Now, here vos a coat for $8, vich I ade a big drive in dot vay vonce, and he pulled a coat out of a pile of rather tough-looking clothing.

The customer commenced to examine it, but suddenly lifted his nose and exclaimed: "Whew! by jingo! there is a last year's smell about this coat that is not pleasant. What have you been doing with it?"

"I knew you vos going to say dot," said Hoffenstein in a nonchalant way, "all of my customers say dot de very first ad de coat, because dey don't know dot it vos out of dose almanac, disinfecting coats vich haf shust been put on de market not more as dree months ago. De coat vot you haf in your hand vas soaked in de vool factory vere it vas made mit a breparation expressly for de purpose of keeping de cholera away, und in dat vay de brueler vot lifs in Europe writes me last vask dot de Prussian gov ernment vont let de people vear any oder kind, so dot if de cholera comes along dey will keep hefty, you know. Herman, look in my desk und get my bruler like's letters vich ye shows de gentleman. No, never mind, I forgot dot I vas dot letter mit my vife dis morning. My frent, dot coat vos better for de cholera den all de doctors und de medicine in de vorld, und de smell of de breparation goes right away vhen you goes out mit de air. Put on de coat, my frent, und ve sees how it fits, you know."

The customer did as, and surveyed first one side of himself and then the other by the aid of the dingy mirror in the rear of the store.

"Why do you call it an almanac coat?" asked the customer, who was rather pleased with the cut of the coat.

"Because it vos made expressly for gentlemen vot lifs on a farm, und it vill tell you how de vedah vill be, und vot to do to save your crops. You vos de changes in de vedder haf de same effect on dot coat as dey haf on so much quicksilver, und you vos de smallest person in de vorld vot can tell de vedder vill be like und can act accordingly. You take my advice und buy dot coat, und you vill find dat you makes better crops den you ever vos you lifs."

The customer appeared to be satisfied, and after purchasing the coat and leaving the store, Hoffenstein said: "Herman, I vas shust thinking do oder dat I vould gif dot old job lot avay to some orphan asylum, because it is now a back of six times as var, und it smells de whole store up. I dink ve better keep it a vile longer, und vork it off mit de almanac vebsites," and again he walked to the door in the hope that another customer would come in.

A Mystified Suitor.

[Drake's Traveler's Magazine.]

A young man who was courting a girl who had a twin sister was terribly imposed upon. She went out of town three weeks and employed her sister as a substitute in the sitting-up-at-night business during her absence. The young man called five times a week, as usual, and didn't leave until after midnight, without detecting the imposition. When he learned of the trick that had been played upon him he got mad and broke off the engagement. The twins looked as much alike as two capital P's, and he said that he might be fooled into marrying the one that he didn't love. It was certainly a narrow escape, though, come to think about it we can't see what difference it would have made as long as ignorance was bliss and the twins didn't object. Having young lady twins in the house is rather a neat arrangement. When a young man is so infatuated that he calls seven nights a week they can take turns sitting up with him, and then look fresh and pretty the next day, other evening alternately, anyway. No sensible young man should object to such an admirable health-preserving scheme, either.

Restored with Vigor.

[Merchant Traveler.]

"Haw, haw," laughed Clarence Chaudgeon, going into the Quaker City hotel, the other evening. "I've had such an experience on the street, don't you know."

"Ah, indeed," inquired Capt. Johnson, lazily; "what was it?"

"Why, my dear fellow, just as I was coming in, I stoode or five ladies suwounded me and shouted 'Dood,' 'Dood,' in a real thwoatening mannah, don't you know."

"Did you knock any of them down?"

"Oh, no."

"You didn't? Well, what did you do?"

"Why, my dear fellow, I was up the steps head wapidly, and when I reached the top, I shook my umbrella at them, an' ejaculated 'Wats,' and slammed the door in theiah faces with great vigah."

A Mosque in London.

Mohammedan citizens of London are making arrangements to build a mo que in that city. It will be the first and only edifice of the kind in Europe outside of the Sultan's dominions.

Mexico's Advance.

Mexico is making rapid advances in industrial pursuits. She has eighty-seven mills which run 347,000 spindles, and 6,702 power looms.

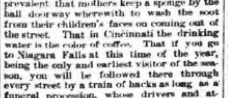
A Few Things Not Found Abroad.

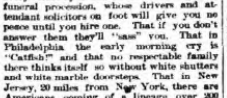
[Prentice Mulford.]

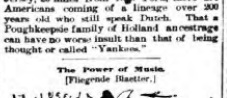
There are lots of little things that I know about nearly parts of my own land which may be unknown to many of my countrymen and country women visiting Europe. I know, for instance, that in California potatoes and eggs are sold by weight. That in San Francisco a "long bit" means 15 cents, and a "short bit" 10 cents. That in the same city the sand drifts over the lamp posts. That in Nantucket they shut up their shops and go home to dinner at 1 P. M., many not returning till 3. That in Illinois a "fellah" can take his girl out riding, and he and she may be gone from home two or three days without a fuss being kicked up over it, so long as there are other girls and young men in company with them. That in Richmond, Va., the squirrels in the public parks are so tame they will come and steal nearly out of your pocket. That the quickest way to "die" a Chicago man is to speak a word in commendation of St. Louis, and, vice versa, to speak of St. Louis man is syllable in favor of Chicago is to rile him. That in Washington you eat your oysters "steamed," and at the restaurant call for a "cock" so prepared. That the neatest and dirtiest street cars are found in New York, and the cleanest in Boston. That in Pittsburg coal smoke clouds the sun and is so prevalent that mothers keep a sponge by the hall door way wherewith to wash the soot from their children's faces on coming out of the street. That in Cincinnati the drinking water is the color of coffee. That if you go to Niagara Falls at this time of the year, being the only and earliest visitor of the season, you will be followed there through every street by a train of hacks as long as a funeral procession, whose drivers and attendant solicitors on foot will give you no peace until you leave one. That if you don't answer them they'll "pass" you. That in Philadelphia the early morning cry is "Catfish!" and that no respectable family there thinks itself so without white shutters and white marble doorsteps. That in New Jersey, 20 miles from New York, there are American women living on a lineage over 200 years old who still speak Dutch. That a Poughkeepsie family of Holland ancestrage can have no worse insult than that of being thought or called "Yankees."

The Power of Music.

[Fliegende Blatter.]







A STORY WITHOUT WORDS.

How to Get Newspaper Work.

We have many applicants for work upon the daily press, visitors to The Journalist inquiring on what particular daily paper they may procure employment. We might say, generally, that newspapers rarely or "hardly ever" need help of any kind. A reporter may visit every newspaper office in the city and send in a card to the editor, and that every office is "full," and that there is no chance of obtaining a situation. We will suppose, however, that any fellow of decent appearance, with tact and some ability, can select the paper he desires to work upon, and make a living by writing for it. It matters not who you are or where you came from, if you have a piece of news or a good story fairly well written, it will be accepted by any daily paper in this city. It is always folly to seek for news in the courts or any of the city departments, because these are so thoroughly covered that outsiders have no chance. A man with brains, and the daily papers before him, can generally map out a job for himself that will be profitable. Excuse me, however, when I say that the average city editor will be likely to cover. If some original idea comes to you, and one which you believe will not occur to the editor, follow it out. You may by accident discover an important feature of news, and your fortune will be made. Give particular attention to the style of the paper and the hobby horses of the editor. Every paper has a weakness. The editor, for instance, may own a lot of gas stock. If you know this, anything pitching into the electric light would be particularly desirable. Never attempt to be funny. There is but one humorous man permitted on a daily paper, and any attempt at original humor on the part of a stranger is regarded as an impertinence. Let what you write be in the humdrum style, for editors dislike aspiring genius, and they sit down heavily upon it. If you happen to know that the city editor of the paper has written anything himself, tell him it was one of the best things you have ever seen in the paper, and then ask him who wrote it. Statistics are often good things to furnish. They are hard to cut down, and the editor rarely knows anything in regard to them. Persevere e is indispensable to success. When an editor finds he cannot get rid of a man, he will often employ him.

To Ward Off the Cholera.

[Good Cheer.]

"I wouldn't worry about the cholera, dear," said a wife to her husband; "it isn't at all likely that it will reach this country."

"I don't know about that," he replied, nervously. "I took out an insurance on my moment, and we might have a frightful time. I—I think I had better pay the back pew rent, any way."

Philadelphia Times: If Tennyson can write such a frightfully poor poem on the English navy, it is heartsickening to think what the result would have been had he written about the United States Navy.

Lowell Citizen: "Why doesn't hen cackle?" asked an inquisitive exchange. We have never read up on the subject, but always supposed the sex of the bird might account for it.

New Regulations for the Lime Kiln Club.

[Detroit Free Press.]

Brother Gardner announced that the following rules and regulations would be in force from May 1:

"No member allowed to remove his boots or shoes during a session on account of chilblains.

"Any member removing a book from the library without giving his name will be fined not less than $5,000, nor more than $7,000, according to the value of the work.

"Members will not be permitted to discuss politics or religion in the hall, but may freely talk horse and lay the foundation for dog-fights.

"The presiding officer is to be addressed as 'mister president,' and not as 'speaker' or 'chairman,' his rank being the same as the president of the state senate.

"A fraternal feeling is expected to prevail between members, but any member lending another money must take his chances on repayment. In case of a horse trade they are to forget that the time being that they ever saw each other before or will ever meet again.

"All dogs are to be left in charge of the outer guard, who will not be held financially responsible for any accidents.

"The members wearing clean shirts and having oil on their hair will take the first row of benches.

"No member will be excused from serving on a committee unless he can prove that insanity has always run in the family.

"In case the roof of Paradise hall fails in each member will have license to get out as speedily as possible, but in case of a fire it is expected that the officers will take precedence in getting down stairs.

"All razors left in the hall after a meeting will be carefully laid away by the janitor, and once in three months there shall be a public sale, the proceeds of which shall go towards the founding of a home for superannuated colored scientists.

The Dude Not Dangerous.

[Merchant Traveler.]

A "dood, strayed or stolen" dude was arrested in Texas, with a parlor pistol in his pocket, and taken before the judge, a broad-shouldered, bluff sort of a man, who had roughed it on the plains before coming to the bench.

"What's the row?" inquired the court, glowering on the prisoner, who shivered like a man kissing the fire on a winter morning, and looked like he wanted to crawl under the table.

"May it please the court," replied the arresting officer, "the prisoner was carrying this pistol" (holding up the weapon).

"Well, what of that?" changing front from prisoner to officer.

"Your Honor, the law says that a man who carries a deadly weapon shall be fined or imprisoned."

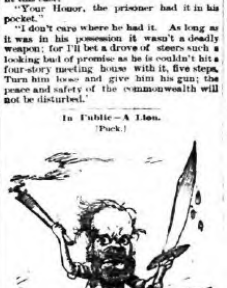
"Mayn't does. It's none of my business to doubt your statement, but the law don't fit this case."

"Your Honor, the prisoner had it in his pocket."

"I don't care where he had it. As long as it was in his possession it wasn't a deadly weapon; for I'll bet a drove of steers such a looking bud of promise as he is couldn't hit a four-story meeting house with it, five steps. Turn him loose and give him his gun; the peace and safety of the commonwealth will not be disturbed."

In Public—A Lion.

[Puck.]



THE ANARCHIST AT THE CLUB. At Home—A Lamb.

THE CLUB AT THE ANARCHIST.

How Not to Pop the Question.

[Chicago Ledger.]

"And so she wouldn't have you?"

"She wouldn't say."

"How'd that come?"

"Well, I sat down alongside of her and took her by the hand, as I heaved a sigh too deep to sound."

"How was that?"

"It didn't make noise enough. You see, I slow'd my sighing in'ardly, an' breathe through my nose to hide my breath."

"Well, what then?"

"I felt her hand flutter in mine, an' I could hear her heart thumpin' like a Waterbury watch. I thought that meant 'say the word an' I'm yourn,' an' so I sa'd it, but I got left."

"You don't tell me. How'd it happen?"

"Well, she fired up like a hornet, an' said she wouldn't never marry no man what popped the question as though he was referrin' to sp'ils fish."

"Well, that beats all. How in the world did you do it?"

"Well, I orter give her hand a little squeeze, to show her I was cheerful, an' then I says, quite glib like, says I—'Mirandy, can you stomach me?'"

Another Old Spring Item Reports for Service.

[Lancaster Examiner.]

About this time every year the oldest man in the country goes out, takes hold of the plow and breaks up more ground in an hour than three others can in a whole day. This story never misses, though it sometimes does not get along before May.

The Journalist and His Wife.

[Merchant Traveler.]

"Got anything in your purse?" asked Mr. Ball of his wife, as they sat down in the street car. "Yes, dear; lining," she replied, sweetly, and Mr. Ball said the fare.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Steles' grocery store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	7	6 a. m.	75
9 a. m.	78	9 a. m.	82
12 m	84	12 m.	91
3 p.m.		p.m.	90

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise.....4.28 a.m.	Sunrise.....4.28 a.m.
Sun Sets.....7.30 p.m.	Sun Sets.....7.30 p.m.
Moon Rises 10.40 p.m.	Moon Rises.... p.m.

Chronological Events.

Obelisk raised in New York 1881.—Napoleon abdicated 1815.

Signal Office Prediction.

Local rains followed by slightly cooler weather, with cool wave on Tuesday.

For Tuesday—Cooler, clearing weather is indicated for New England and Middle Atlantic States with a cool wave causing a fall in temperature of about twenty degrees.

JOTTINGS.

—The young people's prayer meeting of the Trinity Reformed Church will be held this evening.

—James McGee, of North Plainfield, petitioned at the Evens Union Chapel yesterday afternoon.

—The sidewalk on Liberty street between Fourth and Fifth streets is in a dangerous condition, and needs repairing.

—John Vail was arrested on Saturday afternoon by Officer Lynch for being drunk. Judge Ulrich fined him five dollars.

—Next Sunday communion services will be held in the Trinity Reform Church. Preparatory service will be held on Friday evening.

—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company announce that they will forward, free of charge, by baggage express, flowers for the New York Flower Mission at any time during the season.

—Mitigating circumstances having been shown in the case of Lawrence Paoli, accused of violating the city ordinance respecting the selling of merchandise on Sunday, Judge Ulrich this morning fined him $7.50.

—On Friday afternoon the last meeting for the season of the Junior Society of the Boys' Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected, and refreshments will be served by the ladies.

—The Wilson stone crusher in the Notch is now provided with both water and steam power for crushing stone in such qualities and quantities as may be needed hereafter. We understand that the Spottiswoods and O'Rourks place is to shut down.

—Amos Andrews will lead the young men's meeting in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association this evening. The subject of the meeting will be the "Forgiveness of God. After the Fourth of July the meeting night will be changed from Monday to Saturday.

—A change in the time table of the Philadelphia and Reading Road went into effect yesterday. The principal change is that of the 8.05 a. m. train from New York which now leaves at 8.15, arriving at Plainfield 9.39. The other changes are those on the Newark connections. The time table in our columns is altered to suit.

—Some time ago we referred to the danger to horses crossing the track at New Market having their feet caught in the spaces between the track and the board sidings. A resident from that vicinity informs us that since then the track and planking have been leveled and brought closer together to avoid danger in future, a precaution which may possibly save the Lehigh Valley road thousands of dollars in damages.

—During a few weeks past Treasurer Langstaff of Rahway has arranged the exchange of over $250,000 of the old city bonds, judgments and interest, for the new adjustment bonds. The old bonds have been coming in rapidly for exchange and the Treasurer has not had time to compute the total amount exchanged but thinks it will exceed $600,000—leaving but comparatively few out except those held to pay assessments.

—Skunks seem to abound in the neighborhood of Campbell's Club House, and for a long time many of them have domiciled themselves underneath the barn. About a week ago the attention of Harry Campbell was attracted by their cries, and in making search found a whole family of six young ones, cosily ensconced in their nest, which he took possession of. Two days previous he shot an old skunk which had just come from beneath the barn, and it is supposed she was the mother. Mr. Campbell thought six of the odoriferous animals too many for comfort, and so totally dispatched one to keep it company.

—Officer Simpson left here, on Monday, one to Metuchen, two to Plainfield, and two for Newark, for the gratification of all who visit him.

THE FRIENDS' MEETING.

Remarks by Two Octogenarian Women.

How many of the people of Plainfield outside the sect, have ever entered the quaint little meeting house on Peace street, which quietly reposed, amid the din of out-going and in-coming trains, in all its pristine simplicity.

One insensibly feels something of the quaker calm and quiet stealing over her, when she had entered the gate, where diverging paths lead to the women's and men's entrances, between which is placed in plain figures, the date of the erection of the building, 1788. The interior is furnished with benches, the wood of which, is worn smooth and shining, while the heavy oaken beams and posts, have grown rich and dark, in the years that they have been there. The doors all have the most primitive fastenings, the iron escutcheons reaching from the hinges nearly across them.

Yesterday we arrived at the meeting-house just before the close of the Sunday School, in time to hear the scholars recite a short verse of Scripture, and repeat together the hymn "Nearer my God to Thee." Several of the women occupied the raised seat which faced the congregation, and after some moments of silence and meditation, Miss Rebecca Taylor, of Baltimore, arose and addressed the meeting. This sweet little lady, bearing lightly her eighty years, spoke in a clear soft voice, which reached us like a benediction. "I feel that I have a few words to offer, my friends," she said "with which to-day I may not sit or stand in each other's way. There is a divine fountain, from which flows streams of love and truth." She spoke of the brotherly kindness that springs from the fountain, which she interpreted to mean spiritually, God's love. Charity also flows from this source; "charity which suffers long and is kind." She implored her dear friends to be faithful in small things, to be faithful in the petty things which make up our daily existence, and put behind us and forget, as she had endeavored to do in her experience, things which we cannot control, pressing ever onward with faith and love and earnestness of purpose.

Miss Ann Packer, a lady also over eighty years old, spoke of truth; of truth which we should never dread. We all have reflective minds, and have learned many truths through much suffering. She would plead with every one to come to the all-wise God, and make of himself a fitting tabernacle for the power of truth to dwell in. Man is the only thing that has not fulfilled its mission, and what would one mourn the loss of more than his understanding. While we may "render to Cæsar the things which are Cæsar's," we must also render, a mind clean and pure, to God. There is a beginning and also a continuation of all good works, and how can we halt, for without example all precepts are worthless. Then walk in truth, for to learn we must travel the way. The meeting over, the friends tarried to converse one with another, the friendly salutation "How is dear?" passing to and fro, accompanied by smiles on many sweet old faces framed in by quiet drab bonnets.

MARGERY CHANNING.

Races at the Fair Grounds.

The new stockholders and friends of the Fair Grounds, commonly known as the Union county Agricultural and Horticultural Society, meet every Saturday afternoon to have sport among themselves. Last Saturday afternoon there was a large attendance.

The first race was between Mr. Noble's gray mare, of Metuchen, and Mr. Waring's Ledger Boy, of North Plainfield, to road wagon. They trotted two heats, which resulted in an easy victory for the gray. Time 2.49, 2.46.

The next brush of a mile was between Mr. Zimmerman's Charlotte Cushman, of North Plainfield, and Mr. Baldwin's black horse Knight, of Plainfield avenue. Charlotte Cushman won. Time 2.52 1-2.

The next mile was between Mr. Baldwin's Knight and Mr. Quinn's bay horse. Knight won. Time 2.52 1-2.

Not Plainfield this Time.

The New York Sun stated yesterday in a Washington despatch that Matthew Vandeveer, County Clerk of Union County, and a resident of Plainfield, had been appointed internal revenue collector for this district which Plainfield usually takes in about all the good things going she is not by any means greedy, and seeing that she had not entered a candidate for this particular race we do not see but that the honor should go where it belongs. In other words Mr. Vandeveer is the well known clerk of Somerset County and resides at Somerville. "Cal" Barcalow, also a resident of Somerville, is the retiring collector.

Boys' Branch Ball Nines.

The Senior Society of the Boys' Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association have organized two base ball nines from among their members. The first nine and substitutes are as follows: Frank Manchester, Frank Newman, Bert Sutphen, Theddeus Doane, Walter Thorne, Wm. Drayton, Louis Gilbert, Peter Vanderveer, William Sherborn and Fred Vanderveer. The second nine comprise the following: John Polak, William Rockwell, Edward Furrins, L. Connett, Charles Stover, Frank Plaig, Harry Coward, John Erickson and Charles Hunter.

The Reform Club Meeting.

The attendance at the Reform Club meeting last evening was somewhat larger than usual. The meeting was addressed by the the Rev. Dr. Ketcham, John H. Cuthbert, William S. Holmes, who had signed the pledge in the afternoon, and Capt. Osborn. President Brunt's support for pledge signers at the close, secured one signer.

Governor Abbett has appointed Enoch H. Jones of Watertown, law judge of Ocean county, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Dudley.

A WOMAN BRUTALLY ASSAULTED.

Particulars of the Outrage Committed in Somerset County.

The outrage committed on Friday on the mountain about six miles west of Plainfield, of which mention was made in Saturday's issue of THE NEWS, has aroused intense excitement in the neighborhood. The victim was Mrs. Mary Jackson and the assailant a negro, who gives his name as John Williams. About a month ago Mrs. Jackson, who is a widow about fifty years old, came out from New York and rented a house of Mr. McKinsey near Warrenville, where she anticipated keeping summer boarders from New York. She expected them about July 1. Friday at noon a negro called at her house for something to eat which was given him. He went away and the widow went to the door, going up stairs to do some sewing. In a few minutes she heard a knock at the door and thinking that a neighbor who had promised to spend the afternoon with her had come, went to admit her.

On opening the door she found the negro who asked for some salt. This was given him. Then he asked for a piece of twine. When Mrs. Jackson handed it to him he grasped her by the throat and pushed her back into the room. She screamed, but he told her if she did so again he would choke her to death. This silenced the frightened woman, who made no further outcry. The fiend, after accomplishing his purpose, left the house and ran into the adjoining woods. As soon as she was able Mrs. Jackson managed to walk to her nearest neighbor's a quarter of a mile from her home, and told what had happened. They at once aroused the inhabitants for miles around and armed with shotguns and pitchforks, they turned out and scoured the woods for the negro. He was caught about the middle of the afternoon two miles from where he committed the crime and was taken to his victim, who at once recognized him and said she could have picked him out of a thousand. He was then taken to the county jail at Somerville. Williams says that he is about thirty-five years old and lives in Newark, but will give no explanation as to why he was in this vicinity. Mrs. Jackson is still very weak from the maltreatment she received, but will no doubt recover.

Personal.

Judge Steele and family, of Natchez, Miss., are expected to arrive at Hotel Netherwood this week.

The Rev. A. V. V. Raymond continued his Sunday evening lectures on Samuel and Paul last evening. There was a large attendance.

Mrs. Charles W. Smith, who has been for some time past lying dangerously ill at her residence on East Front street, is slowly recovering.

Howard Gray is the new boss of the Grace Church choir. He takes Frank W. Runyon's place for the Summer, in the absence of that gentleman.

Judson Havilland, jr., of East Second street, received the degree of Bachelor of Science at the recent commencement of Swathmore College, Swathmore, Pa. He is now at home for the Summer.

Arthur P. Miller, who was admitted to the bar at the recent session of the Supreme Court, goes to Elmira tomorrow on a week's visit to his uncle, George Beckwith, who formerly resided at Evens.

Mr. W. S. Leat, of Third Place, who has been an active member of twenty-four years' standing in the Seventh Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., has gone with the regiment into camp for one week at Peekskill.

A letter has been received from one of the active women of the W. C. T. U., in this city, Mrs. F. H. Miller, of Peace street, who with her son, started a few weeks ago on a visit to friends in England. The letter says: "We have reached land in safety after a most delightful voyage. We had a few rainy days, but not one stormy one, or heavy sea. We passed twenty icebergs on our way across, and though the cold was severe, the sight was a most delightful one, and no inconvenience was experienced by any of the passengers. Please send The News to the enclosed address. I am anxious to have it, and miss the 'news' not a little." Mrs. Miller has been a regular subscriber to The News from the first number, and the paper has been sent regularly to her address in Europe since her departure. We do not understand why it has failed to reach her. Her host of friends hereabout will be glad to know that she is having a pleasant time. Her husband expects to join her later in the season, and after a short vacation to return with her.

—George H. Demens, of Somerset Street, while fixing the engine of his blacking wood factory about 8 o'clock yesterday morning, caught the two middle fingers of his left hand in the works, and had the flesh torn from the bone. Dr. T. H. Tomlinson was called, and sewed up the wound. He says that Mr. Demens may be able to use his hand in ten days.

Invitations are out for the reception to Class '85 of the High School. The reception is given by Classes '83 and '84, and will be held in the High School building on West Fifth street, after the commencement exercises at Stillman Music Hall on Thursday evening.

—The Plainfield Cornet Band expect to give their first open air concert next Friday evening, probably in the open square in front of the Crescent Avenue Church, if satisfactory arrangements can be made.

—The music which opened the festivities on Saturday evening at Hotel Netherwood, was a string band. It was followed by dancing, which was kept up until midnight, with great enjoyment to all.

—Madison Square Theatre Company in "The Russian Honeymoon" will be the next attraction at Music Hall. The date fixed is Tuesday, June 30.

The Salem Standard objects to the purpose of the Woodbury Railroad to run a train between Philadelphia and that city on Sunday.

THE MASONIC DEDICATION.

Arrangements for Palestine Commandery's Reception.

Palestine Commandery's reception next Wednesday evening upon the occasion of their asylum, is now the event that Trenton is looking forward to to. As it is not far off, the interest increases hourly, and who will be there and who will not, is what is engaging almost everybody's attention. Grand Jubilo have been made for the ladies and they will render the ball-room a scene of beauty which will surpass any ever witnessed in the city before. The following is a list of the commanderies to be present:

Columbia, No. 3, of Washington; St. John's, No. 4, Philadelphia; St. Alban's, No. 27, of Philadelphia; Hugh De Payns, No. 27, of Easton; Lancaster, No. 13, of Lancaster; Hugh De Payens, No. 1, of Jersey City; Helena, No. 3, of Burlington; Damascus, No. 3, of Newark; De Molay, No. 6, of Washington, N. J.; Cyrene, No. 7, of Camden; Godfrey de Lion, No. 8, of New Brunswick; St. John's, No. 9, of Elizabeth; Ivanhoe, No. 11, of Bordentown; Odo De St. Arnaud, No. 12, of Morristown; Melita, No. 3, of Paterson; St. Elmo, No. 14, of Lambertville, and Gerson, No. 15, of Asbury Park.

Each of these commanderies will bring a band of music. The visitors will be dined at Washington Hall. The dedication will take place at two o'clock. The train will stop at Plainfield at 10.30 o'clock. All wishing to attend can procure tickets of Post and Dallas, 14 East Front street, and at station.

The Four o'Clock Meeting.

The four o'clock meeting yesterday afternoon in Reform Hall was attended by a very large congregation, including many of Plainfield's best citizens and stanchest fellow workers. Lively Rescue Hymns as usual, and opened the exercises with the "Fatherhood of God" as the leading topic. It was enthusiastically taken up by Rev. Dr. Yerkes, Rev. Mr. Raymond, Rev. Mr. Cleaver, Rev. G. L. Roberts, of New York State, and Messrs. Cory, Andrews, Ryno and many others, including a number of ladies. The meeting was one of the best yet held, and a spirit of order and quiet solemnity seemed to impress all. Two middle-aged men requested prayer in their behalf, and as proof of their earnestness one fortnard. They testified of being greatly blessed under the influence of the meeting. No reference whatever was made to last Sunday's little "ripple," and from the public interest taken in the welfare of the meeting and the strict religious principles upon which it is conducted, under the present management, it will take a greater ripple than last Sunday's to affect the great good it is doing in our city.

Shooting Match.

The shooting match for $25 a side between Labius Ayres, of Oak Tree, and D. Crowell, of Metuchen, which took place at Campbell's Club House, yesterday afternoon, resulted in a victory for Ayres. The match drew a fair number of spectators and friends from each place, and together with Plainfield's local sportsmen, made quite a large attendance. The participants tied on 15 birds—each killing 14—On shooting off to the third three birds, Ayres killed two, to his opponents missing three. The score which is a poor one, is as follows:

Ayres...0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1—11
Crowell 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0—9

After the match there was a glass ball sweepstake, in which six participated. Warren Squires and Harry Campbell tied for first money, breaking four of five balls. On shooting off the tie, Campbell broke three straight to Squires two. Ayres second and W. Terry third moneys.

Borough Murmurs.

The anti-boroughites seems to be trying to twist the issue into a party question.

The opposition will probably support Fred M. Slater, the Democratic candidate for Councilman on the borough party ticket.

John H. Jackson, of the law firm of Jackson and Coddington has been spoken of by a number as the opposition candidate for mayor.

A. L. Perot, of the Constitutionalist, and David Wheeler are prominently mentioned by the opposition, as the anti- or anti-anti-borough, as the opposition party is called, for the position of Councilmen.

It Lasted Five Hours.

James Murray, Julia Wallace and Anna Wallace reside on the Plainfield side of the Terrell road. About opposite them, on the Fanwood side lives Edward C. Davenport. Yesterday the Plainfield side became hilariously loud in singing and fun directed from the towards Fanwood's representative. The wordy combat waxed warm, and according to accounts lasted five hours. The morning Davenport made a complaint before Justice Nash against his neighbors, and a warrant was issued for their arrest.

A Yachting Party.

A number of Plainfield young men intend taking a yachting trip in a few weeks. The party will consist of Lemuel Sewell, James H. Hallock, David Lester, Arthur Dayton, William Brush, Thomas Aldrich. They will start a few days after the Fourth of July from Barnegat, and will stay out a week or ten days. In the course of their cruise they will take in Atlantic City, Cape May and other well known resorts.

At the September term of the Atlantic County court Richard Wood and James Murphy were convicted and sentenced by Hon. Peter Vredenburgh to the penitentiary, home at Atlantic City, each receiving three years. The Supreme Court has since granted writs of error in the case, and Murphy was given an additional $1,000 upon another charge, and after he has served out the two years he will be discharged.

The Camden Board of Education has fixed the school tax at five mills on a dollar. They have also appropriated $16,000 for a high school building. Read the appropriation for the year at $107,250.

State Notes.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company intends lighting its cars with electricity.

The Atco Glass Manufacturing Company, employing fifty men, will close down shortly for repairs, and will resume operations September 1st.

Samuel E. Tompkins, proprietor of the Warwick Spring House, in the Tenth Ward, Newark, has begun suit against Dr. H. Herold, president of the Board of Health, for $20,000 damages, alleged to have been caused by the physician disparaging the quality of the water at a meeting of the Board of Health on Monday night.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, 50c. and 1.00, as at other times imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

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11 35	3 15	2 00	5 45
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GUILLOTINED.

[Last Words to Watch You Now!]

There is a boulevard in Paris on which stands a cafe not back somewhat from the regular line of houses. In front of the cafe is a smooth, paved court, with a step higher than the sidewalk. Overhead is a white canvas awning and a number of spidery, round-topped, spindle-legged, metal tables stand in the space in front of the cafe. Filled Englishmen not only because the coffee was exceedingly good, but because the tables were not in the sidewalk as is generally the case, and because the slight elevation gave one a sort of vantage ground from which, apart from the crowd passing and repassing, one could sit and watch the traffic. The broad avenue in front was paved with some kind of smooth cement, and the wheels of the omnibuses and yellow cabs passed easily over it in comparative silence. The metal chairs were not the most comfortable in the world, for an American or Englishman should be left back while he elevates his feet on something, and these were not chairs to stand that sort of transatlantic indignity. Two chairs accompanied each little round table. I had a table to myself there one summer evening and was contentedly smoking a Turkish cigarette when a tall, gaunt young man, with a soft brown hat, and dressed in a blue jean suit, told the white-aproned waiter, in a tone of unnecessary peremptoriness, to bring him absinthe. He had scarcely taken his hat off, placed his hand and forearm on the table top the ends of his fingers chattered against the resonant metal as if the man were shivering with cold, and he had not removed his hat. In an gait, in good round English, he withdrew his arm and clinched his hands together. When the waiter set the little cup of black coffee before him and placed beside it a thing like a crust glass filled with brandy, the man, after a moment's hesitation, poured it off at a jump and set the water for more. Thinks I to myself, young man, you're perhaps nearer to delirium tremens than you have any idea of." As if he had my thoughts he turned sharply to me and said in a quarrelsome voice: "Do you see anything peculiar about me?"

"Well," I said, "you appear to be just a little excited."

"I suffer incessantly, and nerves are going. I can't get my grip on life, and I'm clutching around trying to catch hold again."

"If you think drinking brandy like water will make you 'catch on' any quicker—"

"I don't know about that. It can't make me any worse, can it?" he asked.

He took off his slouch hat, and drew the back of his hand nervously across his brow. His hair had the most singular appearance. It had been recently cut and was about an inch long. It stood up as if the man were afraid to touch the combed portion! It was black while the other half was white. The white inner was black. It looked as if he had been using a white dye and had discontinued it. It also gave a queer effect to the face of the man having a tall, pointed-up white down and the hair a head dipped in white paint.

"Kind of remarkable, isn't it?" he asked, seeing I noticed his head. "You wouldn't have believed it if you hadn't seen it in black and white, would you?"

"Oh, you're all right," I said. "Any man who can make so bad a joke as that will get over any little nervousness he may have."

He put his hat on, and, replacing his hat, "Now, I'll tell you how it happened. I'm glad to find a countryman I can talk to over this matter. I left New York a year ago, Arabella bearing. Family ran short. Thought I would earn something with my pen to help out my trunk. Wrote some letters for New York papers. Never heard of them. Waste basket, I presume. So I wrote direct to a friend on The Daily Scavenger and asked if he wanted an account of the trial of Dr. Sairex, who killed that whole family."

"The fellow who was guillotined the other day?"

The man shivered as he said this and helped himself to the brandy again.

"Yes, the same man. My friend wrote to me that they didn't want the trial, but if they—of—several him I might write a thrilling letter on the working of the—the instrument—the infernal guillotine. Now I thought that as all executions are pretty much alike I would see the condemned cells and the locality of the affair and get some one to work the guillotine for me, so that I could write up the thing as well as if I saw the real business. This I could send away a couple of weeks in advance, and The Scavenger could use it as if it were a special dispatch all for the cost of half a franc or so postage. See?"

"Great scheme. Did it work?"

"I went to the chief of police day after day to get the necessary permit, but he put me off, told me that although there were many people in France who ought to be guillotined he didn't like to take the responsibility of executing anybody without having the proper authority for it. I think he was afraid I would see the condemned cells and the locality of the affair and get some one to work the guillotine for me, so that I could write up the thing as well as if I saw the real business. This I could send away a couple of weeks in advance, and The Scavenger could use it as if it were a special dispatch all for the cost of half a franc or so postage. See?

NEWSPAPER OFFICE ETIQUETTE.

A Few Simple Rules for the Guidance of Visitors.

[Texas Siftings.]

It frequently happens that visitors to newspaper offices do and say things which are perverse, and rude, and annoying. The editor does not mean to be rude, and has really not the slightest idea that he is making himself disagreeable, for the reason that he is not accustomed to newspaper etiquette. For this reason we wish to throw out a few hints that will enable the visitor to avoid unintentionally giving offense.

When you enter the printing office do not handle the type in the cases. If you wish to examine the type say so to the printer, and he will be glad to stop his work and supply the case out on the editor's table, where you

He will be glad to supply the case.

can sit in his chair and examine the type at your leisure. Never mind putting back the type, the printer can do that after you get through.

Don't read the proof sheets, clippings or manuscript. If you want to know what is going to appear in the next paper, or if the editor has read and aloud to you. He has plenty of time, and will be grateful to you for the chance to quit his work and entertain you. If you want to look over the copy book, make the editor go and get it for you.

Never ask for a sample copy, but take half a dozen.

Never spit tobacco juice on the floor; always spit on the exchanges or on the walls, otherwise the editor will think you are not accustomed to a newspaper office. Make the editor feel that his presence does not annoy you.

Never ask for any old exchanges. Just help yourself to the most recent ones, for they always contain much later news than those that have been opened.

Ask the editor, if you are a perfect stranger to him, to supply you with a duplicate key to his post office box, so you can get his papers regularly. If he is a gentleman he will furnish you with a duplicate key without your asking, but some editors are not gentlemen.

Sweet are the Uses of Advertisement.

[St. James Gazette.]

A gentleman who some years ago acted as manager for a distinguished actress who plays in four languages and is charming in all of them, has confessed to an interviewer that as the beginning of this lady's theatrical career she was poor and had not a single diamond in her possession. Every one knows that the majority of female actresses and singers have many diamonds; and it is therefore natural for a certain section of the public to conclude that the lady who has no diamonds is not a great actress. The lack of gems told heavily for a time against the success of the first American tour of this lady. One day at Montreal the manager saw in a shop window a dazzling paste necklace, the price of which was $35. He bought it and at once procured a handsome iron safe to keep it in. In Chicago, the next halting place, the safe was solemnly intrusted to the hotel clerk, together with the information that a combined fire and thief proof safe, in which had been presented to the great actress by the czar. The diamonds were soon the talk of the city. The papers had paragraphs about them; the people went to the theatre to see them; when they saw them they also saw the actress; and the lady did not neglect her opportunities. Such was the origin of her popularity.

The Wolf and the Lamb.

[Puck.]

A NEW ILLUSTRATION FOR THE OLD FABLE.

A Prayer With an Amendment.

[Boston Beacon.]

A good old deacon in Connecticut was very pious and very fond of clams. When once upon a time he attended a Rhode Island clambake he overtaxed his capacity and was sorely distressed. But his faith in prayer was unshaken. Leaving the party and kneeling down on his knees behind a tree he was heard to supplicate: "Forgive me, O Lord, this great sin of gluttony. Restore my health, and I will never eat any more clams. Then, after a judicious pause, "Very few, if any."

One That is Just Two-Two.

[Rearis Miller.]

All hail to the baby, who, though but a yearling,

Pulls down the hay scales to the notch 20,
The one who is worth as many pounds sterling
As there are stars studded in heaven's own blue,
As there are grasshoppers out in Nebraska,
Or fleas in Alaska,
Or hairs in a queue.

Response from the Corner.

[The Rambler.]

"What is it, my friends," cried the temperance lecturer, glaring ferociously around him; "what is it that passes men to descend the frightful brink, up happy homes and brings endless misery to all the human race! What is it?"

"Brakin' rock," responded the small boy in the corner.

A Coincidence.

A Nebraska man advertised in a St. Louis paper for a sweetheart, and before night the postmaster had sold 1,700 extra two-cent postage stamps.

Pittsburg Dispatch:

"Why is it that a barber will rub your head for an hour and not touch the one particular spot that hurts?"

A FACE HE COULD NEVER FORGET.

A Darky's Quickness and Tenderness Excite a Comedy Encounter.

[Detroit Dodd.]

"I nebber could forgit you dis quick."

If all the characteristic stories of Abraham Lincoln have not been called in and the polls closed, we should like to put on record just one more incident that came to the personal notice of the writer:

It was a habit of the great liberator, when more than usually perplexed by the cares and burdens of the great conflict, to steal away for one of those self-communing walks which were doubtless the only really undisturbed moments of his life. One afternoon, just after the terrible disaster at Cold Harbor, his abstracted ramble led him along the small road that runs parallel with the Potomac, south of the White House. Wandering a couple of miles in this aimless way, Lincoln came to a smoky little cabin, at the door of which an old colored man was paring potatoes. The "good president" stopped, and, taking it for granted that he might be thirsty, asked for a little refreshment, sat down and engaged him in conversation. With that patriarchal readiness of opinion peculiar to aged darkies, the latter delivered many oracular dissertations on public affairs, the conduct of the war, the duties of the executive and national affairs generally. The president listened most with a gaping mouth, or two from the homely discourse—until it was quite dark. As he was about to return the old man set before him a dish of milk and corn cakes, which Lincoln—who told the story himself—ate with a relish, the first food he had enjoyed for many a day.

"Good-bye, Uncle," he said at last, "I'll come to see you again."

"Dono do so, Massa Linkum, dono do so," said the old darky.

"You know me, then?" asked the president.

"Yes, indeed, honey; I knowed your was Ole Abe de berry minute I not eyes on yer. I seed yer once at yer noggeration, Massa President, and I nebber could forgit yer dis quick; Yer's a mighty good man, Massa Linkum, a powerful good man, but de good Lord made yer dreffal homely in de face, and dat's a fact!"

Amateur Minstrels With Fresh Jokes.

[New York Sun.]

At the grand amateur minstrel jubilee given in New York recently in aid of the Methodist Episcopal fund, the jokes were unusually fresh. Even the oldest "chestnuts" were so disguised that they were hardly recognizable. The following are specimens:

"Yes, I got home late again de odder night, an' my mudder she says, 'Chile, whar you bin out so late agin dis year night?'

"'De bin out callin' on a lady,' I says.

"'Well, chile, why you don't come home 'fore midnight?' she says.

"'Cause her husband died wid hay fever—spose I'se a fool?'

"Yes, I couldn't git away before. Kase de lady war a settin' on my hat, an' I was too much ob a gemman to call out her 'tention to de circumstances,' I says.

"'Well, now, honey,' she says, 'jis look a yere, an' yo' 'member dis now, or you git kil' out. Next time you visit a lady jis keep your hat off'n yo' lap.'

The additions may be recognized in the next one:

"I see a man a drivin' a wagon down South Fifth avenue dis morning, when a shutter flew off ob a buildin' and knocked de wagon speechless."

Interlocutor—Oh, no, you don't mean the wagon. You mean that the shutter knocked the driver of the wagon speechless. You couldn't knock a wagon speechless.

"Dat's what you's wrong. Dis yere shutter jis flew off ob de building, and didn't touch de drivah nowhar. I seen it knock de wagon speechless. I knows what I seen, I reckon.—'Good I dare.'

Interlocutor—But it's impossible to knock a wagon speechless.

"Well, it knocked de tongue out ob de wagon. I seed it do it. And de shutter war tried for it in de court."

Interlocutor—What did they do with the shutter in the court?

"Dey hung it—dat's what dey done wid it."

Interlocutor—What for?

"Jis for a blind."

This one at least sounds fresh:

"I'se been a boardin' wid a gran' widder lately."

Interlocutor—How do you know she is a grass widow?

"'Cause her husband died wid hay fever—spose I'se a fool?"

This evidently the first appearance of this last joke in 40 years:

"I'se been movin' my residence lately."

Interlocutor—What for?

"Why, you see, my mammah use to be 120, an' de mammah were always dah when I was agoin' east. But de odder night I heerd dat a fuller done gone and done in de club, an' I 'cided down for to get my share. When I war acomin' back late at night my house was 321, an' I got all mixed up. It won't occur agin, boss, for I'se done moved to 321."

A Sure Road to Fame.

[Philadelphia Call.]

Father—My son, you are now laying the foundation for your future career. I hope you will study hard and make your mark in the world.

Son—Yes, father, that is my intention. In a few years my name will be known to all civilized nations. My fame will be spread throughout the land, and I will be classed among the great men of this country.

Father—A noble ambition, my son. But what profession have you chosen that will so soon lead to this greatness?

Son—I shall become a pugilist.

A Hint to the Frogs.

[Burlington Free Press.]

A recent distressing railroad accident is said to have been caused by a bullfrog's croak. It is to be hoped that frogs who are abnormally constituted, or in any way lacking in the physical perfection of their race, will hereafter keep off the track.

Suggested by Our Wife.

[Philadelphia Call.]

Needles were invented by a man, but for a long time were little used, says a historian. We suppose he made the eye about as big as a tunnel.

How to Subscribe for a Boston Paper.

[Life.]

Many people have travelled all their lives, and yet do not know how to behave themselves when on the road. For the benefit and guidance of such these few, crisp, plain, and concise rules of etiquette have been framed:

In traveling by rail, on foot, turn to the right on discovering an approaching train. If you wish the train to turn and give you loaf roots and get in between the rails, so that you will not mess up the right of way. Many a nice, new right of way has been ruined by getting a pedestrian's tourist spattered all over its first mortgage.

If you never rode in a varnished car before, you never expect to again; you will probably jump up and down the car, meandering over the feet of the porter while he is making up the berths. This is a good way to let people see just how little you had left after your brain began to soften.

In traveling do not take along a lot of old clothes that you know you never will wear. Never walk through a car staring everybody out of countenance, like a Jim Crow detective hunting for the James boys.

YOU WILL PROBABLY ROAM UP AND DOWN THE CAR.

If you have been reared in extreme poverty and your mother has married you until you grew up and married, so that your wife could support you, you will probably sit in four seats at the same time, with your feet extended into the aisles so that you can wipe them off on other people, while you snore with your mouth open clear to your shoulder blades.

If you are prone to drop to sleep and breathe with a low, death rattle, like the exhaust of a bath tub, it would be a good plan to have your head in a feather bed and then insert the whole thing in the linen closet.

In the dining car, while eating, do not comb your moustache with your fork. By all means do not comb your moustache with the fork of another. It is better to refrain altogether from combing the moustache with a fork while traveling, for the motion of the train might jab the fork into your eye and irritate it.

If your dessert is very hot and you do not discover it until you have burned the rafters out of the roof of your mouth, do not utter a wild yell of agony and spill your coffee all over a total stranger, but control yourself, hoping to know more next time.

In the morning is a good time to find out how many people have succeeded in getting on the passenger train who ought to be in the stock car.

Generally, you will find one male and one female. The male goes into the wash room, bathes his worthless carcass from daylight until breakfast time, walking on the feet of any man who tries to use the room during that time. He wipes himself on nine different towels, because when he gets home he knows he will have to wipe his face on an old door mat. The female has been reared on hay all their lives generally want to fill themselves full of pie and cake when they travel.

The female of this same mammal goes into the ladies' department and remains there until starvation drives her out. Then the real ladies have about 12 seconds in which to dress.

Bulldozing.

[Life.]

"Say, mister, give us 50 cents to go to the roller rink or I'll set the dog on yer!"

The Pleasures of Imagination.

[The Journalist.]

Poor old Horace Greeley came down to the Tribune office one cold morning, and, approaching the editor, took off his hat, sat down and began to examine a pile of exchanges. He looked comfortable and happy. The office boy noticed him, and approaching the venerable editor, remarked:

"Please, sir, there ain't any steam on in that heater."

Mr. Greeley cast a withering glance at the youth and squealed:

"D—— you, why didn't you let me alone? I was getting warm."

Did She Mean Anything Personal?

[Arkansaw Traveler.]

She was playfully feeling in his vest pocket, and he asked: "What are you looking, darling?" "Oh, a nickel, or a quarter, or a dollar—anything," she replied. "Why," he said, "do you expect to find feathers on a hog?" And she answered, with the most innocent smile and naive expression: "No, dear Walter, I was not looking for feathers." And he rejoiced in the fact that he was not whether she meant anything personal or not.

Two Simple Fish Tales.

[Norristown Herald.]

It is related of a famous cook that he prepared fish so completely that they returned him admiring and grateful looks from the frying-pan. We can readily believe this story. It is no more remarkable than the conduct of a trout, which, upon hearing an angler lying about its weight, looked up with a pained expression and softly murmured, "Oh, come down a couple of pounds."

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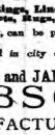

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The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Bolles' drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

	1885.		1884.
6 a. m.	56	6 a. m.	59
9 a. m.	69	9 a. m.	72
12 m.	76	12 m.	80
3 p. m.	76	3 p. m.	84

Miniature Almanac.

Today and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise.....4.29 a.m.	Sunrise.....4.29 a.m.
Sun Sets.....7.35 p.m.	Sun Sets.....7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises 2. 4 p.m.	Moon Rises.....p.m.

Chronological Events.

Solferino, 1859.—Akenside died, 1770.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair, slightly cooler weather.

For Wednesday—Fair weather and slowly rising temperature is indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States.

JOTTINGS.

—Lawn tennis is now quite popular in this city

—Farmers are preparing for the State fair.

—Keep your dogs muzzled and off the streets.

—The Elizabeth Common Council has appropriated $800 for the carrying off of the stagnant sewage in the river.

—There has been little said about the city respecting the coming Fourth of July. It is probable, that, as usual, there will be no celebration.

—West Seventh street has one of the finest road-beds in the city. It is turnpiked nearly to this city line, and a portion of it is now being macadamized.

—On account of the Commencement exercises in this city and in North Plainfield on Thursday evening there will be no meeting of the Reform Club on that date.

—Yesterday we gave an extract from a Plainfield lady now summering in England. Today we give extracts from letters from persons at rather remote parts of the globe to friends in Plainfield.

—A number of Plainfielders went to-day on the Central Railroad excursion and County Club picnic to Houghton Farm, Mountainville, New York. The club is a department of the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, whose headquarters are in this city, and the farm is a large experimental one dedicated to its use.

—Miss M. H. Stokes, Secretary of the W. C. T. U., of Georgia, in a letter to a friend in this city, expres es much confidence, over the result of the work of the women of that organization in that State, and much indignation over accusations in Northern papers about the enslaved people of the South, which statements she pronounces untrue.

—Cure-y (Care he) bath for that "weekly" suit, from (w)hose yclept Alert. Yet is he alert therefor, and dreams gorgeous dreams of a flamingo shirt, or shirt of blue, "piled" shirt bright dye, if supplied with some other fixings to set the town agog, as he sallies forth and flying sat, a "Jumbo" under a fire hat, in a suit "too thin" for a man so fat, and yet a yarn for all that.

—Charles Wood, a lad about thirteen years old, of Bound Brook, while playing with some other boys on Friday evening, attempted to catch on a Lehigh Valley coal train. The cars were moving too fast for him, and he lost his hold, falling through a bridge about twenty feet to the ground. He was considerably bruised and remained insensible until the next day. His injuries may prove fatal.

—A clay pigeon match has been made between Lebius Ayres, of Oak Tree, and William VanSickle, of Metuchen, at 30 clay pigeons each, for $25 a side, to take place at Campbell's Club House on Friday afternoon at two o'clock. The conditions of the match are 18 yards rise, ounce and a quarter of shot; the trap to be changed at ten birds each, so as to throw ten right-quartering, ten left-quartering, and ten straight away clay pigeons.

—A letter from Mrs. Grace Stevens, now in Belgium, to a relative in Plainfield, says home of yore and to be her home again upon her return some months hence, say: "You can not know in what light the United States are held by all. The feeling for American is vastly different from that expressed towards the English. I have seen much of it even in this quiet place, and assure you that I am more than glad, and certainly contented with my birthright." Mrs. Stevens is attending to the education of her daughter at an institute in Belgium, the success of which has been such during the present year that enlargement has become necessary. Referring to this addition she says that "along the side of the garden was a very old wall, which had stood for four hundred years, and was wide enough along the top for two persons to walk side by side.

Personal.

Prof. F. J. Miller, of the High School, will spend his vacation at Bloomfield, N. J., and at Seneca Lake, N. Y. He leaves on Friday.

Charles Backalew, of West Fifth street, has been in the employ of the U. S. Government for the past twenty years, as an inspector of marine boilers, and those who know say that he is one of the most efficient in the service. His office is in the New York Post Office building.

The New Brunswick High School Advocate contains the following concerning a former member of the Plainfield schools: On account of serious troubles with his eyes, Robert G. Smith, '83, has been advised to discontinue his studies at Stevens' Institute for the present. He will, however, probably join the class of '88 in September next.

Mr. I. D. Titsworth, of Dunellen, is still sojourning at Cambridge, Mass., where he is the guest of Prof. Rogers. He expects to return about the first of July. In a letter to us he says: "Your spicy little paper, THE PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS, does me lots of good, out here in Cambridge. Sometimes it fails to reach me and I miss it very much." One of Mr. Titsworth's sons, until recently of this city, is now Professor of Industrial Mechanics at Alfred University, Alfred Center, N. Y.

There are some knowing fish and game, 'tis said, at Alfred Center, Allegheny Co., N. Y., yet undaunted these rooms (s lakes and glens Brother Austin Green, of the firm of Green & Co., of Front street and healthy fame, yet for more health goes B. A. G. vacating, to coax erstwhile with wormy hooks the wary fish, and hurt the feelings of the sprightly deer—not deans, 'tis said, for on his present visit while he fain would shoot dread daylight through the game that led Apollo in the chase, he would not hurt the gentler deers whose music oft in "Vocal" strains hath soothed his soul. He cannot even shoot the music from the bird- he at their fluttering hearts so tenderly in fondest recollection aims. So chivalrous is the wandering knight from Plainfield, B. A. G.

—A letter received by a lady in this city from a relative in Auckland, New Zealand, says, "We have our Winter in June. Yet our Winter's are not very severe, as you may judge when I tell you that we have early potatoes planted, which will be ready to pull within two months, when we set out for late potatoes." That would be refreshing reading when compared to the thermometer of the past few days ranging around the 100 except for the fact that at the other end of the great world it is a trifle too far to do us any good, although a satisfaction to know that some one is having delightfully cool weather.

—The Closson Villa on East Front street continues to grow apace, extending from Front street to Greenbrook. It is one of the most charming spots to be found in Plainfield at this season of the year. Mr. Closson spares no expense in beautifying the place, and under the manipulation of an elegant taste gardener is adding new attractions in landscape gardening, which greatly enhance the natural beauty of the surroundings.

—Matthew H. Vanderveer, who was appointed by President Cleveland, Internal Revenue Collector for the Third New Jersey District, is serenaded by the citizens of Somerville, irrespective of party, last night. Speeches eulogistic of the appointment and appointee were made by J. VanCleef, Chas. Honeyman, John Maxwell and others.

—Passengers on the Reading road are attracted by the exceedingly pretty little depot at Grant avenue, at which trains will soon stop. Much praise is given the projectors of the building. It will tend to build up more than ever that portion of the city, which has been booming for some years.

—It is difficult to conceive a more beautiful place than Plainfield is at present, including of course the borough. Glancing along any of the streets or avenues, unfolds to view veritable bowers of overhanging trees, vanishing into the mountain or until drives and foliage mingle.

—A farmer living near Liberty Corner, was brought before Judge Ulrich this morning, and complained under the health ordinance of the city, charged with allowing refuse matter to be exposed on his property on West Front street. He was fined $10 and costs.

—A number of boys created a disturbance on Arlington avenue last evening, greatly annoying the residents of that locality. Their names are known to the police, and should the offense be repeated, they will be brought before the city court.

—A Elizabeth man who was troubled with rose thevens put cayenne pepper on the remaining flowers. When the thief came to take more flowers, a smell of sharp so incensed him that he destroyed both flowers and bush.

—The members of the Botany Class of the High School handed in their herbariums in competition for the prize yesterday. There was a fine collection. The work done exhibited great interest on the part of the pupils.

—The issue of THE NEWS on Friday will contain full accounts of the commencement exercises of the Plainfield High School and of the North Plainfield School. Orders for extra copies should be sent in at once.

—The public schools have but one session a day during this, the last week of the year. The Primary Schools are dismissed at 12:45, and the Grammar and High Schools at one o'clock.

—July 7 has been set as the date of the borough election, instead of the latter part of the present month. It has been found that there are legal objections in the way of the earlier date.

—Great interest is being taken in the approaching opening of the Job Male Public Library and Art Gallery. Many fine and rare paintings have been loaned for the exhibition.

—Mrs. George Thatcher, wife of the well-known minstrel, died on Thursday at Westfield.

The Loan Exhibition.

The Loan Exhibition in connection with the public opening of the Job Male Public Library and Art Gallery is arousing considerable interest.

Mrs. Charles G. Crawford, of East Fifth street, will loan a handsome example of tapestry needle work, the subject of which is Leonardo da Vinci's "Last Supper." It contains 450,000 stitches, and between 500 and 600 different colored worsteds are used in it. *It was made by Mrs. Crawford, and nearly fifteen months were occupied in completing it.* She was requested to allow it to be exhibited at the Centennial exhibition but refused. She has also refused several other exhibitions which had requested it.

Mr. Crawford will loan a head of a dog painted by Sir Edward Landseer. This is a rare specimen of the famous painter's art, and there are but few of this kind in America.

John Erskine, of Third Place, will loan a number of pictures from his large collection, among them being an Italian landscape by George L. Brown, a pastoral by Robinson, and a Venetian scene by Moncbot.

B. M. Day of North Plainfield, will loan two examples of Winslow Homer, entitled "Fishermen on the Thames" and "On the Chalk Cliff. Coast of England," and also a landscape by J. F. Cropsy.

The ladies are making preparations for a collection of bric-a-brac, curios and Indian relics, and are taking a great interest in the opening.

George H. Babcock of West Eighth street will loan a fine collection of relics of lake dwellers of Switzerland.

Ingenious Jerseymen.

Thirty patents were granted to residents of this State during the past week. The full list as reported is as follows:

For wheel chairs, W. L. Fish, Newark; refrigerator, P. L. Malthie, Newark; hat curling machine, G. Yule, Newark; saw handle, C. Lentzinger, Newark; cigar wrapper cutter, J. R. Williams, Newark; machine for fe ding hat bodies, F. Pelime, Newark; electrical conduit and discharger, E. H. Hoffman, Newark; apparatus for mixing sel form fluids, A. B Griffin, Newark; socket or holder for incandescent lamps (five patents), E. Weston, Newark; sash fastener, J. R. Rasbey, Plainfield; electric locomotive, J. Wels Jersey City; closet for railway cars, J. Schneier, Jersey City; window shade, E. J. Hasler, Jersey City; wharf, J. B. Sanford, Jersey City; stone cutting machines, (four patents) W. L. Sanders, Jersey City; button hole sewing machine, W. E. Trull, Jersey City; car coupling, T. B. Nutting, Sr., Morristown; bicycle (two patents), C. B. Ledden, Morristown; button, G. D. Paul, et al., East Orange; carpet binding, R. S. Gould, East Orange; wire cloth lathing, W. R. Orr, Trenton; spring shade roller, S. Barta-orn, Millburn, check valve for steam boilers, M. Bowen, Somerville; electrically actuated railway system, L. Pope, Elizabeth; cooling and separating a lubricating agent from a compressed gas (six patents), J. J. Suckett, Ridgewood.

Death of a Well-Known Quaker.

Tappen Townsend, a prominent member of the Society of Friends, died at Scotch Plains, on Saturday, at the house of his son-in-law, Thomas J. Nicholl. He was born in Boston, N. Y., in 1816, and was for many years a devoted worker in the cause of Anti-Slavery with Charles T. Torry, editor of The Tocsin of Liberty; Elwin C. Goodman, the artist, who was assistant editor of that paper, and Abel Brown, a noted lecturer on Abolition. He was always an enthusiastic supporter of the temperance interest. Horace Greeley and he were close friends and about thirty-five years ago they were connected with Charles Hoag in the Fourierite Association, of Port Monmouth, N J. Many pamphlets on the subject of co-operation have been written and circulated by him. During part of his later years he was manager of the estate of Dr. S. P. Townsend, of sarsaparilla prominence.

"Billy and Chinese Willie."

Before a pot of sour paste
Billy was recently laying waste
The columns of THE NEWS
And through his sanctum yanked 'em
While "Chinaman" Willie thanked him

For the doctored copy for weekly views,
And as he slipped he fleetly wooed,
When Willie for paste about him howled,
Paste for a poster-cruise.

Till Billy fell and Willie fell,
Smote cheek by jowl. 'Twas pitiful
To hear the jabbering in B-flat,
As Billy struck and Willie sat,
Or wanted to sit on Billy.

Billy struck wildly left and right,
So full of fight while in terror
Willie took to flight,
And longed to hide himself from sight
In the folds of the slowly gathering night.

Each toe heady to be steady
Found the sanctum small
To vent his gall,
And sought the street
With limpy feet.

At last brave Willie made a stand
And preached for Billy with tungentic hand,
While Billy the blustone jumped with ire

And lunged and kicked like a mule of age,
But could be have kicked as other mules do
On another day,
But the gladiators other hands took in,
To save them from mixing skin and gin,
As the jeering crowd walked away.

Now Billy sits in his sanctum chair
Nodding his pate
Under his weight—of care
And thinks that
Of all sad words of tongue or pen,
The saddest are these—I've got left again!

David E. Goff and Sousea Irard, of Rio Grande, killed a large white throat island snake in the middle of Richardson Sound last week. It was ten feet long and several inches in thickness. When captured it was swimming very rapidly with its head elevated above the water and had thus gone about one mile.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The young men's meeting last evening in the hall of the Association was led by Amos Andrews, and the manner of conducting it was an innovation on the old methods, which proved very satisfactory.

The new committee recently appointed to take charge of the young men's meeting is composed of F. J. Miller, E. D. Sutton, C. C. Tyler, Frederick Moon, Amos Andrews, W. C. Gaskell and C. T. Kinsey.

The Senior Society of the Boys' Branch will meet this evening. This will be the next to the last meeting of the year. The project of having a picnic to Boynton Beach will be discussed, and various other matters of interest will come before the meeting.

At the last meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary reports for the last six months were submitted, showing that about $400 had been raised and expended in fitting up the new rooms.

Fingers Sawed Off.

A few days ago Judge Demeza had his hand injured in one of the machines in his binding wood establishment, and employed a young man to run the machinery while he was disabled.

This afternoon about three o'clock young Winkler, the man employed, got his hand caught in the saw and lost the three fingers on his right hand. Dr. Fritz was summoned, and on his orders the young man was forthwith taken to Muhlenberg hospital. Winkler is the son of a hatter in Washington Valley.

—Persons leaving the city for the Summer can have THE NEWS sent them without extra charge.

—A cross walk of flagging has been put down opposite the depot and Joseph T. Vail's new building.

State Notes.

Victor Loll, a retired florist, of Union Hill, was found last Tuesday yesterday by the roadside with $252 in his pockets.

Samuel Tilton, of Camden, has contracted to build a 1,300 ton schooner for Captain Lee, of Absecom, and to have it finished by Fall.

George Rogers, a fashionable young man of Camden, whose matrimonial troubles led to a separation from the Vice Chancellor, who was ordered to pay his wife $4 per week alimony, has refused to comply with the same and has attached three of his race horses.

—David Taylor, Jr., who was formerly cashier in the Hudson County National Bank Jersey City was, taken to the State Insane Asylum at Morristown, Monday. Mr. Taylor was about forty-five years old and was once the most expert accountant in New Jersey.

The Gloucester County Board of Freeholders met last week at Woodbury for the purpose of receiving contracts and awarding a new court house, for which $40,000 has been appropriated. There were thirteen plans presented. They were referred to a committee.

The Methodists, of Millville, have out grown the capacity of three churches, of that denomination already existing there, and a fourth one is to be organized. A committee has been appointed to secure a site. It is probable that a church costing $20,000 will be built.

Joseph Brown, of No. 248 Railroad avenue, Jersey City, is detained at the Police Headquarter's charged with assaulting his aged mother. Brown, who was in a state of frenzy from drinking, struck the old woman over the head with a pitcher because she was trying to restrain him from going out for beer.

George A. Toffey, the father of State Senator Toffey, of Hudson County, N. J., residing, in Cross County, N. Y., yesterday. He was in his 79th year. Just one week ago, and his death was momentarily expected. Mr. Toffey was seventy-four years old and one of the most respected citizens of Hudson County.

Miss Jennie Dunlap, last week ran her father's engine, No. 85, from Hackettstown to Phillipsburg, and back to Hackettstown place, and brought in a heavily loaded ore train. On arriving at Phillipsburg she train was put in the proper place, and the engine placed safely in its stall while under her control.

Mary Wilson, a rather pretty girl of sixteen, was arraigned before Judge Bolgiano, at Jersey City, yesterday, charged with larceny. The youthful prisoner cried bitterly and while she admitted that she was guilty of the charge she said that her mother, Kate Flanagan, compelled her to steal. Mr. Finnegan was committed on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

Frank Spencer, the young Elizabethian who was sentenced to ten years in State prison for two years, and upon whose spinal column a body operation was per ormed a few days ago, was still living at last week. A portion of the vertebrae some four inches long was found to be dead. If the live parts, assisted by natural efforts can be knit together, the sufferer will regain the use of his muscles. The case excites great interest in medical circles.

William Wharwell, aged eighteen, of Camden, was killed by a train on the Newark branch of the Erie road at Cedarville Sunday afternoon. He was run down by Engineer Monk, who whistled a warning. Wharwell ran up the track a short distance and deliberately stepped between the rails and placed his hands over his ears. Before the brakes could be applied Wharwell had been killed.

Before Police Justice Wanser in Jersey City yesterday Mrs. Rose Bean, a washerwoman, charged Mrs. Maggie Reynolds, one of his clients, with having assaulted him. "Lawyer Wanser," said Mrs. Bean, "I did not like what he did while acting as her counsel in a suit and she flew into a passion. Among other things she threw a pail full of dirty water over him and gave him a severe tongue lashing. Mrs. Reynolds is a wealthy widow lives on Linden avenue. The case was indefinitely adjourned.

A commodious cottage at Ocean Beach has been placed in charge of the Rev. Charles Chauncey Foundation, of Brooklyn, to be used for the benefit of young women of limited means who shall need a rest and recreation at the seashore. The aim is to aid deserving working girls who require rest and change of air, but who are not sick enough to pay the usual rates for board. The price has been fixed at $4 a week, and no girl will be allowed to remain longer than a fortnight. The cottage will be opened next week.

A man who gives his name as James Johnson, and who is believed to be a boarding house swindler, has been successfully operating for the last month, was captured in Jersey City on Saturday. He has been positively identified by the keepers of five boarding houses which he had robbed, and there are many more to hear from. Johnson's plan was to engage a room, state that his baggage was coming by express and then refuse to pay the charges for the journey. As soon as opportunity offered the new boarder disappeared with everything portable that he could pick up.

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LEAVE Plainfield	ARRIVE New York	LEAVE New York	ARRIVE Plainfield
3.27 a. m.	6.55	9.00 a. m.	12.30 p. m.
5.40	9.55	12.00 m.	3.14 "
7.30	11.00	3.00 p. m.	6.00 "
7.50	9.07	7.45 "	10.30 "
8.30	11.00	8.00 "	11.30 "
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TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1885.

RECENT LEGAL DECISIONS.

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VICTORIA'S VICTORY.

LORD SALISBURY DECIDES THAT HE WILL FORM A GOVERNMENT.

The Decision is to be Traced to the Power of the Queen—Sir Peter Lumsden to be Presented with a Sword.

LONDON, June 23.—The political crisis is ended and the agony is over. Lord Salisbury has taken charge of his unwilling, and will be formally declared premier to-day. The result nearly justifies the predictions of those who said that Lord Salisbury could not be defeated all the advantages possible for him to get he would take up the reins of power. It also confirms the reality and all-smoking multitudes of slates for all the posts in the gift of the new government. The sudden solution of the problem has been a surprise to the country, but because the drift of recent events had not been watched and understood. The newspapers have been as much befogged as anybody and have been the blind leaders of the blind. Their reporters have been contemptibly rebuffed by the stolid insolence that prevails everywhere in British official life. Their editors have been misled themselves, and their editors have been contentedly mooning over the difficulties of the problem and confessing every day their inability to see how they could be solved. Up to the last moment it seemed to them that the leaders of the two great parties could not agree upon a modus vivendi that would save them from the editors' humiliation by the queen—some coup de theatre which they have performed. As a matter of fact the royal pressure in this direction has been steadily exerted for the past ten days. The settlement, which is that of a compromise, has come because both sides had become convinced that they had now got all the concessions they were likely to get, and that, for the present, the sides could yield the points originally in dispute, and the queen suggested a new course which both have accepted. The Liberal resolution on Saturday that they would yield the points demanded by Lord Salisbury. On Sunday the queen's private secretary, Gen. Sir Henry Ponsonby, brought Mr. Gladstone an emphatic message from the queen, and the Liberal meeting that was to have been held was postponed in consequence. Sir Henry then met Lord Salisbury at Mr. Gladstone and Lord Salisbury all day, the negotiations have been completed and the treaty of peace signed and sealed.

Even now many of the other politicians of the Conservative party are averse to the settlement, and urge the party chiefs to keep fixed the demands. They, however, argue that the public has short memories, and always blames the men in power. The decision, however, has been finally made and the ministerial crisis is ended. How it has been traced to this result are the aggressive tactics of the young Tories, the pressure of Gibson-Bowles and the determination of Lord Salisbury himself, to whom the premiership has long been the summit of political ambition.

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Those Lively New York Brokers.

NEW YORK, June 23.—The floor committee of the produce exchange began an investigation to-day into charges of certain members of outrageously treating the Sixty-ninth regiment on Friday last. The charges were made by the regimental officers, as nobody seems willing to testify against the offenders and the latter made no confessions tending to criminate themselves. The committee will have difficulty in getting to write a letter to the colonel of the Sixty-ninth expressing regret at the conduct of the young brokers.

Suit Against Edison.

NEW YORK, June 23.—A suit was commenced in the United States circuit court here by the Consolidated Electric Light company against Thomas A. Edison and the Edison Electric Light company. Counsel for the plaintiffs include E. N. Dickerson, H. R. Gordon and others. The suit is for an injunction restraining the Edison company from using in their incandescent lamps any carbonized fibre of the electric light out or carbonized textile material. It is claimed that no incandescent light can be made which shall be out proof and that the suit affects the use of all incandescent lamps.

Sentence of Leaf Tobacco.

DANVILLE, Va., June 23.—The sales of leaf tobacco in this city during the past week amounted to 1,500,000 pounds. For four weeks past the sales were 1,800,000, 2,000,000, 1,300,000 and 1,500,000 pounds, respectively, making a total of 5,500,000 pounds in four weeks.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Hon. Richard T. Merrick is reported to be slightly better. His case is regarded, however, as almost hopeless.

It is reported that the new assistant attorney-general, whose business it is to represent the government in the court of claims, has requested the resignations of his six assistants, employes of the attorney general's office.

An official report of the recent embezzlement from the New Orleans Redemption agency by Assistdoorkeeper Sims has been received at the treasury department. It shows the defalcation to be $58,300, as originally estimated. Assistdoorkeeper has not yet been captured, but whereabouts in Mexico is pretty well known.

ROWING ON LAND.

Wheels, Rods and Cushions Now in a Patent "Boat."

NEW YORK, June 23.—At the Manhattan rink Wallace Ross rowed a mile in a patent rowing machine in seven minutes and thirty seconds. Courtney followed with a half-mile in two minutes and thirty seconds. The "land-boat" consists of a square box on wheels. Rows of pegs on each side furnish the necessary resistance to the oars.

Edward Hanlan has left Albany for Canada. Previous to his departure he telegraphed John Teemer, of Philadelphia, that the first of their series of races be postponed for two weeks. Hanlan sold all his boats but Teemer's and the new one cannot be got ready in time.

Racing by the Sea.

NEW YORK, June 23.—The first race at Brigston Beach was for maidens over 3? years of age, distance three quarters of a mile. Bonnie Child first, Excelsior second, Rocket third. Time, 1:17.

The second race was a selling purse of a mile. Huron first, Bahama second, Hotaconnie third. Time, 1:43.

The third race was a selling race of a mile. Lillie B. first, Joe Sawyer second, John K. third. Time, 1:44?.

The fourth race was over Coney Island's stake for 3-year-old maidens, over a mile and a quarter. Mollie Walton first, Valdez second, Tecumseh third. Time, 2:19.

The fifth race was for all ages over a mile and furlong. Exile first, Islette second, Emmet third. Time, 1:51?.

Baseball.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., June 22.—The Providence league baseball team played an exhibition game with the Stars, resulting in favor of the visitors. Score, 4 to 1.

At Rochester:										
Buffalo	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2
Rochester	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
At Washington:										
National	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	—5
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At Pittsburg:										
Allegheny	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—2
St. Louis	0	2	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	—6

A POLYGAMIST'S WIFE.

She Refuses to Say Whether She is Married Less Than Once.

SALT LAKE CITY, June 23.—Saturday Charles L. White was arrested charged with unlawful cohabitation and had a partial examination before U. S. Commissioner McKay. His polygamous wife, a mere child, was asked by the prosecution if she was married to the defendant. She declined to answer and all other questions and was fined $50 and imprisoned for contempt. When the case was again called the defendant waived further examination and was held over in $500 bail to await the action of the grand jury. His wife at once reappeared on the charge of polygamy and was held over in $1,000. At that hour the youthful polygamous wife was again put on the stand. When asked if she was married to the defendant she again refused to answer and was fined $100 for contempt and committed to the penitentiary until the fines were paid. The girl said she would rather remain a year in jail than answer her punishment might be, even if imprisoned forever. Neither fine has been paid. The case was continued, and in default of $3,000 bail White was sent to jail.

Speculating in Graves.

GREENVILLE, N. J., June 23.—Enormous speculations in graves have been going on here for years. An investigation discloses that many graves in the York Bay cemetery, Jersey City, and the Potter's field there, are therein cannot be found. In many instances the records of burials have also been lost or destroyed. In 1847 a speculator bought the present cemetery of the Methodist Episcopal company and issued a large amount of scrip. For a number of years bonds of trustees could only be obtained by the payment of $100 each. In 1877 an act was passed by the New Jersey legislature making it illegal to elect trustees in any place except Jersey City. The new act also provided that no more graves should be made, and that the lot owners had been defrauded out of many thousands of dollars. A barrel of scrip was found, and holders of it are now in the city. The scrip is the property of all others of lot owners, amounting to nearly 600 graves of relatives of people who had moved away. Under the new manage-ment these graves were leveled and the tombstones declared. It will first be a matter into the courts. A number of the old trustees died wealthy, the greater portion of their wealth having been made, it is said, from speculating in graves.

One of Beecher's Converts.

CHICAGO, June 23.—Rev. H. W. Thomas of this city, has written a letter to the effect that he is substantially in harmony with the new theology promulgated by Henry Ward Beecher. Among other things Dr. Thomas says: "It seems evident that if religious belief is to be vital—is to be anything more than a dead form—it must be so, and neither the reason nor the heart can believe—there must be some restatement of the fundamental doctrines of the government of God and the destiny of the race. No one does it seem probable for thoughtful minds to any longer accept the old views of the verbal inspiration of the Bible prevalent in all parts of the Bible. And there seems to be a duty laid upon this age—the duty of making lighter the burden of the ignorant, making plainer and more rational the way of faith."

Severe on Jules Ferry.

PARIS, June 23.—A number of letters written by the late Admiral Courbet, commander of the French fleet in the operations against the Chinese, are published. The letters contain some very severe strictures on M. Jules Ferry, premier of France, for the management of the expedition to Tonquin. It is feared by M. Ferry's friends that the letters will greatly lessen the chances for success of his partisans in the coming general election.

Senator Sabin is not Dying.

ST. PAUL, June 23.—Senator Sabin is reported to be improving. Only the most intimate friends of the family are permitted to see him. A gentleman from Luverne, the man who lives in Stillwater has stated that at no time has the senator been in as critical condition as has been reported. He has had an attack of inflammation of the bowels, but seems to be in good spirits, and is far from being in a precarious condition.

A Villain's Death.

PORT AUSTIN, Mich., June 23.—At Grindstone City a young lady named Maggie Morgan, whose business it is to prepare fish was assaulted by a strange man, who put her in a horrible manner with a large knife. The girl is in a critical condition. The villain escaped.

Object to a Tax Per Cent. Cut.

CINCINNATI, June 23.—One hundred and seventy-five employes of the Hamilton Carriage company quit work, refusing to submit to a reduction of 10 per cent. This is a monopolization establishment and this is the second time in that two months.

WILL KEILEY RETURN?

THE VIRGINIA DIPLOMAT LIKELY TO BE ORDERED HOME.

His Case to be Considered by the Cabinet—How He Came to Receive His Appointment — An Accident That Caused Surprise.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—There was an unusually large crowd of anxious people in and about Secretary Manning's office to-day. The indications are that it will be a busy Saturday, when the Secretary receives no callers, as the day when all their petitions and applications will have been pouring in during the week are considered, so that the busy crowd in to obtain results. Great pressure is being brought to bear by some elerks against accepting the policies of the Anglo-American insurance company, of Washington, D. C., which has received the authority to issue policies in this state, and it has no deposit with the superintendent for the protection of its policy holders. A number of complaints have been made to the department by persons who have been induced to accept the policies of the company, but they cannot get the amount of their claims. No agent has received a license in this state, as the superintendent would not grant the company permission to operate herein.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Ferdinand Ward's trial will take place next Thursday.

Denis Kearney, the San Francisco agitator, announces his determination to run for governor.

Seventeen-year locusts have appeared in Maryland. So far they have done no damage to vegetation.

Dr. Newman said to a Philadelphia Press reporter that he believed Gen. Grant to be a thoroughly honest man.

Trouble is feared in Texas. Cattlemen are determined to drive their herds through Kansas, and the Kansas people are afraid of infection.

Great damage has been done in Missouri and Kansas by cyclones. Houses and crops were destroyed. The loss of life is no-known.

Mrs. Yseult Dudley, O'Donovan Rossa's assailant, was in court to be tried, but her trial went over for the term. Her defense will be insanity.

G. W. Hinckle, a soldier in Troop K, of the Seventh cavalry, stationed at Fort Meed, D. T., has become insane from excessive tobacco chewing.

A man known as "D. d Rankell" was murdered by his son near Bay City, Mich. The old man is reported to have attempted improprieties with his son's wife.

Henry Kessler, living at West Wheeling, Va., attempted to cremate the body of his dead baby in his stove and tried to prevent its burial. He is being tried for insanity.

YALE'S COMMENCEMENT.

Observed with the Usual Ceremonies—Planting Class Ivy.

NEW HAVEN, June 23.—The presentation exercises, in front of the college, of the commencement week at Yale, were held in Battell chapel at 11 o'clock. The exercises began with prayer by President Porter. Then Charles Richardson, of Newark, N. J., delivered the class poem. The class oration was by Franklin Robinson Shipman, of Hartford, upon "The Course of Empire."

After the delivery of the class poem and oration the following announcement of awards was made: Sillman fellowship, for another year, to Julius Herbert Tuttle, class of 1882, the present incumbent; the Douglass fellowship, to Wilmer F. Booth, of the class of 1884, the present incumbent; Berkley scholarship, to Cobb Lounsbury, Philadelphia; the Larned scholarship, to Levi Olmsted Wiggins, Newburg, N. Y.; the Clark scholarship, to Herbert Henry White, New Haven, Conn.; the W. W. Dotoresi scholarship, to Herbert Henry White, New Haven, Conn.; the Colden Club medal for proficiency in political economy, to Paul Irvine Wells, Fayetteville, N. Y.

At 2 o'clock there was tumultuous hilarity on the campus when the class histories were read. The exercises of commencement week cause so much wild merriment among the students as the reading of these histories. In the class history recounted the appendages, the points of which are readily appreciated by the young men. Oliver P. Bright, of Wilmington, Del.; William S. Case, of Shanley, Conn.; Frederick Hastings Allen, N. Y.; George F. Stacey, of Stoneville, Ia., and Charles S. Wiley, of Charleston, Ills., were the class historians.

The ivy was planted with the usual ceremonies. Eighty-five planted two ivies, one of which came from Madams de Stae's residence in Coppet, Italy. The ivy ode was written by James Richmond Joy, of Groton, Mass.

Vice-President Hendricks, who is to deliver the address before the graduating class of the Yale law school, is the guest of Hon. Colin M. Ingersoll, at whose residence he was given an informal reception.

THE PENN BANK CASE.

What the Directors Were Told—The Case Nearly Concluded.

PITTSBURG, June 23.—The Riddle and Reber conspiracy trial was resumed again in the Criminal court this morning. A number of witnesses to testify to the character of the defendants, the defense rested. In rebuttal Mr. Reed, one of the directors were called and denied emphatically the statements of Messrs. Riddle, Beale and McMullan. On cross-examination a telegram sent by Mr. McLaughlin to Riddle while the latter was in New Orleans, in which he stated that he had attended to the matter for him, that affairs at the bank were lovely, was put in evidence.

The other directors admitted that Riddle had told them of the syndicate, but had told them that it was for a short time. It would merely be interested in exchanges. The evidence was concluded. After points of law had been submitted, S. Schoyer, Jr., addressed the jury for the defense. He was followed by Judge Curtis, counsel for defense, who was speaking when court adjourned. Mr. Curtis will conclude to-morrow morning, and the case will be given to the jury in the afternoon.

Gen. Logan at Portland.

PORTLAND, Me., June 23.—Gen. and Mrs. Logan were greeted by a crowd of about 8,000 persons on their arrival here. After being driven to the city hall, the mayor of Massachusetts, was accepted as an escort, and the distinguished guests were taken in carriages to the Falmouth hotel. The Michigan troops were quartered in the armory. Upon the arrival of Department Commander Long and staff, four post commanders, sixteen delegations from Grand Army posts and many other prominent Michigan men had many calls. A special train is on the way from Des Moines, Ia. It is supposed that some 5,000 Iowa people are on board. The crowd is large, the crowd expected is enormous, and the scenes presented on the arrival of every steamer and train are by all odds the most exciting of the season. Gen. Logan sitting on a box and watching an array of other boxes was asked if he was tired. "Tired, no," was the reply, "I am thinking about the police at Camp U. S. Grant." There has been a steady throng of strangers all day. All seem satisfied with the camp, and the bay of order prevails.

Government Clerks Petitioning for Removal.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—There was an unusually large crowd of anxious people in and about Secretary Manning's office to-day. The indications are that it will be a busy Saturday, when the Secretary receives no callers, as the day when all their petitions and applications will have been pouring in during the week are considered, so that the busy crowd in to obtain results. Great pressure is being brought to bear by some clerks against accepting the policies of the company is perplexed and worried the most by the women. They are the most importunate applicants, and one of the other has a number of them to-day begging for the most pitiful petitions for retention. In some instances where damsons are continually the appeals have been made to the appeals of whole families claiming to be dependent upon one woman for support.

Three Men Instantly Killed.

LANCASTER, Pa., June 23.—A gang of workmen a. North Bend, a sharp curve on the Pennsylvania railroad, just below Marietta Junction, were engaged on the way of a west-bound freight train from the south to the north track, and while on the point it to pass a fast east-bound passenger train going east, which rushed around the curve into the middle of them. Unfortunate men were crushed under the wheels, and three of them were killed instantly. They were Harry Kesnard, injured; Joseph Mulvaney, aged 18 years, and William Conover.

His Brothers' Death May Kill Him.

BALTIMORE, June 23.—Abraham Timmons, aged 70 years, died at his residence to-day by shooting himself. Timmons heard that two of his brothers, who were engaged on a vessel carrying fruit, had been drowned at some point on the West Indies. He became melancholy and was in a sort of dazed condition for several hours. Finally he procured a pistol and placed it directly in front of his heart and fired. He fell to the floor a dead downward course and lodged in the muscles of the left side. His injury is serious and may prove fatal.

A Journal for the Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

LYNCHBURG, Va., June 23.—The Kappa Sigma Fraternity convention, now in session in this city, has about fifty delegates in attendance, representing some twelve or fifteen of the leading universities and colleges of the south and west. It has been decided to establish a journal and publish a new catalogue. Numerous applications from other societies to establish chapters here are under consideration.

NERVOUS "PHOBIAS."

CURIOUS MENTAL DISEASES OF MODERN CIVILIZED LIFE.

Characterization of a Class of Nervous Troubles Which Owe Their Existences to the Strained Conditions of a High Civilization.

[New York Sun.]

The various characteristics of that class of nervous troubles which may be said to owe their origin or last of their development to the strained conditions of a high civilization are becoming gradual y grouped together, and the name "phobia" is fast giving them a descriptive name. Some of these designations, such, for instance, as photophobia, or the aversion to light, have already crept into general literature, and others, which have been recently added to the list will soon find their way to most readers. The words are recognized not only as handy terms with which to express a some what complicated class of facts, but they represent a wide range of those nervous feelings which most people have observed in themselves or their friends, but of which they have hesitated to speak.

While the symptoms referred to may be sometimes indicative of aberration of mind, a large majority of person- affected by them have the trouble in a very mild and harmless form, which often serves as a amusement rather than anxiety. In claustrophobia, for example—the di-like of being in any closed place—we smile because the victim seems to have a mild mania of having the doors and windows open. The trouble in its severe form is described in a recent case in which a lady insisted upon having her hall door open at inconvenient times, and would even leave her bed in the middle of the night to open it. In her case settled disease itself, for she knew at bt it to be able to understan t that there was more danger to be apprehended from burglars than from a st-ed door. Her home was robbed twice rotbed, and the agonies of her trouble of claustrophobia. In its opposite, claustrophobia, the person will clo-e up all the doors with close fitting care, and make matters warm for her friends during the summer season.

In agoraphobia, or the fear of crossing a square or walking across a large room, we have a very common trouble, which may be greatly lessened by being in company with some one. Most of the troubles are associated with a kind of fear of nervous dread. This afremia destroies the fear of moving from a place where we are seated, or even of getting out of bed.

One of the quite recent terms is anthrophobia, or the fear of meeting people. Men, and more especially women, suffering from the trouble, avoid, wherever it is possible, the simplest kind of a business interview. They even dislike to meet any one about the house, and have a horror of being introduced to people. A case is cited of a lady who always ran out of her house whenever a relative arrived, but would return presently, and then, as if she had done enough to satisfy her dread, settle down to a chat with her caller.

Photophobia is a more serious trouble. The victim is afraid that something is going to happen to frighten him. It is sometime developed through *nervous shock*, though the cause, like that of the other nervous "phobia," seems to be largely hereditary. A physician describes a case in which a man had precursive nervous symptoms of this kind after having observed an explosion by which several people were injured. The patient came at last to imagining, whenever he walked out at night, that some one was following him with evil intentions. His friends were soon afraid to make gestures while speaking with him for fear he would mistake their import. The man recovered under treatment. One patient felt in constant dread of some impending calamity, though her life had been especially free from accidental troubles. She would speak of these fears to her friends until they became almost out of patience with her. She was not able in any instance to state what she feared. A change of air and scene, on a suitable dietary, restored her completely.

One of the most curious of these affections is lately described as toxiphobia, or the fear of being poisoned. Dr. C. M. Hughes states that it begins most frequently in "altered feeling sensation, or impression, unnatural and unexplainable to the victim of the morbi change; the judgment is soon swayed to a remarkable degree, for despite all vain boasting as to the superiority of the intellect over the feelings and impulses, the latter usually mould the character of the mental processes and the intellect is soon a captive to the unreal impression." The unfortunate person may be under the impression that things without and beyond him-elf contaminated him or that he has become fo t within, and that he is a source of danger to others, bodily or physically intended. But this is an extreme instance, rarely found in the self-accu ing religious insane.

A physician lately described to the writer two or three cases of toxiphobia. In one of them the patient was with difficulty persuaded to purchase the necessary medical prescriptions. He said he was "afraid the druggist would put arsenic or something into his medicine." Another *fley* a man was reported to the doctor as having suddenly at the table. In cutting bread he would take his portion from the center of the loaf only, and he regularly left the table to fill his goblet with water at the faucet. He would not feed his dear *one offere!* to him, but always insisted upon helping himself, and invariably took the interior portions of a dish. As his affection progres ed his suspicions dread became more profound, and his friends took him to the doctor after two or three cooks had been discharged as offensive to him.

"The most curious case of toxiphobia," said the physician, "was that of one of my patients, who was suffering from great debility. One day he entered my office I observed that he was about to faint. I placed him at full length upon a sofa and hastened to offer him a powerful of ammonia and nitric ether—a mixture often used in such circum-tance—but was greatly surprised to observe a look of horror upon my patient's face and to see his almost impotent hands push the bottle away. I went off in a faint almost immediately afterward, and on coming out of it made no explanation, but did I question him, I had been treating him for anæmia, but now suspected *uremia; trouble*, and on consulting with his friends found he was a victim of toxiphobia. It is a mistake for people to conceal such troubles from their doctor. We can often do a great deal for them, and frequently put them in the way of cure when we most desire to time."

Why He Lost His Job.

[New York Times.]

"Well," said the driver of a coal cart to his wife, "they've got a new man in my place, and I've lost my job."

"Why, what was the trouble?" she asked.

"I was sitting on my cart while the load was being weighed," he exclaimed, "when the boss came out and said my services would be no longer required."

"But there must have been some reason for your discharge?"

"There was. The new man weighs seventy-five pounds more than I do."

Saturday Union: Wooden beads should wear chip hats in summer.

HOW NOT TO SMILE.

Troubles Which Actors Endure in Keeping Their Faces Straight.

[Baltimore Herald.]

"Isn't it mighty vexatious," said one man to another at the Academy one night not long ago, "how that fellow on the stage can say such ridiculously funny things without allowing a ripple of a smile to creep across his countenance?"

"No, not marvelous exactly," replied the other, who was an actor, languidly lowering his opera-glasses and curling his mustaches sententiously, "but it requires an immense amount of practice. It is one of those arts which the public never appreciate until brought into contact with some chatt-ring idiot who always laughs first at his own jokes. Then the effect becomes appalling. To keep from laughing before an audience is a difficult thing to do and often befits the most desperate efforts of lecturers and actors. To save their soul they cannot choke off the miserable smile that will come sneaking over the face at the wrong time. Some of the funny men have spent months of study over this one thing. Mark Twain explains that he does'nt smile when cracking jokes because saying funny things always makes him feel sad.

"The most successful humorist on the stage is he who has an expressive face which he can set into a position of calm and mournful de-pair the moment the joke leaves his lips. The more solemn the humorist the greater the effect of his words. Nothing is more damaging to the enthusiasm of an audience so much as to discover that the funny man knows that he is funny. When he laughs it makes them feel sa- if he is simply inviting them to do likewi e in a cold-blooded fa-hion, and that makes *them mad*. They pay their money to see the show and they have a right to delude themselves with the idea that they are actually discovering the humor themselves, and that they are laughing spontaneously.

"Many devices have been put in use by actors and lecturers to keep from smiling, but the simplest and most effective is to put a small wooden button in the mouth and bite down on it every time the impulse to laugh makes itself manife-t. Some grit their teeth, or rather their boot, as Hugley Dougherty, the famous min-trel, for a long time resorted to the scheme of sticking a pin in his thigh. People who have not been on the stage cannot imagine what agony it is to attempt to keep from laughing. For this reason they cannot sympathize with that graceful fellow up there as he glides about with a smile on his face alive *with suggestive gesture, and drips one* excruciating funny thing after another. Perhaps he is hardened to it, but his skin is taut, but ten chances to one at this very moment he is nervously clutching his fingers, his leg muscles are contracted, his body is itching with ungoing and he would give $1,000 could he hold a board up in front of him and indulge in a good, square smoker."

Reporters and Detectives Ubiquitous.

[Joe Howard's Letter.]

I remember one time, many years ago, I had some trouble at Fulton Ferry. It was about 1 o'clock in the morning and I was on my way home, and, having missed a boat, was hanging with other about the entrance when I very foolishly became involved in a controversy with a fellow-passenger with an anti-Beecher fellow from Brooklyn. It was in the very height of the discussion pro and con of the great man, and Anti-Brooklyn ebaty ventured upon a remark which cut rather rudely across my feeling as a son and brother and I knocked him down. We were both arrested and taken to the station house, and I never shall forget the amazement with which I looked at some twenty reporters, representing every paper, morning and evening, in the city, with all the associations besides that gathered about the desk during our examination. Where under the sun they came from, how they heard of any trouble was a mystery then, as it is now.

I will remark in passing that after some good advice the Brooklyn man and my-elf were mutually released, of course. Now, the feeling which I had then in reference to these reporters I find repeated nearly every day when I look at the frequently gathered crowds about a fight or an accident or a rumpus of whatever nature, and see, as it were in an instant, the congregation of detectives and police officers in plain clothes who seem to spring from the ground and the street like magic, and gather in and about the assemblage permeating, knowing the entire concourse, ready to disperse the crowd if necessary, to arrest the offender if any, and to keep the peace at all hazards.

Three New Ideas in Styles.

[Baltimore Herald.]

Said the barber: "The imperial is going out of style and is now never worn by young men except to lengthen a moon face or hide a double chin. The fancy men are having them cut off. The fashion for perfectly smooth faces is constantly getting more stylish. The style runs by seasons and kept in motion by esthetic schoolgirls, who complain that the mustache tickles. As a rule, the growth of hair on a well-complexioned person is more luxuriant than on the dark skin. The rage for banging the hair in front of the ears has lost favor as dude circles."

Said the shoemaker: "Young men are wearing shoes with much thinner soles than formerly. Many of them prefer what is known as the paper sole, long in vogue among women to shop in of an afternoon. The fashion is coming around *gradually to polished toes again*. Patent leather is not so much used for street shoes. Yellow, pink and maroon-colored kid is liked better. The yellow shoe-trings are seldom called for except by colored persons or rustics."

Said the notion dealer: "Bright colors in cravats will be most sought for. The fashion will be plaids of black and yellow, and yellow and crimson, or purple and pink. The coming cravat will be of the pattern worn by our fathers long ago—that is tied in front in a knot and falls down carelessly over the shirt bosom. The shirt-hider is in exile."

Fred Douglass' Earliest Memory.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]

"Now tell me your earliest mem ry," said Miss Peabody to Frederick Douglass one day as the opening of a conversation. "Your *first questioning of things*." After a moment's meditation Douglass told his simple first memories—the lizards on his grandmother's fence, the well sweep, etc. "But my first questionings," he said, "I remember well enough. Why am I a black boy and why is Dan Floyd white! Why can he strike me and why must I never strike back! Why do some of us live in the cabins and go hungry, while some live in the big houses and have enough to eat! If God is good, why did he make me a slave?"

Not To Be Scooped.

[Evans (Colo.) Journal.]

If any one is contemplating going where the woodbine twineth, hanging themselves, fooling with a mule, becoming a base ball umpire, killing his or her mother-in-law, eating rough on rats, monkeying with a buzz saw, or doing other rash and poetical deeds, please give me a hint on Thursdays or Fridays, as we go to press early Saturday morning.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

Troubles With the Indians.

DURANGO, Col., June 23.—A messenger arrived here yesterday from Dolores Valley and says that the Indians had killed a planter named Gunthery, murdered his wife and burned his barns, haystacks, etc. The messenger also confirmed the report that the cowboys had killed six of a family of Indians.

One young buck belonging to the same family was wounded, but escaped, came to the Ingracio Agency and said the story and immediately 250 warriors came to the agency and demanded revenge. Agent Stroblstetter *decided them by agreeing to go with twenty* two of them to Fort Lewis, get an escort of soldiers and proceed to the scene of trouble, investigate the matter and bring back the bodies of their dead comrades. The agent and twenty-five Indians passed through here last night en route for Fort Lewis.

Another messenger came in last night with a report that a party of Indians had met Joe Dougherty, a brother of Captain Dougherty, now stationed at Fort Lewis near Mitchell Springs, killed him and taken his wife away a captive. Captain Dougherty and command started for the scene of the murder. The commander at Fort Lewis sent a company of cavalry to intercept Captain Dougherty fearing he might use discretion and seek revenge for the death of his brother and the captivity of his wife.

Strange Shooting by a Boy.

LITTLE ROCK, June 23.—Saturday last Cyril Wall, son of Col. Wall, of D. C. Wall, went to the door of Dr. Parson's drug store in Gainesville with a rifle, and fired at a crowd of boys who were standing by the counter. The ball first struck Charlie McCausrock in the side, glancing off one of his ribs. It then cut a lock of hair from the head of a little son of Leonidas Stedman, and then struck Pelford, and the son of Mr. Stedman, to the left side of the head *just behind* his left temple, where it still remains. Pelford Stedman cannot recover. Young Wall was arrested and placed under heavy bonds. He gives no explanation of the shooting.

Arrival of the Escaped Prisoners.

WINNIPEG, Man., June 23.—While principal chief council from Big Bear arrived at Maddleton's camp this morning. They say that *they had a hard rough time of it*, but it might have been worse. Mr. Lean says while the Indian had plenty of provisions they were comparatively comfortable, but after that they suffered from hunger. Three Wood Cree left Big Bear and joined the latter before he would give up the prisoners, who were allowed to start in for Fort Pitt three days ago alone. The Wood Cree have gone back to get a number of previous near the Catholic mission on Beaver River. The *prisoners are all in g od health.*

To a New Cabinet.

LONDON, June 23.—To-day, with the exception of the appointment of a Chief Secretary for Ireland and a Chancellor for the Duchy of Lancaster, all Cabinet matters are settled. A perfect understanding has been reached between the leaders of the two great parties and everything political, at *least for a time is o.* Lord Iddesleigh, the Marquis of Salisbury has gone to Windsor to report progress to her Majesty and receive her latest instructions.

Buddenwick Sentenced.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Charles A. Buddenwick the contractor convicted of manslaughter was today sentenced by Recorder Smyth to ten years imprisonment and fined $500.

Death of Hon. H. T Merrick.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 23.—Hon. Richard M. Merrick, an eminent lawyer and formerly of late for some days past died at 10:30 this morning.

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WOMAN AND HOME,

AND A FEW MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE TO THE CHILDREN.

Matrimony in England and Japan—Art and Decoration—Mrs. Stephens—Jenny June—Worth Remembering—A Dangerous Practice.

[Philadelphia Call.]

"Mrs. Wood, what can be the matter with your little girl? I noticed yesterday she looked very pale and thin, quite different from what she did a year ago. I never thought she was the healthiest looking child anywhere around."

"I know it, Mrs. Waite, and I feel dreadfully alarmed about it; I am afraid she is going into a decline. She has no appetite, is not inclined to study her lessons, cares little for play, and is growing so tall and thin that I have had to punish her several times. *And Mrs. Tabor, who also ps with her,* says she does not rest well at all, and she really believes she does not often sleep half of the night."

"Then she sleeps with Mrs. Tabor. Have you ever heard, Mrs. Wood, that it is a dangerous thing for a child to sleep with a grown person, even if the person is healthy? Then what must it be if the person is such an invalid as Mrs. Tabor undoubtedly is?"

"It doesn't hurt the child a bit," pettishly replied the mother. "Your head, Mrs. Waite, is quite full of all these new fangled notions about air, gymnastic exercises, and all such nonsense, *which nobody thought about fifty years ago, and yet they were as tough as before.*"

"People were ill then, and died from the same diseases that they do now, and there were more cases of lingering consumption, as they knew not how to ward it off in the first stages. And to convince you that well-informed people then considered it a dangerous practice for young people to sleep with older and diseased ones, I will relate a case often told by my father with the most sorrowing emotions. A girl of 9 years at the time of her death, the only child of wealthy, idolizing parents, had been allowed since her 2th year to sleep with her grandmother. Although she had been in strong health, her stamina was almost untill the last, attributed to every cause but the right one. A physician then was called, when, on examining the case, and having been told with whom the poor little sufferer slept, declared that nothing else caused her illness. Her time was spent in a little bed by herself; but though she brightened up a little, it was too late for recovery, and in a few weeks she died. I have also been told of another case. A little girl about the age of the former, after having been permitted to sleep with an elderly aunt a few months, was fast going into a decline, having become pale and emaciated, though previously one of the most robust of children. Her parents, becoming concerned about her condition, called a physician, who, after inquiries, at once detected the cause of her suffering; and as it was not, as in the former case, too late to hope for recovery, he said said the child would regain her health and strength in a few months if allowed to sleep alone. Of course the parents heeded his advice, and the girl gradually recovered."

"Well, I'd try it," said Mrs. Wood. "After this, Aggie shall no longer sleep with Mrs. Tabor. But I don't believe it will make a bit of difference."

It did, however, for the child became well.

Matrimony in England.

[New York Mail and Express.]

English girls seldom marry before the age of 22 or 23. Some marry well at the age of 31. A man in England is not arranged in a few days, or even in a few months. A young man of about 30 engage himself to a young lady of, say 18, and the lovers remain thus engaged for three or even five years. These are the woman's good times. During the engagement she enjoys almost all the sweets of married life without any of its troubles, and she is free. Sometimes she does her best to make the engagement last as long as possible. She refuses to murmur words of love to her betrothed to shutting herself up with him in some semi-detached cottage where he bemoans the high price of bread and butter and coal.

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Things Worth Remembering.

[Compiled.]

That a tag of lard and rellaves neuralgia.

That warm borax water will remove dandruff.

That salt should be eaten with nuts to aid digestion.

That milk which stands too long makes bitter butter.

That a tart, strong lemonade taken at bedtime will break up a bad cold.

That it rests with you, in sewing, to change your position frequently.

That pretty flannel should be rubbed over with beeswax and lard.

That a little soda water will relieve sick headache caused by indigestion.

That a cup of strong coffee will remove the odor of onions from the breath.

That tough meat is made tender by lying for a few minutes in vinegar water.

That well-ventilated bed-rooms will prevent morning headaches and lassitude.

That a cup of hot water drank before meals will relieve nausea and dyspepsia.

That a fever patient can be made cool and comfortable by frequent sponging off with soda water.

That consumptive night sweats may be arrested by sponging the body nightly in salt water.

That tea in a faint should be laid flat on his back, then loosen his clothes and let him alone.

That cold tea should be saved for your vinegar barrel. It sours easily and gives color and flavor.

That to beat the whites of eggs quickly, add a pinch of salt. Salt cools and cold eggs froth rapidly.

That the hair may be kept from falling out after illness by a frequent application to the roots of salt water.

That you can take out spots from wash goods by rubbing them with the yolk of egg before washing.

That white spots upon varnished furniture *will disappear if you hold a hot plate from* the stove over them.

The Antique Feminine Waist.

[Magazine of Art.]

I believe it is a fact that the corset was not unknown to Rome, but it is clear that the Greek and Roman women, as a whole, were quite convinced that the human form was itself beautiful, and that they made no attempt to disfigure it by compression or addition. Young girls were dressed simply, chastely and with great ease. The flowing robe, slightly open at the throat and occasionally falling in two sets of folds. On the eve of marriage they were clad in a purple robe called the zona. After that event they wore the girdle, which the Roman matrons generally placed *immediately beneath the bosom.* Sometimes it was a band and at other times a cord tied in a bow, over which the folds of the upper part of the dress fell gracefully.

Among the Greeks, though not infrequently worn as just described, it was often placed lower down. Occasionally the stola was bound about the bosom by a band passing over the right breast. This gave the right arm liberty for action and it was only for this object for speedy motion that the stola ever appeared to have been drawn very tight. So little did the Greek and Roman women think of the waist that in *great numbers of draped statues* their manties are so worn as to hide it altogether.

Children's Parties Dangerous Affairs.

[Tid-Bits.]

A noted physician of London, in his lectures on children and their diseases, calls the attention to the fact that children's parties are dangerous affairs.

Have mother's ever thought for a moment of the wear and tear of the little mind, from the time the invitation to the moment the affair is in action. Do they know the danger of improper food and drink, mixing of ages, dresses and fashions.

Do they realize that the little brain is in a whirl of excitement for days before and after the party—that the event is talked of in the nursery, schoolroom and kitchen, and is immensely abortive dreams. What is still worse, the excitement continues a matter of after conversation in children of tender years; in fact, is continuous until many days have elapsed; perhaps does not disappear until another invitation is received.

The pleasures, pastimes and amusements of children should be simple and unaffected, free from excitement and false surroundings. Parties in advance of the physical or health of child-life. Mothers, bear it well in mind.

Why More Women are Not in Office.

[Washington Cor. Courier-Journal.]

I asked a chief of one of the bureaus why such a great and seemingly unjust discrimination was made against females, after their competency for the places had been so well established. He replied about as follows: "There are a number of reasons why we prefer men to women for department work. In the first place women are more susceptible to complaints than men and lose more time by sickness. The record shows this. When a woman has the headache, or is feeling badly otherwise, you are more naturally sympathetic with her than you would be with a man, and, if it is possible, would much prefer her going home than remaining at her desk. Then, she not dare to boss a woman around like you would a man, or could her if she should fail to do her work. And then there is another and more important reason why we prefer men. Women will not stand being reprimanded, and talk back to you savagely, and then subside into a spell of the sulks that will last several days. All of this is very unpleasant, and it does not occur often with the male clerks."

Ages of Well-Known Women.

[Pall Mall Gazette.]

These figures were obtained from a careful study of the dates contained in a recently published biographical dictionary: Miss Adam, 49; Mary Anderson, 26; Sara Bernhardt, 41; Mrs. Bonant, 38; Rosa Bonheur, 68; Miss Braddon, 54; Mrs. Gordon Cumming, 48; Lady Eastlake, 69; Empress Eugenie, 39; Emily Faithfull, 50; Mrs. Gladstone, 73; Julia Ward Howe, 65; Mme. de Novik ff 43; Jenny Lind, 64; Pauline Lucca, 49; Helen Modjeska, 41; Florence Nightingale, 65; Christine Nilsson, 42; Mrs. Oliphant, 67; Adelina Patti, 48; Christina R ssetti, 59; Ellen Terry, 37; Mrs. Weldon, 48, and Mrs. Henry Wood, 65.

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[Inter Ocean.]

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry street.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	58	6 a. m.	69
9 a. m.	67	9 a. m.	76
12 m	75	12 m.	83
3 p m.		p. m.	92

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise..... 4.30 a.m	Sunrise..... 4.30 a.m.
Sun Sets.... 7.35 p.m.	Sun Sets..... 7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises 2.47 p.m.	Moon Rises.... p.m.

Chronological Events.

Labrador discovered 1497

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, stationary temperature

For Thursday—Fair weather is indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States and generally warmer.

JOTTINGS.

—Regular church prayer meetings this evening.

—The Music Hall Association have booked Modjeska for an appearance here next season.

—The bicycle club took a short run last evening. The next run will take place on Saturday afternoon.

—The prize committees of the High School on Botany and Penmanship meet at the Fourth street school this evening.

—There have been 1399 scholars enrolled in the public schools during the past year. The average of attendance has been very good.

—There is a movement on foot in many parts of the country to make a half holiday out of Saturday afternoon. The idea is received with great favor.

—An extra large number of essays were submitted by members of the High School this year in competition for the prize. They were of an unusually high standard.

—The Cinnamon in this city say they will close up shop on the 4th of July, and celebrate the day with the Americans by singing songs, shooting fire-crackers and eating ice cream.

—A three-year-old son of Thomas Applegate, leaving near Tracy Station, Middlesex County, swallowed two lima beans, a few days ago, which, lodging in his windpipe, caused his death.

—The appointment of County Clerk Vanderveer of Somerset County as internal revenue collector for this district has aroused considerable discussion among politicians throughout the State.

—The case of the disturbance on Terrell road on Sunday was brought up before Justice Nash yesterday and on motion of the counsel for the State was postponed until Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

—In almost every part of Plainfield at the present time improvements on the roads are being carried forward. The extra appropriation voted by the taxpayers is bearing its legitimate fruits in better thoroughfares.

—Admission to the North Plainfield Public School Commencement in Warren Mission Chapel will from necessity, on account of the small size of the building, be by ticket. The exercises will take place to-morrow evening.

—Mrs. Barclay Irvine, living near Red Tavern, in Middlesex County, has just become the mother of triplets, all of whom are living. The woman is famous for having almost always successively given birth to twins.

—The final account of the estate of the late Henry Latimer, of the city, filed recently in the County Clerk's office shows that the estate was worth $1,200,000. This was the result of early application and economical habits.

—There will be closing exercises at the Fifth Street Primary School to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock, under the direction of Miss Hampston, vice-principal. One of the pleasing features of the exercises will be a fan drill by the girls of the gymnastic classes.

—The City and Borough of Plainfield, is suggested by some as a good designation for this locality, one in name, one in appearance, one in interest, it should be, one in reality. The next step in order will be to have a city and borough government combined in one. "In union there is strength."

—Aaron M. Powell, of this city, editor of the National Temperance Advocate, New York, formerly editor of the National Anti-Slavery Standard, has prepared a new lecture, on "Wendell Phillips: Orator, Philanthropist, Agitator," which he will give under the auspices of the Bryant Literary Union, Evening Post Building, New York. His additional lectures are: 1. "Glimpses in Europe;" 2. "George Fox, the Quaker;" 3. "The New Irrepressible Conflict—The Drink Problem."

OLD TIME TEMPERANCE.

How They Did It in Years Gone By.—Women in the Front Then as Now.

The Trenton Times recently contained an interesting article on old time temperance in this State, from which the following is taken:

"In 1852 and 1854 the temperance question was as much an excitable and important element in the politics of the State as at any other period since that time. The particular phase of the question was that of local opinion, modeled after the Maine law. The friends of the cause nominated candidates for the Assembly in almost every county in the State. They nominated Mr. Hazelton for Congress in the First District, and, strange to say, he carried every county except Camden, and Camden saved the Whig candidate, Hon. John T. Nixon, from defeat, by giving a majority against Mr. Hazelton greater than all the combined majorities of the other counties. In 1855 they brought in the law before the Legislature with great force. The excitement ran high in every county in the State, and after weeks of debate they carried the measure by a majority of twelve votes.

All eyes were then turned to the Senate. The temperance men, in counting their strength, had included among the Senators who would favor the bill, Col. William C. Alexander, of Mercer, and Dr. Martin, of Somerset, both of whom they claimed had been elected by their votes. Col. Alexander was President of the Senate. He was a man of fine personal appearance; fluent, logical and always eloquent to the admiration of all who heard him. His fellow Senators partook much of his dignity and urbanity.

In this body it was supposed that the measure was safe. But, to make assurance doubly sure, the ladies, finding out that in the members of that dignified Senatorial body there were seven bachelors—one-third of the whole body, of whom Col. Alexander was one—they were pressed to bring into requisition their personal charms, and capture the Senate with it arms.

Forty or fifty thousand names had been added to the petitions for the measure, and these, with feminine adroitness, had been pasted together and run on a wheel three feet in diameter. A day was set apart for the presentation of this petition to the Senate. The ladies had this immense wheel taken to the Senate and placed directly in front of Col. Alexander. Rev. Theodore Cuyler then officiating as one of the Presbyterian pastors in this city, had been selected to make the presentation speech. The Senate chamber was densely crowded by ladies. It was a grand occasion, equaling a Governor's inauguration day. The ladies were dressed in their best clothes and fine array, and the Senators had laid off the usual forbidding Senatorial gravity, and for all the world looked like two-by-one captured innocents. At last the counsel or arbor appeared. Silence, deep profound and perpendicular prevailed, when the orator began as follows:

"Senators of New Jersey! Most of you are husbands and all of you are fathers." The bachelors eyed each other with sup pressed convulsions. Silks and satins rustled. A scuffling of feet around the arrow-shaped lips followed, while the masculine and coarser part of the audience broke out into loud guffaws.

It was some time before the audience simmered down into becoming propriety, but the orator wisely paused on, unheeding the inputs linguum, to the end of his oration. The President called the Senate to order. The slow-resurging fair ones had reached the hallway, and the seven bachelor wise men rushed to the lobby and gave full vent to that pent-up volcanic laughter, which in the presence of the dignified presiding officer they were compelled to suppress for fear of the frowning and menacing gavel. The great measure was defeated, Col. Alexander and Dr. Martin voting against it."

Personal.

—Mr. E. E. Kinsman, of this city, according to a letter from him, at Chicago, in the interest of the underground system of electric lighting says: "I am here on account of contract for lighting (by electricity) the public buildings of "Cook County." Those located in the city of Chicago are to be lighted by underground wires, as are also all places lighted by the subtle fluid in the city. I have not seen electric light wires of any description in the entire city; in fact no new wires of any kind are allowed, and old wires are fast coming down much to the improvement of the streets and relief of the fire department."

—Engine Co., No. 1, have not secured a horse to replace the one which died from colic a short time ago, but have a suitable animal selected to buy, if satisfactory terms can be arranged.

—The sponsors at the Reform Club meeting on Sunday evening are announced to be W. H. Sampson, C. E. Tyler, and Edward Doyle McCartay, one of the leading lawyers of New York.

—In the event of President Murray not arriving home from Virginia in time to preside at the Commencement exercises to-morrow evening, Secretary Harper will fill the position.

—The city authorities are in earnest in the matter of abating nuisances. All violators of the ordinance relating to the health of the city will be severely dealt with.

—The rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association on East Front street are supplied with the latest periodicals. The rooms are open all day and evening.

—The Young Men's Christian Association have decided to defer their intended purchase of new books for their library until Fall.

—The splendid horses of Engine Co., No. 2, are kept in regular practice by the gong drill.

Mrs. Gardner Tallis, of Dividing Creek, and Mrs. Elias Robbins, of Bridgeton, mother and daughter, both died within an hour of each other last week. Mrs. Tallis was aged 81 and Mrs. Robbins 65. Both were buried Sunday at Dividing Creek, in the same grave.

A Potowotomy.

Billy is said to be a "Potowotomy." That is the designation of a so-called club, said to be run for the benefit of a certain hotel. To become a member of this club, the candidate must first get all "the members drunk, at the hotel bar of course, while they are together, and when he has "set 'em up for the boys" until he has got them in such condition, usually costing him about $20 to $25, he is given a name, by which he is thereafter known among the roysterers, the name being given by a so-called chief, and with as much mock solemnity as the mandied condition of the crowd permits, it concluding with another round to drain the victim of his last cent. When he is considered initiated, and the barproceeds are thereby somewhat increased. During one of Billy's orgies he is said to have given himself away something after this style.

"Hic-yes. I'm a Potowotomy, and was named the "Cunning Fox." I'm on a still hunt for the postmastership, and The News don't know anything about it this time. I'm quietly biz, working the Congressman by letters and through his brother-in-law. I had a long talk with him on the Astor House steps not long ago, and he knows that me and my brothers just run the politics of this place. Yes, (hic) I'm solid, and don't you forget it. Come, set 'em up again." "I know what I am about." And so did the bearer, evidently by the way he smiled over the matter afterwards. Reverting to the Potowotomy an attempt was made a few years ago to get up a ball, but those who had been entrapped into so-called membership including some very respectable citizens, repudiated the scholarship, and declined to be bled any further. They would not have the public know that they have ever been in such disgraceful company, so the ball did not take place.

The Commencement Program.

The following is the program of exercises for the Commencements of the High School to take place to-morrow evening at Stillman Music Hall:

Overture—Summer Night's Dream. Supp.
Henry David Thoreau ..William Daniel Thickstun
Lancaster in Olden Time ..Jessie Angeles Ackerman
Landscapes of Tennyson ..Florence Genevieve Hawkins.
Gavotte—Octavia ..Wiegand.
The Six Boy Kings of England ...Annie Augusta Moore.
National Flowers ..Julia Graham Taylor
Forest Music ..Florence Maibelle Randolph
Serenade ..Moscowski.
Cobwebs ..Maude Agnes Bowers
Songs of the Poets, with Valedictory ..Estelle Daniel.
Selection—Lohengrin ..Wagner.
Awarding of Prizes.
Address ..Prof. Henry M. Taylor, Yale College
Waltz—Estudiantina ..Waldteufel
Presentation of Diplomas.
National Airs.

A Serious Runaway.

The handsome team belonging to Mr. Moore, of Grove street, North Plainfield, was being driven to meet the 5.25 p. m train from New York yesterday by the driver, Peter Hensley, when the pole strap broke shortly after the carriage turned into North avenue. The horses started and made straight for the carriage of Mrs. Lissignolo, in which that lady was seated. The driver managed to pull the horses to one side, but the wheels caught and Mrs. Lissignolo was thrown from the carriage. Fortunately she was but slightly bruised. Her horse started, and the carriage collided with a telephone pole on Peace street. Mr. Moore's coachman was thrown out, and the horses continued, and turned down Peace Street and Front street, up setting on their way a buggy belonging to Mr. Kellogg, of Mt. Pleasant. The horses were stopped on West Front street by Mr. Fritz. The coachman was severely cut about the head, and Dr. T. H. Tomlinson was called and attended to his wounds. The three carriages were badly wrecked.

Personal.

Mr. Keeney, of New Orleans, is visiting his sister, Miss Dr. Keeney, of West Fourth street.

Mrs. C. D. Wadsworth, the wife of Councilman Wadsworth, is summering with friends at Washington, Conn.

Mr. Green, of the Home Insurance Co., of New York, a former resident of this city, has returned and is boarding on East Front street.

Frederick Moon, who has been spending his vacation at Hagerstown, Md., sends us a number of papers from that place. He goes to-day to Pittsburgh, in this State, to remain a few days before coming home.

Miss Julia E. Baitley, principal of the Plainfield Public Schools, will pass a portion of her vacation at her old home in Danbury, Conn., and a portion at Chautauqua, where she holds the position of Secretary of the Summer School of Languages.

Music Hall Re-opened.

On Tuesday next, the long rest in dramatic attractions at Music Hall will be agreeably broken by the production of the Madison Square Theatre's success, "A Russian Honeymoon." The New York Critic has the following: "All of the pretty plays which have been seen on the boards of the Madison Square Theatre, 'A Russian Honeymoon' is the prettiest. In literary workmanship, unusually delicate, in action, rapid and strong, it charms by the feminine quaintness which is called 'inimitable,' and by the more masculine qualities which marked 'Young Mrs. Winthrop.'"

The milk producers of the New Jersey and Pennsylvania counties supplying Philadelphia met last week and organized the "United Milk Producers' Association. It was decided to increase the wholesale price to the city dealers to six cents on and after July 1.

Captain W. H. H. Miller of Camden, and Dr. Dyer, inspectors of the Board of Health, have ordered a herd of seven cattle, sick with pleuro-pneumonia, on the farm of Levi Hillier, near Lamberton, to be slaughtered.

A gentleman's driving association has been organized at Freehold, and the Fair Grounds of that place have been secured for the exhibition.

Art Gallery Notes.

Among the contributions to the Loan Exhibition will be one by Mrs. Van Arsdale. It is a picture of still life entitled "Summer Friends," and includes a bunch of peonies, a copy of the Century magazine, a copy of Taine's "English Literature," and a pitcher of ice water. It is said to reflect great credit on the lady's artistic ability. She will also loan a collection of Indian relics, taken from the Nez Percee Indians. The collection includes a number of scalps taken from the heads of luckless whites.

Lawrence Myers has sent a painting by J. G. Brown, entitled "Hide-and-seek."

Mr. Closson, of East Front street, will loan a De Taille, from his interesting collection.

Mr. Force, the manager of the Oil Cloth Works, will loan his interesting collection of Indian relics of the Hudson river.

Among the bric-a-brac will be a cabinet brought over in the May Flower, and which has descended from father to son since that time and is at present owned by the Hon. J. Evarts Tracy.

Maj. Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock, late Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United States, has been invited to be present on the occasion of the opening, and will probably accept. Should he do so he will be the guest while in this city of his old friend, the Hon. Joseph W. Yates, of East Seventh street.

The Central Road's Dividends.

The Receivers of the Reading Railroad Company met yesterday and gave considerable attention to the Jersey Central. They have been seriously threatened by the managers of the latter company that if they do not give them some assurance of the payment of their overdue dividends that they will take legal steps. The Receivers are trying to persuade them that they could do nothing with the property if they had it, as it is not earning its fixed charges and would have to go into a Receiver's hands again. Central men, however, say this is all moonshine.

Early Closing

[From Clerks.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—Will you not allow us to express to the public through your columns that we are endeavoring to get our employers to close their dry goods stores at seven o'clock p. m. instead of nine and ten p. m. as formerly during the months of July and August, and ask the co-operation of the public.

State Notes.

Edwin Abbott, brother of the Governor was deliver the Fourth of July oration at Washington, Warren County.

J. K. Hoyt, formerly managing editor of the Newark Daily Advertiser, will be installed editor-in-chief of the Journal on July 1.

Henry Hunter, twenty-two years of age, employed on the Emmons farm, near Trenton, while bathing in Stony Brook Sunday, was drowned.

Fish Warden Gallagher and his crew last week captured two gill nets that were being used illegally in the river off Sycamore Point. The fishermen escaped with their boats.

Edward Murphy, a flagman at the Washington street crossing of the Pennsylvania Railroad, who lives in Ninth street, Jersey City, was fatally injured by an engine last night.

A son-in-law of Nathan Selange, who was killed on the Camden and Atlantic Railroad at Cedarbrook, in Gloucester county, by a gun suit against the Railroad for a heavy amount.

At a meeting last week of the directors of the Flushing and Long Branch and the Island Heights Railroad Companies, articles of merger and consolidation of the two roads were agreed to.

A man who has not been identified was killed by a locomotive in the Pennsylvania Railroad yard yesterday at Jersey City. He was apparently sixty years old and dressed in dark clothing.

The business men of Moorestown have finally resolved to establish a national bank there and will apply to the comptroller of the currency for a charter for an institution with a capital of $50,000.

The Board of Education will meet at the State House at Trenton, on Thursday, June 25, at 10 o'clock noon. An appointment of Superintendent of Public Instruction for Gloucester county will be made at this meeting.

—Coroner Hughes, of Union Hill, on Monday night began an inquest in the case of Philip Hoffman, the young man who was killed a week ago by a gang of hoodlums because he refused them money with which to buy beer.

Charles Sachs, residence unknown, aged 35, a pea-picker by trade, was found dead and mangled almost beyond recognition on the railroad track at Millwood Station, 4 miles north of Camden last week. It is suspected that he was murdered and the body laid across the track to throw off suspicion.

A Cumberland County housewife recently took two eggs which she thought were worthless, from under a hen and threw them on the manure pile. A short time afterward on passing by there she noticed that the eggs were in process of hatching on account of the heat generated by the manure.

Henry and Oscar, sons of Henry Landeke, a saddle dealer of No. 19 Arlington street, Newark, quarrelled yesterday. Oscar seized Henry and threw him to the ground. Henry struggled, but his brother, who had drew a clasp-knife and made a thrust at his brother, the blade penetrating the shoulder. He was about to strike again, when Henry drew a revolver and fired, but failed to hit his brother. Oscar started down the street and another bullet from Henry's pistol missed him. Henry walked to the First Precinct Police Station, where his wound, which was not serious, was dressed by the surgeon. He then swore out a warrant against his brother for attempted assault and battery.

Mrs. Charles S. Story, living at Hawthorne, near Paterson, appeared in the Vice-Chancellor's Court yesterday, in obedience to a writ of habeas corpus issued by him to produce her six-year-old boy. Mrs. Story has begun a suit for divorce from her husband, and has since asked for the custody of the child on the ground that the mother was unfit to have charge of him. Mr. Story stated that the child had been in the custody of his grandparents on the mother's side until last Thursday, when she took the child from school to her home. The Vice-Chancellor said that no proof having been submitted to show that the mother was unfit for her boy, he was not warranted in taking away the child.

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BEATING THE PARSON.

HOW IRREVERENT BRIDEGROOMS GET OUT OF FEEING THE MINISTER.

The Envelope Trick—Playing the Marriage-Certificate Dodge—The Coin in Hand—Bogus Checks—An Exchange of Rings.

[New York World.]

"Here in Brooklyn," said the minister, "and in all large cities the marriage fees form no mean part of a minister's income. We receive all the way from $5 to $100 per marriage generally, although in many instances we are 'beaten clean out' of the fee. In the first place, there's the envelope dodge. One aged n happy, loving couple awoke me in the middle of the night and I wanted me to marry them. I arose, dressed myself and performed the ceremony. As the parties turned to leave the room I noticed through his coat tail pocket, and when the bride's head was turned he surreptitiously handed me a well-filled envelope. I tapped them out thinking I had been well paid for my trouble. I hurried to my room and told my wife she could have the new bonnet she had been plaguing me about. I tore open the envelope, and what do you suppose was in it?

"Haven't the faintest idea of it!"

"Yes, sir! Some reporter's copy paper! I think that fellow was a member of the press."

"Then there's the marriage-certificate dodge. Have a good one. I've had it played on me and I know a number of others who have suffered. Here is my case: An apparently well-to-do couple came to my house and I married them. After the consummation of the ceremony the groom said he wanted a handsome certificate with a costly frame.

"'Let it be nice; anything below $25 will suit. Call it twenty-five,' said he, stroking his mustache pompously. 'When can I have it?'

"I told him if he'd call in in the latter part of the week I'd have a nice one for him. The certificate cost me about one dollar. They were large us. That's the frame up there around my grandma does', and the minister, sighing. The certificate can be purchased at 6 ct prices.

"Another case is for his my memory, as it is of recent date. After I had married a couple the groom pulled the coat tails of his pockets and then withdrew his hands. I had I bowed him from the room and a gold bed wreath and the bride, and shaking my hand warmly, placed a large coin in my hand. I made a hearty good-bye. I have that coin yet. Here it is." And the dignified preacher held a leaden token that he had been beautifully rounded and sand-papered to make it resemble a $20 gold piece.

"Checks drawn on broken banks or banks that never had any existence, or banks where they never heard of the drawer, cannot be classed under that head. The ministers of our cities could furnish a fine collection of these if they were called upon to do so. The effrontery of these depraved beings always takes the form of bashfulness. They make believe that they are too bashful to offer the money in the presence of the bride. Whenever I hear a bashful man jingling in his pockets, I am certain that his pocket does not contain gold or keys until he produces a coin and I am not certain of the genuineness of the coin until I have tested it with my teeth. Generally, the jingling man comes out bobby, and in presenting the fee he makes a little joke about his bride being worth it, or something of that kind. That makes me all the angrier, as I have no need of fracturing one's teeth.

"However, I was fooled once by a man who did this very same thing. He had neglected to provide a ring and I loaned him one I always have on hand. After the ceremony he returned it, asking me what my charge was. I told him it was nothing at all, but if he felt inclined to remunerate me he could do so. He pensively remarked that the ground his bride was worth $25, and if she proved good he'd send me $20 on every anniversary of the wedding. He called for pen and ink and filled out a check. He inclosed my ring and left. Three weeks after before they left, and I did so. They had never heard of him at the bank where the check was drawn on.

"'Anl you was a prayer out!'

"One minute! I really felt like amending that petition, for it was a fervent $20 one. I trust the way-ward youth was mollified by it. He nested all the prayers he could obtain by false pretenses. The ring he handed back to me was not mine. When he felt that I pocketed for the check he exchange I it for a decent brass one. I have used it ever since when occasion required."

"Hungry Joe's" Mistake.

[New York Cor. Inter Ocean]

He had always been considered his victims in a manner which, had they decided to stand the ridicule of exposure which prosecution before involved, would bring no more than a short term in the penitentiary as punishment, but this time he got hold of a man who ingloriously submitted to the cruel wrong unresistingly, right up to the point where he ought to have quietly parted with his money. Then he declined to be swindled, and the angry Joe grabbed the cash, thus making him off technically a robber.

"It was a blunder of mine," said Joe to me on the day of his departure in Sing Sing for four years, "I took legal advice and soon after I set up a bunco man, and I was cautioned to never use force—to always induce my victims to voluntarily carry down their booties—so that no charge of larceny would hold against me. But his last been pretty bad for a while, and I was irritated beside. Nothing makes me so cool as to be fooled by a greenhorn. The fooling ought to be all on my side," and Joe seemed to be half in earnest in propounding that peculiar doctrine of roguery.

Still more curious was Joe's apparently sincere belief in his *pro eudou* of psychologic power. I asked him what was the secret of his wonderful success in swindling intelligent and often experienced men. He replied: "It is mesmerism. I have the ability to partially mesmerize almost anybody whose attention I once gain. Did you ever hear of any other bunco man who could operate on the sort of individuals that I have? No, and you won't, unless another mesmerized gets into the business."

The "Elephant" Hotel.

[Chicago Times.]

The large hotel of elephant shape which has been in process of erection at Coney Island, N. Y., for two years, is completed, and its back is 175 feet above the ground. Friday the manager had a number of visitors up through the elephant's left hind leg into his stomach, and the head was discovered to be devoid of vitals. The "stomach room" is sixty by thirty-five feet and triangular in shape. Above the stomach-room the apartments walked through the elephant's disparage and along his liver up into his forehead, where a museum is to be situated during the summer. Then the course was from the lung into the "shoulder-room," then up to the "cheek-room," where they looked through the elephant's right eye out to the ocean and peered down into his trunk.

A SHREWD DECEPTION.

THE REMARKABLE POWERS OF COL. ATLANTUS PINDERGRASS.

The Colonel Invites Home an Old Friend —A Matter of Personal Introduction Somewhat Overdone—Consoling—Ing on Unpleasant Fact.

[Arkansaw Traveler.]

One day, after deep meditation, the prince of Orange remarked to Bentinck: "To the ravages of strong drink the human system resorts in various resistances yielding versatile results." This remark, though it embodies no particular philosophy, other inductive, syllogistic or reconstructive, has caused much comment.

It is true that there is a great difference in man, concerning the power of resistance against the influences of strong drink, and although no man will always care, yet some men while struggling under the effect of liquor, can completely deceive a beholder. Tiere is Col. Atlantus Pindergrass for instance, who will not know that he was drunk you would not think that he had been drinking. He has a way of attaining the height of such politeness, a way of saying such pleasant and appropriate things, that his intoxication is hidden under a bushel of agreeableness.

The other day Mr. Martinhead went home with the colonel. The colonel, his wife and Mr. Martinhead were sitting in the parlor when Miss Sallie Pummel, an old friend who had entered her 39th volume, called. The colonel presented his friend, and, satisfied with the success of his sober pr tense, he leaned back and smiled. Then he began to think about something, and, the thought that his two vices he had not been presented, returned to him.

"Ah, Miss Pummel, allow me to introduce my friend, Mr. Martinhead."

"We have met," replied Miss Pummel.

"Ah I didn't know that you were acquainted."

The colonel's wife cleared her throat with a sharp rasp of irritation. The colonel continued: "I have thought for some time that I would like for you to become acquainted, but it never occurred to me that you were old friends."

"Colonel, let me see you a moment," said Mr. Pindergrass, drawing her husband into an adjoining room.

"What's the matter with you?" she asked.

"N thing."

"Nothing, the mischief. You are drunk."

"Drunk," he repeated contemptuously. "*Oh, of course. A man just gets drunk on the* atmos here."

Then assuming an air of injured innocence the colonel went on: "Has it come to this? Do you want to insult me? What have I done?"

"Why, just look how you acted about introducing—"

"Oh, I see," said the colonel, with a brightening change of countenance. "It was my fault—a mere matter of forgetfulness."

Then, stepping into the parlor, the colonel said: "Miss Pummel, allow me to present Mr. Martinhead, my friend."

"Miss Pummel and I are acquainted," replied Mr. Martinhead.

"That so? Why, let me assure you that I didn't know it. I'll introduce you to an old friend; why, that's a good joke, haw haw—a capital joke, he, he. Wife, let me see you a minute."

"You've got me into a pretty fix," said the *c lonel, when his wife had followed him into* the adjoining room. "Told me those folks was not acquainted. You ought to be particular about such things."

"You ought to be killed," his wife indignantly snapped.

"What have I done?"

"You go-d-n nothing thing, you have made yourself ridiculous. You are the most despicable man I ever saw."

"I'll be confounded if can understand you."

"You are too drunk to understand anything, you brute."

"Look-how, I am tired of being insulted." The colonel wheeled around and went back into the parlor, where he proceeded to make himself agreeable and to disguise the fact that he had been drinking anything. "Why," he said, "how many surprises there are in store for us. We meet every day, and then, when we least expect it they *surprise us. Why, if nay one had told me,* Martinhead, that you had gone to school to Miss Pummel, I would not have believed it."

"He didn't go to school to me," snapped Miss Pummel.

"Ah, that was my waiter-tanting. Oh, it was you who went to school to Martinhead?"

"No sir," interposed Martinhead.

"Oh, you simply went to school together. Yes, I got it mixed, but not much. I do like to see old friends meet each other. Let's see, I've known John Martinhead for years. Miss Pummel, but not until to-day did I know that he was an old friend of yours—not until to-day."

Mr. Martinhead, playing the sullen recollection of urgent business, withdrew, and Miss Pummel not desiring to remain after the colonel's behavior, soon took her leave. The colonel, not long afterward tumbled into bed. When he awoke next morning he remembered nothing except that he had declared his wife.

"A man wanted me to take a drink with him yesterday, but I wouldn't do it," said he.

His wife did not reply.

"By the way, our friend Martinhead would have come home with me yesterday but couldn't get off."

Yes, some men have a way of concealing *the fact that they are drunk.*

A Coming Ode.

[Lime-Kiln Club.]

The chairman of the committee on agriculture announced his quarterly report, and added that it gave great satisfaction to be able to state that at least one-third more watermelons would be marketed this year than last. He had been in direct correspondence with many growers, and they reported unusually thin rinds and large cores. He would suggest, as a token of gratitude on the part of the colored race, that the Lime-kiln club offer a prize of $10 in gold for the best ode to the first watermelon, the said ode to be strictly original, written in blue ink, and the author to make a $3 affidavit that it had never appeared in print before.

The suggestion was, after considerable debate, placed in the form of a resolution, and as such was passed by a large majority. All poems must be in by July 15, and the award will be made by Aug. 1. Authors need not name any particular brand of melon, nor the name of the grower, nor how the melon *came to have the patch without the owner's* knowledge. Neither will any attention be paid to the condition of the melon—whether ripe or green, but a ripe one will probably read the best.

Courier-Journal: The new custom house and postoffice will have six wide entrances. The rights of fat men are nowhere more zealously protected than in our own United States.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

Annual Session of the Knights of St. John.

CHICAGO, June 24.—The Roman Catholic Union of the Knights of St. John began its seventh annual session in this city this morning. The order was organized in 1879 and has increased in membership so rapidly that it is now one of the strongest of the Catholic societies. The objects of the organization are to create and foster a feeling of friendship among the various commanderies, relieve the sick, and promote a due respect for the authority of the Catholic Church. The delegates attended a grand high mass this morning at the Cathedral of the Holy Name, Archbishop Feehan officiating.

An Elephant Clears the Tent.

LAPEER, Mich., June 24.—During the performance of a circus here yesterday a large elephant called "Samson" became infuriated and turned up in the crowd. He tore up the seats and created a panic. Women fainted and children screamed, and a general stampede took places. The animal cleared out the tent and then made a break for the woods, and finally became mired in a swamp. After much difficulty he was extricated. Five shots were fired into him before he could be subdued. A number of persons and their limbs or ker sons were otherwise injured in the panic.

Charged With Killing his Wife.

BUENA VISTA, Co., June 24.—One week ago Mrs. McGrath, of Pineville, disappeared. Her husband could give no explanation of her absence, and fears to create the impression that she had run away. Suspicion soon aroused, and search was made by finding a spot like loose where the ground had been freshly disturbed. The body of the missing woman was found in a ditch. Her skull was crushed in, and her body frightfully mangled. The husband has been arrested and charged with murder.

A Powder Mill Explodes.

ROME, June 24.—A despatch received here this morning from Lice says that a powder mill at that place, containing several tons of powder exploded with a deafening report shortly after the hostilities for midnight. Two of the powder mill hands were instantly killed.

The Conspiracy Case Decided.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 24.—The sealed verdict in the Rochie-Leiber conspiracy case was opened at 9:30 a. m. It fin a Rochie and Reiber not guilty, the prosecution to pay costs of suit.

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"And do we meet again," he said,
"In this strange, spirit-peopled space;
This long-imagined land of shade,
Still with my Eastern pride of face?"

"Alas! I suffered much," she said,
"I loved, but could not speak for fear;
I did not dream that thou wert dead;
Good-bye; I can not linger here."

He saw her pass, and wild and rife
Ran olden memories in his heart;
The pride that severed them in life
Still kept them in that place apart.

NOVEL INTERIOR DECORATIONS.

Innovations Introduced Since Electricity Was Adapted to House Lighting.

[New York Sun.]

"Interior decoration has been greatly affected by electric lighting," said a gentleman who was formerly Edison's first assistant at Menlo Park, as he and a reporter entered the large show room of a manufactory of electric fixtures. "Look at those globes and you will see shapes which were never thought of before electric lights were introduced."

The reporter looked in the direction indicated, and saw many rows of glass globes of various shapes, but none resembling those usually seen on gas fixtures. Some were formed like lilies, some like bluebells, and these with many variations in color and size met the eye in large numbers.

"These globes are now employed," continued the electrical engineer, "by electric lighting. Electric lights hang downward and globes formed like the end of the fixtures most gracefully, the curved rod by which the lamp is attached being regarded as the stem and the globe as the flower. You will see this principle carried out in many of the fixtures we have."

Looking up, the reporter saw suspended from rods running across the ceiling hundreds of fixtures. Especially noticeable were some brass chandeliers which had been imported from London. They were worked in beautiful designs of leafy, drooping branches, with glass blossoms inclosing the electric lamps. Near by was a chandelier of crystals ornamented with jeweled glass. A switch was turned on and in a moment the room was brilliantly illuminated. The current had run along the rods, and the electric lamps were lighted.

There was a wealth of color—shimmers of blue, orange, carmine, and yellow—and many hints reflects from brass and crystal. The finest fixture was an enormous panel of brass set in the wall. It represented trellis work and vines. In addition to the colored globes, the glass on the lamps themselves was colored. As a result, many colored lights shimmered among the leaves.

Another handsome fixture, not for lighting, but merely for decorating purposes, was a single piece for a ceiling. It was a large hemisphere of opaque substance, studded with jeweled glass. This was placed over a cluster of electric lamps. When the latter were lighted, the jeweled glass glowed. This fixture is designed for a room with a looking glass frieze which will reflect the glow.

Anecdotes of Gen. Anson Stager.

[New York Times.]

A listener can pick up a good many characteristic stories of the brusque old telegraph manager. One day a year or so ago Gen. Stager got into a Fourth avenue horse car to ride up town. He had his evening paper and was deep in the intricacies of the abundant miscellany when a cold-hearted conductor tapped his shoulder and asked for fare. Carelessly he reached into a pocket for the needed coin, it was a vain search: one pocket after another gave back the same message; he was down town without a penny. Some weak-minded young woman with some weak minds a young man on the next car the very address mentioned over the passing traveler's confusion. Then a move led it the other end of the car passed a nickel into the conductor's hand. "What's your name and where do you live?" demanded Stager, as, a few blocks further on, he prepared to leave the car. The boy answered. When he went to school the next day he wore a gold watch.

A self-contained young man came to Gen. Stager to ask his help toward securing a responsible place in a down-town banking house. "Have you got a sweetheart?" was the brief and pointed question that the caller met. "No, sir," was his somewhat proud reply. "Then go and get one. I'm afraid of young men who are insisted on themselves. Go find an honest girl; that's a better guarantee of honesty than all the bonds your friends can give." The coveted place, it is related, went to another man.

Patience of an Esquimau.

[Lieut. Schwatka in St. Nicholas.]

When we were near King William's Land, Isaiwa an Esquimau working upon a knife that, as nearly as I could ascertain, had engaged a great part of his time some six years preceding that date. He had a flat piece of iron, which had been taken from the wreck of one of Sir John Franklin's ships, and from this he was endeavoring to make a knife-blade, which, when completed, would be about twelve inches long. In cutting it from the iron plate he was trying for a chisel an old file, found on one of the ships, which it had taken him two or three years to sharpen by rubbing its edge against stones and rocks.

His cold-chisel finished, he had been nearly as many years cutting a straight edge along the ragged side of the irregular piece of iron, and when I discovered him he had outlined the width of his knife on the plate and was cutting away at it. It would probably have taken him two years more to cut out this piece, and two more to fashion the knife into shape and usefulness. The file which he had used was a good deal worn, and such a proof of labor and patience that it was a great curiosity to me, and I gave him a butcher's knife in exchange for it. Thus almost the very thing he had been so long trying to make he now unexpectedly found in his possession. When I told him that our further stay, or his going, would make more than he could carry of such butcher knives during the time we had spent in talking about his, he expressed great surprise.

A Terrible Revenge.

[Philadelphia Record.]

Frederick Hoffman's tongue verbal phrases have won for him a certain sort of celebrity. His late t not refers to a New York critic, of Hebrew origin, who had never been able to commend Bryton's actors. Raging the other day over a fresh scoring Bryton burst forth with: "I'll get even with that fellow yet, if I have to pound his grave with a ham!"

Harvard's Goodly Example.

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A SANITARY TRACT

WHICH IS WORTH PRESERVING FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

Disinfection Made Practical, Easy and Effective — Directions and Formulas of Authorities for the Destruction of Disease Germs.

[Chicago News.]

The committee on disinfectants of the American Public Health association has prepared, at the request of the sanitary council of the Mississippi valley, a report on disinfection and disinfectants which embodies the latest conclusions of science on the subject of deodorizers, antiseptics, and disinfectants. The report was prepared at a time when an invasion of Asiatic cholera seemed imminent, and the language of the committee has been largely influenced by that consideration.

DESTRUCTION OF GERMS.

Too much stress is consequently laid upon the scientific definition of the term "disinfectant." The common idea of its use is for the destruction of specific infectious material which causes specific infectious contagious disease—for example, Asiatic cholera, smallpox, typhoid fever, diphtheria, scarlet fever, etc. It has been proved for several kinds of infectious material that its specific healing power is due to the presence of living micro-organisms known in a general way as "disease germs," and practical sanitation is now based upon the belief that the infectious principle in all kinds of infectious material are all of this nature. "Disinfection," therefore, according to the committee, consists essentially in the destruction of disease germs. "There can be no partial disinfection of such material; either its infecting power is destroyed or it is not, and the latter case there is a failure to disinfect. Nor can there be any disinfection in the absence of infectious material."

For practical purposes this distinction is entirely unnecessary. The disinfectants recommended by the committee will prevent or destroy foul smells. Therefore they are "deodorizers" as well; they will prevent or arrest putrefactive decomposition, therefore they are also "antiseptics." A large number of the proprietary disinfectants, so called, which are in the market, are simply deodorizers or antiseptics, of greater or less value, but are entirely untrustworthy for disinfecting purposes.

CHLORIDE OF LIME.

Premising that neither deodorizers, antiseptics, nor disinfectants can be relied upon as substitutes for cleanliness, the following are recommended as the most efficient and the cheapest disinfectants:

Standard Solution No. 1.—Dissolve chloride of lime of the best quality in soft water, *in the proportion of four ounces to the gallon.*

As the value of this solution depends upon the amount of chloride it contains, it is essential that the chloride of lime be fresh. Such lime may be bought in small quantity for 5 cents per pound; the cost of the solution is, therefore, less than 2 cents a gallon. It is available for free and general use in privy vaults, sewers, sink drains, refuse heaps, stables, and wherever else the odor of the disinfectant is not objectionable.

A quart or more may be used in an offensive vault, and such quantities as may be necessary in other places. It may be used in a sprinkler in stables and elsewhere. In the sick-room it may be used in vessels, cuspidors, etc. Use one pint of this solution for the disinfection of each discharge in cholera, typhoid fever, etc. Mix well and leave in vessel for at least ten minutes before throwing into privy-vault or water-closet. The same rule should apply for the disinfection of limited matters. Infected sputum should be discharged directly into a cup half full of the solution.

HIGHLY POISONOUS.

Standard Solution No. 2.—Dissolve corrosive sublimate and permanganate of potash in soft water, of each 1 drachm of two drams of each salt to the gallon.

This is to be used for the same purposes *and in the same way as standard solution* No. 1. It is more effective, but it is necessary to leave it for a longer time in contact with the material to be disinfected—at least an hour. The only advantage which this solution has over the chloride of lime solution consists in the fact that it is odorless, while the odor of chlorine in the sick room is considered by some an objection. The cost is a little over 2 cents a gallon, the corrosive sublimate costing 60 or 70 cents a pound, and the permanganate about the same. It must be remembered that this solution is highly poisonous. It is proper, also, to call attention to the fact that it will injure leaf types if passed through them in considerable quantities.

A LITTLE MORE EXPENSIVE.

Standard Solution No. 3.—To one part of Labarraque's solution liquor soda chlorinata) add five parts of soft water. This solution is more expensive than a solution of chloride of lime, and has no special advantages for the purposes mentioned. It will cost by the quantity between 8 and 9 cents a gallon.

The surface of the body of a sick person infected with disease, when soiled with infectious discharges, should be at once cleansed with a suitable disinfecting agent. For this purpose standard solution No. 1 may be used. In diseases like small-pox and scarlet fever, in which the infectious agent is given off from the entire surface of the body, occasional ablutions with Labarraque's solution, diluted with twenty parts of water, will be more suitable than the stronger solutions above recommended. In all infectious diseases the surface of the body of the dead should be thoroughly washed with one of the standard solutions above recommended, and then enveloped in a sheet saturated with the same.

CORROSIVE SUBLIMATE AGAIN.

Standard Solution No. 4.—Dissolve corrosive sublimate in water in the proportion of four ounces to the gallon and add one dram of permanganate of potash for every gallon to give color to the solution. One fluid ounce of this standard solution to the gallon of water will make a suitable solution for the disinfection of clothing. The articles to be disinfected must be thoroughly soaked with the disinfecting solution and left in it for at least two hours, after which they may be wrung out and washed as usual. Before dropping the clothing into the solution add enough of standard solution No. 1 or No. 3 to destroy the color; a small quantity will be sufficient.

Nothing may also be disinfected by immersion for two hours in a solution made by diluting standard solution No. 1 with nine parts of water—one gallon in ten. This solution is preferable for general use, especially during the prevalence of epidemics, on account of the possibility of accidents from the poisonous nature of the standard solutions No. 2, No. 3, and No. 4. To prepare this solution may, however, be used without danger from poisoning through the medium of clothing dampened in it, or by absorption through the hands in washing. A poisonous dose could scarcely be swallowed by mistake, owing to the metallic taste of the solution, and the considerable quantity which would be required to produce a fatal result—at least half a pint.

Nitric acid, chloride of corrosive sublimate, No. 3, and 4 should not be placed in metal receptacles. A wooden tub or earthen crock is a suitable receptacle for such disinfectant.

DISINFECTION OF THE SICK-ROOM.

In the sick-room no disinfectant can take the place of free ventilation and cleanliness. It is as a preventive action in sanitary science that it is impracticable to disinfect an occupied apartment, for the reason that disease germs are not destroyed by the presence in the atmosphere of any known disinfectant in respirable quantity. Bad odors may be neutralized, but this does not constitute disinfection in the sense in which the term is here used. These bad odors are, for the most part, an indication of want of cleanliness, or of poor ventilation, and it is better to turn contaminated air out of the window, or up the chimney, than to attempt to purify it by the use of volatile chemical agents, such as carbolic acid, chlorine, etc., which are all more or less offensive to the sick, and are useless so far as disinfection—properly so-called—is concerned.

BEDDING AND CLOTHING.

When an apartment which has been occupied by a person sick with an infectious disease is vacated it should be disinfected. Heavy clothing, blankets, bedding, and other articles which cannot be treated with solutions should be opened and exposed during fumigation as directed before. Close the room as tightly as possible, place sulphur in iron pans supported upon bricks placed in washtubs containing a little water, set it on fire by hot coals or with the aid of a spoonful of alcohol, and allow the room to remain closed for twenty-four hours.

For a room about ten feet square, at least three pounds of sulphur should be used; for larger rooms, proportionally larger quantities. Heavy woolen clothing, silks, furs, stuffs, bed-covers, bed, and other similar articles which cannot be treated with the sine solution, should be hung in the room during fumigation, their surfaces thoroughly exposed, and pockets turned inside out. Afterward they should be hung in the open air, beaten, and shaken. Pillows, beds, stuffed mattresses, upholstered furniture, etc., should be cut open, the contents spread out and thoroughly fumigated. Carpets are best fumigated on the floor, but should be removed to the open air and thoroughly beaten.

CLEANSING THE CREVICES.

After the sulphur fumigation all surfaces should be thoroughly washed with solution made by adding four ounces of standard solution No. 4 to the gallon, or one pint to four gallons of water. The walls and ceiling, if plastered, should be brushed *over with this solution, after which they should* be white washed with a lime wash. Especial care must be taken to wash all dust from window-ledges and other places where it may have settled, and to thoroughly cleanse crevices and out-of-the-way places. After this application of the disinfecting solution, and an interval of twenty-four hours or longer of free ventilation, the floors and wood work should be well scrubbed with soap and hot water, and this should be followed by a second prolonged exposure to fresh air, admitted through open doors and windows.

FOOD AND DRINK.

It is well established that cholera and typhoid fever are very frequently, and perhaps usually, transmitted through the medium of infected water or articles of food, and especially milk. Fortunately we have a simple means at hand for disinfecting such *infected fluids. This consists in the application* of heat. The boiling temperature maintained for half an hour kills all known disease germs. So far as the germs of cholera, yellow fever, and diphtheria are concerned, there is good reason to believe that a temperature considerably below the boiling point of water will destroy them. But in order to keep on the safe side it is best not to trust anything short of the boiling point (212 degrees F.). The sanitary rule to apply for the disinfection of doubtful matters. Infected sputum should be discharged directly into a cup half full of the solution.

HIGHLY POISONOUS.

During the prevalence of an epidemic of cholera it is well to boil all water for drinking purposes. After boiling, the water may be filtered, if necessary to remove sediment, and then cooled with pure ice if desired.

A sheet of filtering paper, such as drug gists use, and a glass or tin funnel, form the best means for filtering water on a small scale for drinking purposes. A fresh sheet of paper is to be used each time.

An Enthusiastic Shakespearean Scholar.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Horace Howard Furness is a most enthusiastic Shake-spearean scholar. His library in Philadelphia has a ceiling frescoed with Shake-speare's arms. There is a window, almost a shrine, from which looks down a mask of Shake-spare's face, taken secretly from the bust in the church at Stratford upon Avon. He has a pair of Shake-spare's buckskin gauntlets, embroidered with gold thread. They were worn by Shakespeare during his connection with the Globe theater, and are well authenticated. On a shelf rests a skull, on whose dingy surface are written the names of Kean, Macready, Kemble, Talma, Booth, Irving, and all of whom have used it in "Hamlet" as the skull of Yorick.

A Novel Time-Piece.

[Exchange.]

A Salt River jeweler has invented a novel time-piece. The shape of a stout wire stretched across his show window on which a stuffed canary hops from left to right, indicating as it goes the hours of the day by pointing with its head at a dial stretched beneath the wire and having the figures from one to twenty-four. When it reaches the latter figure it glides across the window to one again. There is a certain amount to ever that can be seen, it all being inside the bird. The inventor says he was three years in studying it out.

California Forests Threatened.

[Chicago Times.]

It is said that the destruction of the California mountain forests is seriously threatened by the herds of sheep and cattle which are driven into the mountains every year for grass. From the foothills to the highest meadows every blade of herbage and every seedling shrub and tree is devoured. Young trees are barked and girdled, and the roots of grasses are trodden out by the hoofs of animals. The life of any forest in which all young trees are destroyed is limited to the life of the full-grown trees which compose it.

He Had Seen the Performance.

[Chicago Herald.]

"Are them real cannibals?" inquired a countryman as he gazed on the wonders of a Milwaukee dime museum—"real cannibals? Well, d'ye know what I'd do with 'em if this was my show?"

"No; what?"

"I'd starve 'em for three or four days an' then turn 'em loose on the rest of the actors. I just as us the stage performance."

New Orleans Street Lamps.

[Chicago Herald.]

In the outlying districts of New Orleans, which are lighted by oil street lamps, some of the worthy citizens are in the habit of "borrowing" the lamps at nightfall, returning them in the morning—empty. The others, who came too late, have complained, and hint gas or "enough oil lamps to go round."

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FOR SALE. Cottage, stable and grounds of the late Max Gr ebel at South Plains, Bryants register. Easy terms, since tric. Price $1,200. Apply E. C. Axford No. 35 and 37 opposite depot, Plainfield, N. J. 6-13-6o

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FOR SALE CHEAP—A house containing five rooms and store, now occupied as a butcher shop, on Dow West Third street. Business and store will be sold together or separately. Apply to Michael Wilson, corner, on the premises. 5-9-3o

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FOR SALE—Pianino nearly new and in perfect order finished in dark green cloth. P. O. Box 619.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at the corner of Somerset and Netherwood avenue and Front street, opposite Mr. Johns n's place.

FOR SALE for cheap—Lumber at Gay ord's lumber yard. Apply to Gayford's residence, $2.00 per barrel, delivered to any part of the city. 5-9-12

WILL the person who found gold coin purse on Monday please return same to this office.

LEFT—Some time ago, while calling, a black and brown parasol, trimmed with lace. Please return to Mrs. Yates, Seventh street. 5-5-2

LOST—A gold locket. Had on a silver collar fastened with a red ribbon. Suitable reward given for return to J. P. Sullivan, The Shaddle Cottage, corner Woodland and Highland avenues. 5-5-2

WANTED—Situation by a young Englishman to take care of a place. Understands horses thoroughly. Has first-class city references. Address P. O. Box 791. 5-4-3

FOR SALE—A handsome and sound bay horse, seven years old. Address Dr. Fritts Park ave. 6-24-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Lot of waterproof material for awnings at 25 cents per yard. 5-27-3

WINDMILL and derrick for sale cheap. Perfect order. Box 932. 5-7-6

FOR SALE CHEAP—A three spring grocery and business wagon. Nearly new. Can be seen at Geary's 45 West Front street. 5-9-3

BRICK—17,000 brick, good as new, for sale very cheap. Address, Front care of EVENING NEWS. 5-9-3

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Handsome Knabe Cabinet piano at Alb ert's 23 East Front street. 5-8-tf

FOR SALE—A large, stock Newfoundland dog. Answers to the name of Rover. Suitable reward will be paid for his return to J. S. Cutter, 23 West Front street. 19-tf

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DR. J. ANDERSON, No. 1 Place street, corner Front. Office hours until 10 a. m. 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. 8-30-tf

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SUYDAM & STILLMAN, Counselors at Law, Stillman's Block, Rooms 1 and 2, Plainfield, N. J. George P. Suydam. William M. Stillman.

DR. E. W. HEDGES, Physician and Surgeon, 21 West Front street. Office hours, till 9 a. m., 1 to 3 and 6 to 8 p. m. 7-3-tf

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To Executors, Administrators, Etc.

It is the privilege of all Executors, Administrators, Guardians, etc., in the settlement of estates before the Surrogate, to have all the legal notices relating thereto published in whatever legal paper they may wish. As THE PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS is now a legal paper, being one year old, (the age required by law), all such notices sent to this office will receive prompt attention and insertion. Friends of THE NEWS, acting in any of the above capacities, can have notices inserted in this journal by directing the Surrogate to send such notices to this office for publication.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Sadler's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry, streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	59	6 a. m.	75
9 a. m.	70	9 a. m.	80
12 m	79	12 m.	82
3 p.m.		p. m.	87

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

	1885		1884
Sunrise	4.50 a.m.	Sunrise	4.50 a.m.
Sun Sets	7.35 p.m.	Sun Sets	7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises	11.41 p.m.	Moon Rises	p.m.

Chronological Events.

Isabella abdicated 1870.—Battle of Bannockburn 1314.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair, warmer weather.

For Friday—Local rains are indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States with slightly warmer weather, preceded by fair weather.

JOTTINGS.

—A small band of gypsies are encamped at the round pond, near the race course.

—The New Brunswick census gives 2732 dwelling houses, 3688 families and 18258 population.

—Schwed Brothers, to-day received a new line of neckwear, among the stock being some of the latest novelties, which are quite attractive.

—We were in error yesterday in stating that Mr. Fritts stopped Mr. Moore's runaway team the afternoon before. The honor belonged to Peter Wright.

—There will be no meeting of the Reform Club this evening owing to the commencement exercises which will take place in this city and North Plainfield.

—Judge Ulrich, Chief Dodd and Justice Nash were extended courtesies by the State Prison authorities at Trenton yesterday. They were shown throughout the building.

—The Mother Hubbards, of Rahway, who created considerable amusement in this and other cities on the parades last Fall, are amusing themselves during the summer by playing base ball.

—Sheriff Convery, of Middlesex County, holds the personal property of C. A. Buddensick, the New York builder, under a writ issued out of the Mid dlesex court, pending the litigation in New York.

—Fines for offe nses against the game laws will hereafter be paid to the County Collector instead of to township authorities Quite a revenue could be derived from this source if all violations were prosecuted.

—The members of the graduating class of the High School read their essays yesterday afternoon at Music Hall to such of their friends as could not be present at the exercises this evening. The final rehearsal was this morning.

—A number of the Plainfield members of St. John's Commandery, K. T., of Elizabeth, accompanied the Commandery to Trenton yesterday to attend the dedication exercises of the asylum there. Several other masons from this city went also.

—The Commencement exercises of the High School of this city will take place this evening at Stillman Music Hall, 4 Admission will be free to all comers, the orchestra seats alone being reserved for the friends of the graduates and for the city officials.

—The disfiguring style of bangs is said to have originated in a lunatic asylum as a means of marking patients so that they might be known in case they should escape. The idea was welcomed, from seeing a brunchy cow with a board tied over her eyes.

—On July 1 the new changes in the postal regulations go into effect. On and after that date postage on letters will be at the rate of two cents per ounce instead of two cents per half-ounce as now, and postage on papers will be at the rate of one cent a pound.

—The North Plainfield Public School will have Commencement exercis es this evening at the Warren Mission Chapel. On account of the small size of the building admission will be by ticket. The exercises will consist of the reading of essays by the gradua es, a history of the school by one of the scholars and music by different members of the school.

—It is now reported that the street brawl between Billy and Charley, "never speak as they pass by," and that Charley for simply defending himself from attack, has been forbidden to again cross the threshold of the sanctum sanctorum, as it is only by courtesy called. While this street brawl was going on the question is naturally asked, where were the police? We understand that they will be found on hand on a repetition of such a disgraceful occurrence.

Closing Exercises at the Public Schools.

A large number of graduates and friends assembled in the chapel of the High School building at nine o'clock this morning to witness the closing exercises of the High School and Grammar grades. The pupils rendered a number of selections from the musical collection used in the schools. Miss Bulkley presented four prizes for collections of leaves. At the beginning of the school year she had requested that all members of the school should make a collection of leaves of trees about Plainfield and find appropriate selections from the leading authors in English literature and submit the result on the last Monday of the year. The collections submitted, the Principal said, were very creditable, and although no prizes had been offered she had determined to award several. The first prize was won by Abbie Wilson, who had 207 specimens. The prize was a copy of Milton's poems. The second prize, a copy of Whittier's poems, was awarded to Carrie Gardner. The third prize, a copy of Clarke's "Self Culture," was won by Edward Perrine. The fourth prize was carried off by a Grammar School pupil, Walter Coriell. The prize was a copy of Munger's "On the Threshold."

Miss Bulkley then made a parting address to the class of '85. She said: "I say to you what I have said to other classes, you have the honor of the school to maintain, as that of your own, when you have its diploma. Certain institutions have weight in a community because of the established character of their graduates. While I would not undervalue the intellectual education, the facility in gaining information, the clear reasoning, the command of power of a trained mind, yet no higher duty than I would place character. Be honest, be faithful to obligations, making your word as your bond. Remember that you must be something in order to do something. Do not lend yourselves to unworthy purposes or allow yourselves to be overtaken by unworthy means to gain worthy ends. Be true and loyal with those you have to deal and honorable in all connections. I scarcely fear from this class the indulgence in the gossip or small talk or intermeddling, which affects a community and poisons school life when it enters it for you have in a quiet way attended to your own work; but you need to take the step beyond which shall lead you out of selfishness through self-development to a life of usefulness. Do something in order to be something—not to have an idea only, not to dream, but to do. To have grand thoughts or grand plans is of very little value unless wrought into action. Add by industry, fidelity and executive force to what God has given you and by giving you will gain."

The school then marched out, and the work of arranging the classes for the coming year was commenced.

A large number of the friends of the pupil of the Fifth Street Primary school, of which Miss M. F. Humpston is the Vice Principal, assembled at the school building corner of Fifth and Liberty streets at eleven o'clock this morning to witness the exercises prepared for the occasion. The program rendered was as follows:

1. Singing—"Silent Midnight".....School
2. Recitation—"Somebody's Mother".....Frost Harlpence
3. Motion Song—"Summer Day".....Little Girls
4. Recitation—"A Funny Chicken".....Lizzie Firstbrook.
5. Singing—Two Part Song. "Farewell to the Forest."
6. Recitation—"The Arithmetic Lesson".....Aggie Tingley.
7. Flower Song.....Seven Girls
8. Dialogue.....
9. Piano Solo—Part Song—"Summer Joys."
10. Recitation—"The Little Angel".. Katie Donohoe
11. Reading—"Hunting for Eggs"..Mabel Mitchell
12. Singing—"Hail to the Festive Day".....School
13. Recitation—"The Boy King"...Harvey Dayton
14. Song—Perrie, Marrie, Dozie, Donine
15. Recitation—Dream of Nursery Rhymes.
16. Recitation—"Daisy's Mistake".....Kate Carty
17. Singing—Two Part Song. "The Swiss Boy."
18. Fan Drill.....Eight Girls
19. Whistling Song.....Chorus
20. Reading of Promotion Lists
21. Marching.....School

The exercises acquitted themselves very creditably, and showed the careful training given them by the teachers.

Personal.

Ex-Chief Carney is out once more after his recent attack of pneumonia.

Dr. Probasco and family were to start this afternoon for Mount Desert, Maine, for about a month's recreation.

Lambert Foster, of North Plainfield, graduated at Yale College yesterday. He received the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Dr. T. S. Davis, of Broadway and Fifth street, has been obliged, owing to the increased demand for his services, to place a telephone in his office. His call is No. 28.

George E. Vincent, son of the Rev. Dr. J. H. Vincent, received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from Yale College yesterday. He stood eleventh in a class of one hundred and nineteen.

Franklin S. Smith, formerly of this city but now of Hoboken, is visiting William Thickstun, of Central avenue. Mr. Smith during the past year has been pursuing postgraduate work at Rutgers College, from which institution he received the degree of Bachelor of Science last year. He has lately been made Contributing Editor of the Franklin College Chemical Review, of Franklin, Ind.

Another attempt to break the deadlock in the Hoboken Common Council was made yesterday, but it signally failed. The council rejected the names of several gentlemen sent in by the Mayor to fill the vacant offices. The members have adopted a resolution providing for no light in oil, and the present incumbents will remain in office until common sense and reason again assume sway.

Some of the city officials of Jersey City have prepared their estimates of expenses for the coming fiscal year. The total of the appropriations is $2,938,384.76; the Assessors' $67,250, and the Police Commissioners' $287,376.00.

From 800 to 1000 men are employed in the Trenton Potteries. They expect to turn out 30,000,000 brick this year.

Salaries of New Jersey Postmasters.

The annual readjustment of the salaries of the postmasters throughout the country has been made and will take effect July 1. Of the presidential postoffices in New Jersey, Bergen Point and Millington gain $200 each, and the following gain $100 each: Brick Church, Somerville, Vineland, Weehawken. The office at W. odbury suffers a loss of $600, while Hackettstown and Moorestown lose $300 each. The following are out down $100 each: Belvidere, Bloomfield, Bouston, Bridgeton, Camden, Flemington, Hammonton, Highstown, Lambertville, Long Branch, Long Branch Village, Passaic, Paterson, Perth Amboy, Princeton, Rahway, Salem, South Amboy, Tom's River. The office at Beverly has been raised to the presidential class.

The greatest change is at Washington which is reduced $900. This was caused by the failure of the Daniel Beatty organ factory, which threw out of employment several hundred men. Beatty was an extensive advertiser and used thousands of dollars in stamps yearly. Washington is likely to slip down into the fourth class next year. The following is the complete list of the presidential postoffices, with old and new salaries:

	New.	Old.
Asbury Park	$2000	$2000
Atlantic City	2400	2400
Beverly	1200	1200
Bergen Point	1300	1100
Beverly	1000	1000
Bl omfield	1700	1600
Bouston	1000	1100
Bordentown	1600	1600
Brick Church	1700	1600
Bridgeton	2000	2100
Burlington	2400	2400
Camden	2700	2800
Cape May	1600	1600
Dover	1600	1600
East Orange	1800	1800
Elizabeth	2700	2700
Englewood	1600	1600
Flemington	1400	1500
Hammond	1200	1200
Hackensack	1700	1800
Hackettstown	1400	1300
Hammonton	1000	1000
Highstown	1000	1100
Hoboken	2400	2400
Jersey City	3000	3000
Keyport	1100	1100
Lambertville	1600	1600
Long Branch	1800	1900
Long Branch Village	1200	1300
Madison	1400	1400
Millington	1000	900
Milleville	1600	1600
Montclair	1800	1800
Moorestown	1200	1500
Morristown	2400	2400
Mount Holly	1700	1700
Newark	3400	3400
New Brunswick	2300	2300
Orange	2000	2000
Ocean Grove	1 00	1900
Orange	2300	2300
Orange Valley	1300	1300
Passaic	1900	2000
Paterson	2700	2800
Perth Amboy	1600	1700
Phillipsburg	1600	1600
Plainfield	2200	2300
Princeton	1900	2000
Rahway	2100	2200
Red Bank	1800	1800
Rutherford	1500	1500
Salem	1600	1700
Somerville	1700	1600
South Amboy	1100	1200
South Orange	1300	1400
Summit	1200	1200
Toms River	1000	1100
Trenton	3100	3100
Vineland	1600	1500
Washington	2200	3100
Weehawken	1600	1700
Westfield	1300	1300
Woodbury	1600	2000

An Interesting Decision.

A decision which is of interest to all members of beneficial and insurance associations has been rendered in the Supreme Court in the case of Horace E. Baldwin against the Golden Star Fraternity of Newark. Mr. Baldwin sued in the District Court to recover on his deceased wife's policy who had been a member for six months. The society claimed as she was in arrears in her assessments she had forfeited the policy, which had never been in her possession. The claim of the plaintiff was that mere non-payment of assessments did not forfeit the policy until the lodge took action officially and by a vote suspended the delinquent member. They also claimed that as there was no suspension before death there could not be afterward, and that she died in good standing. The first court decided in Mr. Baldwin's favor and the higher court to which it was taken reversed the decision. It was then taken to the Supreme Court, which decided in Mr. Baldwin's favor without a dissenting opinion.

"A Russian Honeymoon."

The sale of seats for the above play, Madison Square Theatre's great success, which is to be placed on the Music Hall stage by a strong cast of characters on Tuesday evening, June 30, will begin at Shaw's and Reynolds', Saturday, a. m. June 27. The New York Herald speaks of the play as follows:

"Brightly written, forcible in the main situations, and with a charming vein of humor in the comedy parts, the piece caught the attention of the house and was admired and praised as it deserved. The house was favored with a brilliant gathering, the social character of which has not often been equaled in theatrical audiences in this city."

—The county of Raritan, Somerset County, is completed. The total number of dwellings is 376, with 416 families; population, 2,944 (2,685 in 1880), as follows: Native born—734 white males, 757 females; colored male 1, females 3. Foreign born—Irish, 141 males, 105 females; German, 92 males, 73 females; all others, 126 males, 56 females.

—It is said there will be numerous applicants for the vacancy in the office of County Clerk of Somerset County to take the place of Clerk Vandyck, who was recently appointed internal revenue collector by President Cleveland. The Governor must appoint a Clerk to serve until the November election.

A Paterson man is under arrest for shooting a boy who was picking his cherries.

State Notes.

Asbury Park is overrun with colored waiters.

It costs Asbury Park $150 a week to have the streets sprinkled.

The hog cholera is destroying hogs in the vicinity of Tuckahoe.

The Board of Health of Newark began a house to house inspection yesterday.

Fifty cents per peck was the price paid for the first Jersey peas in the Philadelphia market.

The late State census gave Long Branch school district twenty-nine hundred children of school age.

William Robinson, a tinsmith, of No. 256 Montgomery street, Jersey City, yesterday threw a pair of shears at his wife. He was locked up.

Edwin Murphy, a flagman thirty-eight years old, was struck by a Lehigh Valley train at the Washington street crossing, Jersey City, and fatally injured yesterday.

There is an old walnut tree on a farm at West Creek, Cape May County, that measures forty-four feet nine inches around the butt, and at eighty-three feet across the boughs.

A telegram from Fortress Monroe states that about 200 excursionists, representing the Ethical Association of New Jersey, have arrived there, and will spend three days visiting points in that locality.

The long drought has caused apprehensions of a water famine in Jersey City. Already the supply is so meagre that the people living on the upper floors of houses on the Heights have had no water for several days.

A gang of paupers in the Hudson County Almshouse, on Snake Hill, refused to go to work yesterday. One strapping big fellow elected King to the table and knocked him down. He was overpowered by the attendants, who ran to the doctor's room and placed the man in a cell.

The Electric Light Company of Asbury Park has contracted with Mr. Beasley for one arch light of 2,000 candle power each for the beach. One will be put on the promenade at the foot and in the center of each avenue, so that the nightly illumination will be very brilliant.

Joseph E. Watkins, of Moorestown, Burlington county, has been appointed Honorary Curator of the Smithsonian Institute at Washington, and placed in charge of the department of the History and Statistics of Quakerism. His appointment to the office was secured by Congressman Buchanan.

The novel suit against the Camden and Atlantic Railroad to recover $250 penalty for four violations of the Camden ordinance which directs that all trains running through the city shall be preceded by a man carrying a white flag, and shall not move faster than he can walk, was postponed for a week in the Camden District Court yesterday.

Mrs. Barbara Einsauss of No. 76 Charlton street, Newark, was fatally burned yesterday while washing clothes. She was in the yard, when her clothing came in contact with the furnace. A neighbor came to her assistance and her clothing was torn off, but not before she had received frightful burns. The woman's husband has consumption and has been unable to work.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, 50 c. and 1.00, as often times imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

O. F. WOODWARD, Manager, Le Roy, N. Y.

Deaths.

HASBROUCK—In this city, June 25, 1885, Richard H. Hasbrouck in the 73 d ear of his age. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services from the house of his son-in-law, Seymour Hall, Seventh street, on Saturday, 27 inst. at three o'clock p. m.

Financial.

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THE "PATHFINDER."

GEN. JOHN C. FREMONT TALKS OF HIS PAST ADVENTURES.

The Once Famous Leader Speaks of the Days Gone by—Jessie Benton Fremont—California Saved from British Capture.

[W. A. Croffut in Detroit Free Press.]

One of the most interesting figures in our New York life is that of Gen. John C. Fremont, the man whose name and romantic personality drew relentless fire hotshot together twenty-five years ago and cemented them into the compact Republican party. He is one of the last defined of our historic landmarks. A few days ago I met him on Broadway, swinging along up-town like a man of 21. The illusion of youth was further encouraged by the close-cropped hair, the form still trim, the elastic step, the rosy face, the cheery, buoyant manner when he spoke, and the business suit of light-colored linen. Time and trial have not soured him. I could not make it seem possible that this clear eyed and agile man could have been that stalwart "Pathfinder" whose footsteps a million of men followed with enthusiasm so long ago.

I called up to Sixty-fourth street one evening and found the paternal and Jessie Benton —the twin romance of twenty-five years ago this month—located in a comfortable and pleasant brown-stone house four blocks from Gen. Grant. Mrs. Fremont is a staid-looking, matronly woman of middle life with a remarkably strong face, resembling the portrait of her distinguished father, and the only daughter has combined in herself the lineaments of both her parents.

Gen. and Mrs. Fremont had such a famous past that it is not surprising that they now find much of their pleasure in recollections of those early days. But there is by no means a monotony of reminiscence. Her life is about as much a very active. They go into society a good deal. They have two stout boys grown up and married, with children of their own to bother about; "and one is in the army and one in the navy," said Mrs. Fremont; "so my family are completely triangulated"—and the deftly drew on the paper a triangle with its apex in New York, and one leg in Montana and the other on the southern seas.

I asked the general about his travels. He said: "It sometimes seem like a dream. When I take an atlas and pass my finger over the vast and great cities of the west, it seems impossible that I have traveled over their sites before they had any population—and such a life we led. I camped where Chicago is; where St. Paul is; where Minneapolis is; where Salt Lake City is. In fact, I suppose it is not generally known that I was responsible for the Mormons going to Utah."

I joined in the laugh and asked him how it was.

"In my second report of my explorations," he said, "I called the attention of the government to the beautiful valley of Salt Lake, its fertility and its central attractiveness, and I recommended that a station be made there. A few years afterwards, while passing again through that region, Brigham Young told me that he had been led to select the place as the seat of his hierarchy by my report."

In reply to my remark that the people of California seemed, judging from something I had recently seen, to be forgetting his services in conquering California from the Mexicans in 1846, he laughed and said: "There is no danger of my not getting the credit that belongs to me. People like to do justice, and in the end they generally decide right, especially about their own affairs. Of course, as nineteen-twentieth of the present population of California was born after I was elected senator from that state, they cannot be expected to have a vivid recollection of pioneer days, but my taking possession of California in 1846 is a matter of history. The English admiral was standing on and off for weeks awaiting orders from home, and he after words declared that he should have landed and seized Monterey that day, if I had not marched in and raised the star and stripes. That settled the status of the coast."

I asked the general if he was fond of hunting. His eyes kindled as he replied, "O, yes! it was always a delight to me if I could get large game. There is high excitement in a buffalo hunt. The young fellow who now go out on the plains seem to think that the great prize is a buffalo bull; but we used to ride straight through the bulls, which were heavy and logy and kept behind in the chase, and go for a cow or young buffalo in front. The buffalo bull is tough and unsavory; it is only the cow or calf that is tender.

"Some day, if I ever get time, I mean to write up an account of a rare and most enjoyable week of deer hunting in southern Minnesota. I was a guest of Governor Sibley, and the noted chief, Faribault, went with us from St. Paul in command of 100 Indians. I should think our best hunting was somewhere near Spirit lake. I shot my first deer while exploring northern Minnesota with Nicollet, as early as 1838."

I told the general that I had been at one time of the opinion that if he were to ask the average Minnesotian who Nicollet was, he would get for his answer: "A French Jesuit who discovered the upper Mississippi in the hills of the last century."

"Mr. Fremont is a dreadfully old man," said Mrs. Fremont gaily; "though he really doesn't look it. I am not sure I've didn't know me then; I was a mere child."

Free Masonry in the Flowery Kingdom.

[Globe-Democrat Interview.]

"What kind of an organization is your Masonic society?" the reporter asked.

"The same as the English-speaking fraternity," said Mr. Bafiste. "Masonry was introduced into China about sixty years ago by an Englishman. It now extends through all our kingdom, having lodges and chapters in every principal city. It was established among the Chinese in America about fifteen years ago, and St. Louis is the only large city which has no lodge although now it will have one very soon. We call ourselves United Brother Masons, and the only difference between our ritual and the Caucasian is that one is written in Chinese, the other in English. In China the thirty-two degrees are administered, but in this country we are not allowed to take more than three degrees, the entered apprentice, fellow-craft and master degree. I don't know why it is, but this restriction is placed upon us here; in order to get higher than the third degree we must return to China."

Drawing Lots for Places.

[London Letter.]

The democratic principle has invaded English country houses. It is now the custom at some of them to draw lots to see who shall sit together at dinner instead of being arranged according to rank. The new plan gives more variety.

Sitting Bull's Present.

Sitting Bull has sent the pope a present—a magnificent buffalo robe, covered with paintings, one of the scenes represented being the fight with Custer.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

Balance in U. S. Treasury To-day.

WASHINGTON, D. C. June 25.—The following is the balance remaining in the U. S. Treasury to-day:

Gold coin and bullion	$247,307,426
Silver dollars and bullion	168,949,338
Fractional silver coin	31,273,188
United States	46,350,913
National Bank notes	2,491,462
National Bank notes in process of redemption	7,423,843
Deposits in National Bank depositories	10,408,497
Total	$513,914,297

The following is the amount of certificates outstanding:

Gold	$198,284,110
Silver	102,7.6,476
Currency	29,340,000
Internal Revenue receipts	335 673
Custom receipts	634,358

A Waterspout in Texas.

LONGVIEW, Texas, June 25.—A waterspout burst over this city this afternoon doing about $1,000 damage. The main force of the waterspout was spent on the fields adjoining the town. In some parts of the town streams of water six feet deep ran down the streets. After the storm had passed in numerous fish were found in the fields and streets. None of the fish were less than four inches long and hundreds of them were eight inches.

A Murderer Attempts Suicide.

NEW YORK, June 25.—John Carpenter, the alleged wife murderer, whose case is now on trial in the Court of Over and Terminer, this morning attempted suicide in the Tombs by slashing his throat with a clasp knife. His wound is serious, but the physicians express the opinion that it is not necessarily fatal.

Harvard Wins.

NEW LONDON, Conn., June 25.—In the race here to-day between the Columbia and Harvard College Freshmen crews, the latter won. The distance rowed was two miles. The official time is Harvard 12 minutes 22 seconds, Columbia 13 minutes and 10 seconds. Harvard came in ten lengths ahead.

A Steamer Ashore.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Late advices received here say that the City of Rio of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co., plying between San Francisco and Yokohama went ashore near the latter port, and that she will in all probability be got off without serious damage.

Distribution of German Carp.

[Chicago Times.]

Only a few years ago thirty-five carp were brought to this country and placed in the government ponds at Washington. Some of their young were sent to every State and territory. They have been sent to over 20,000 places, and it is estimated that there are now 200,000,000 carp in the country. Most of them are still small, which accounts for the fact that they are not in the market.

The United States commissioners have distributed about 400,000,000 fish since 1873, and are prepared to send out 150,000,000 this year. Many of them have been placed in waters where fish were never known to exist before. The experiment was in a large number of instances successful. German carp are found to do well in the alkali lakes and streams in Arizona and New Mexico, where no fish had previously existed. They also thrive in the artificial stock-ponds in Texas, Colorado, and other places where fresh fish are difficult to obtain. The carp is singularly adapted to the waters of the south, in which fish that do well in a cold climate do not thrive.

A Good Home-Made Fertilizer.

Pick up all bones you can find, put them under cover and mix with them two or three times their bulk of ashes (unleached and moisten them with enough water so that the potash will act on the gelatine of the bones. Stir the mass every few days, and in about six weeks or two months the bones will be tender enough to crush with a mortar. Beat and shovel the whole into a powdery mass. A little of this in hill or drill will make the corn grow in a way to delight your heart.

Concerning Peas.

An item to the effect that George Saud earned more than $300,000 by her pen is going the rounds of the press. We are well acquainted with a man who cannot write a grammatical sentence to save his soul from the gallows, but in spite of this he has earned nearly $350,000 with his pen. His pens at present yield over $5,000 per year, and he uses several of them. He keeps pigs in them.

Things to Be and to Know.

Now while the ground is still hard is the season to draw out manure and spread it over the fields. Winter rains do not carry it off and dissolve it away so much as has been supposed. For grass lands winter manuring is invaluable, the enriching qualities going down among the roots and strengthening them. A fertiliser spread in autumn or winter upon sod that is to be turned for corn in the spring will be worth twice as much in the production of a crop as if deposited in the spring.

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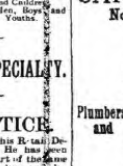

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Illustrated Description of the Arrival at the Dock at New York—Cere monies—Long Live the Sister Republics!

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, June 23.—If there is one loyal-ty in America more beautiful to me than another, it is that of New York harbor. Its appearance me somehow every time I see it affects as it impressed Bartholdi himself, that rare, brilliant morning when it burst on his eyes for the first time, and he said to himself: "Here is the place for my Liberty to stand."

There have been famous goings on in New York bay lately. On the 17th of the month the French government transport Isere steamed up into the noble harbor, having on board the Statue of Liberty. Miss Liberty, however, did not come over in a standing, or even sitting position. She was dismantled, taken all to pieces and loaded into boxes, big and little, of all shapes and sizes. When the Colossus of Rhodes tumbled down in an earthquake, Irish and Italian laborers of those days gathered up and took away of the pieces 500 camel loads. Our Liberty would make more than 500 camel loads; if an earthquake should tumble her down one finger would make a good heavy wagon load.

Here is the ship that brought her over.

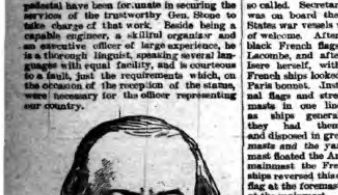
FRENCH TRANSPORT ISERE.

Her arrival was attended with all the state and ceremony fitting the reception of a gift from one great republic to another. She is a beautiful ship, and her hull painted in brilliant white. She anchored down in the lower bay to give time to our authorities to get "a good ready." Some of the French commissioners and a number of reporters went on board the steamer in a tug first of all. The captain, a trim, clipper-built Frenchman, spoke with "a few words that we've made in this country." The French naval officers made a great impression by their graceful and dignified appearance. English and Americans don't pay so much attention to style.

The French naval uniform is very picturesque. They dress up, the common sailors wear white, pure white, trousers, blouse and flat-topped cap, trimmed with blue. Officers wear white trousers and blue frocks.

The statue was packed in boxes that looked more like huge peach crates than anything else. A good looking lieutenant had his visiting card on every case. It was big enough, if a case was had been thrown over it, to make a tent that would have sheltered several persons. The lieutenant capped the feat with his French politeness. He pulled a lock of hair upon his forehead and said, "Curl!" This great box contained one of the goddess' curls. Like many other fashions his ladies, she took off her curls when she was not fixed up.

The American committee in charge of the pedestal have been fortunate in securing the services of the trustworthy Gen. Stone to take charge of that work. Beside being a capable engineer, a skilful organizer and an executive officer of large experience, he is a thorough linguist, speaking several languages with equal facility, and is courteous to a fault, just the requirements which, on the occasion of the reception of the statue, were necessary for the officer representing our country.



LIEUT. GEN. CHARLES P. STONE.

Gen. Stone has had such an intensely varied career that a brief review of it may be of interest here. A native of Massachusetts, where he was born in 1824, he entered West Point military academy in 1841. Graduating, he served through the Mexican war, being brevetted with his rank for gallant conduct in the City of Mexico. From 1848 to 1850 he spent on a leave of absence, studying the armies in Europe, Syria and Egypt. On his return he served on the coast defenses of the Pacific from 1851 to 1856, when he resigned from the army to take charge of a scientific expedition for the survey of the Amoor river. In Jan. 1, 1861, he was called back into service against the rebels by Gen. Scott, he being the first citizen called upon for such duty. He immediately organized the District of Columbia troops, for the protection of Washington. His ability won for him rapid promotion, so that in August, 1861, he led the advance guard in the first passage of the Potomac as a brigadier-general. His brilliant career from that time until September, 1862, when, on the 28th of that month, he was marched only by one episode, the nature of which is a mystery to this day. In February, 1863, he was released from arrest and made a prisoner by Secretary Stanton, who confined him for six months in Fort Lafayette, without assigning any reason or preferring any charge against him, though Gen. Stone's friends many demanded it. This incident is to be investigated shortly. In 1870 Gen. Stone took service under the Viceroy Ismail as brigadier general in chief of staff, reorganized the Egyptian army and was promoted to lieutenant general in 1873 and served until the fall of Ismail in 1879, when he requested to be relieved from the service. On the 21 of April, 1883, he was chosen to make charge of the construction of the pedestal.

The public reception was held on Friday. The day was noted for something that I never saw before, and I hope never will. It renders never did either. That was a grand water parade. Every kind of craft was loaded with people, and went out upon the great bay to see the show. And everything afloat was streaming bright with bunting. The old garbage and dumping boats had dazzling flags waving and shook their dirt—no! Yes, blow you, even the ferryboats of the Pennsylvania railroad were a-proud to honor the occasion.

The French steamers darkened it was the most splendid water pageant they had ever seen, but whether they only said it out of politeness to them on one hill. They boldly New York never witnessed anything so imposing, not even on the centennial anniversary of Evacuation day.

Your correspondent went out to see the show in a 25-cent excursion boat. It was the only one that went just at the right half-hour to suit my convenience. It was the boat on which the cheap-face people went. Those who only had a quarter of their own, and those who hoped before they got back to secure some of the scraps of other people's meals, so I heard that boat. There were "nice" people there, too. I heard a lady say so as I went on board.

"I like to go among the rabble once in awhile, just to see how superior I am."

That was one way of putting it. But it isn't a bad idea for other resort "young persons to descend from their alleged heights now and then and move among the roughs and the toughs. Human nature in all its honest piggishness, before the rough hair has been combed off by polite society, is well worth looking at. There was plenty of it on the 25-cent boat. I like to study it. I suppose there is a corresponding study in me somewhere.

It was as weird fun. One had almost to fight for breath as he made his way through the crowd to cabin to the deck. I managed to clear the doorway, and was leaning disconsolately against a panel outside. Standing up for two hours was not a pleasant prospect. But I must know that New York men, high or low, are not like the rest of our fellow countrymen, as I have had occasion to mention before. I don't get up to see a show for a seat. It is a foreign way they have borrowed. *So I* looked for no relief. But while gazing with a far away feeling in the misty walls ahead beyond, a clear, bright back eye flashed my way, and a man's hand beckoned me. A bench ran around the outer railing of the deck, and there was room on it near the man who had beckoned. But two other men with chairs had pressed themselves closely against it and stood for me to get in they had to move back. Would you believe it, they refused to do it at first! They saw me standing there. Six inches would have given me plenty of room, and I left enough space for them, and they would not budge. I actually felt myself push for the brutes. But my friend who beckoned me spoke up bravely and brusquely:

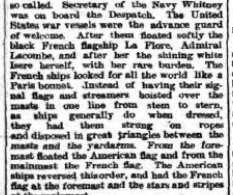
"The seats are made to sit on. Move back and give this lady room."

Then they did it in a sullen sort of way. They were dressed like dudes, in the most fashionable and expensive way. They had high shoes, collars "on," turned down at the regulation angle, leaving them just room to bend their necks.

I noticed then that my brave champion was a workingman, and one of the people. His hands were brown and knotted. His face and neck were tawny and seamed, and had that look which the skin of a worker in iron wears. He had a rusty luster coat on, and I'm afraid, alas, he wore a paper collar. But he was a true, brave gentleman. And I'm proud to say that he was a true American, while the two dudes were foreigners.

So through the kindness of a chivalrous workingman with a bright, black eye, I had a good view of the naval parade.

The American navy got on its poor old legs for this occasion. The funny papers remarked that *it* would fix fire a salute without shaking itself to pieces. We trembled for it, but it sustained the ordeal. First in the procession came a fussy little black United States dispatch boat, named the Despatch. Then followed three United States men-of-war, so called. Secretary of the Navy Whitney was on board the Despatch. The United States war vessels were the advance guard of welcome. After them floated softly the black French flagship La Flore, Admiral Lacombe, and after her the shining white Isere herself, with her rare burden. The French admiral looked fit still the world like a Paris bonnet. Instead of having their signal flags and streamers hoisted over the masts in one line from stem to stern, as ships generally do when dressed, they had them strung on ropes and disposed in great triangles between the masts and the yardarms. From the foremast floated the American flag and from the mainmast the French flag. The American ships reversed this order, and had the French flag at the foremast and the stars and stripes at the mainmast.



THE WATER PAGEANT.

Following the Isere was one of the interior New York ferry steamers, the Adriatic, with the city dignitaries on board. Senator Evarts had been taken on board the Isere down the bay. He wore pearl-gray trousers, an exquisite hat, and a soft white hat, and made a speech to the foreign fellows in the choicest American French. He was there, down in the lower bay, and so was Senator Evarts. It is to be feared he was as giddy as a kitten, the dear man. After the official steamer went the vessels of the American Yacht Club.

If the war policy of the American nation was represented by the advance guard of the water procession, its orator was peaceful. In little Senator Evarts in the middle, while its money brought up the rear. The yachts were *those belonging to the richest men in* this country. Jay Gould, William H. H. Cosner, John Roach, S. J. Tilden and others —millions and millions. Oh, but they were beauties. Mr. Gould's yacht—but they said Samuel Tilden, Jay Gould and Roach are not exactly the perfect type of manly beauty. But their yachts! Next thing to a fine horse, a beautiful yacht speaks to my soul. Graceful, shining and trim, they seemed like merry things of life. They looked like a flock of big birds resting in the sunshine, their sides tied with flags and ribbons.

After them came miscellaneous tugs, steamers on excursion boats, and sailing vessels. A dancing catamaran shot over the water with its queer double hulls.

"I don't like those things," said a fat old lady, positively.

"That's a catamaran," said her boy.

"Yes, I know; but I don't like it."

There were fully 15,000 persons on the water; 100,000 in all witnessed the pageant from boats and shore. It was rather cold, but I myself thoroughly enjoyed it.

The procession at once stately and merry on the bay. And when it neared the Battery and the flock of excursion steamers and other craft hovered around to take a parting look at the ships, it seemed as though the funeral had dissolved and was going home.

But in the line of steamers passed up through the Narrows a flood of cheering, and thunders of cannon burst from the big, grass-covered forts on each side. The foreign ships-of-war lined both sides of the harbor in the water. A great cloud of smoke settled like a fog over the face of the bay. They say if you leave your mouth open during a discharge of cannon you will not by shaken up so much.

"Ain't it splendid," says a young lady. "Like real war, ain't it?"

"I just wish I had all the money dem salutes cost," said a practical minded German.

The huge three-decked steamers Grand Republic and Columbia must have held a thousand people each. They steamed close to the Isere to give the excursionists a good view of the ship that brought the statue over. They were together till near the vessel. Then they parted and went one each side of her. The men cheered and the ladies waved their handkerchiefs. Something in *the name of the Grand Republic* appealed to the gallant French captain. He bowed to the ground. Then he waved his gold-laced cap and shouted:

"Vive la Republique!"

A storm of cheers burst from both vessels. As the Battery the guests, officers and reception committee disembarked. A great land procession of dignitaries and soldiers moved up Broadway to the city hall, where there were appropriate ceremonies. The *old street* was *brilliantly* bedecked with bunting. But the land parade did not compare with that on the water. Oh, dear, no!

The water excursionists were landed at their respective piers. As for our party, we felt as though we had paid a quarter and got our money's worth.

One of the pleasantest sights of the day was the two flags, French and American, floated together in all sorts of graceful ways. Together they mounted guard over the unfinished pedestal down at Bedloe's Island. Together they were festooned from windows and towers. There was spun not all a remembrance of a time which, I'm ashamed to say, we are apt to forget—that time, more than a century gone, when the brave and noble young Marquis de Lafayette came, with comrades brave as himself, to befriend us in the darkest days of our revolution.

Yes! Vive les Republiques, both of them! The Republic of France and the Republic of the United States, born alike in storm, and tested through adversity. May they live forever!

ELISA ARCHARD.

Another Friend of the Kaiser Gone.

FIELD MARSHAL BARON VON MANTEUFFEL.

The death of Baron von Manteuffel removes still another and almost the last of the counsellors and supporters of the old emperor of Germany in his early days as king, and this fact so impresses the latter that on learning of Manteuffel's death he was completely prostrated and compelled to remark in a mournful way: "All *my* friends are dying."

Edwin Hans Karl, Baron von Manteuffel, was born in Dresden in 1809, and entered the dragoon guards at the age of 17. His first promotion, which indicated the possibility of a future for him, was in 1848, when he became aide-de-camp to the king of Prussia. The conservative spirit he showed caused him to be hated by the Liberal party, but won for him the respect of the future King William, who, on his accession to the throne in 1861, trusted him implicitly on important missions. Having at this time become lieutenant general, and being given charge of all the Liberal affairs the Liberal abuse of him reached a climax of intensity, the party leader, Twesten, denouncing him publicly as "a mischievous man in a mischievous place," for which Manteuffel challenged and wounded him. He was sent to Austria to gain her cooperation with Prussia in the war against Denmark, in which he succeeded. Afterward he helped settle the *differences* between Austria and Prussia by the Gastein convention, and was made governor of Schleswig. When the war with Austria broke out in 1866 he was placed in charge of Vogel von Falkenstein, in Hanover, but soon became commander-in-chief of the army of the Main. It was he who imposed the peace conditions upon the city of Frankfort. During the armistice he secured Russia's assent to the reorganization of Germany, and after words to his Nasseberg estates.

In 1868, however, he was recalled to service at the head of the first army corps, and in that capacity he entered the war with France in 1870. He was at Courcelles and Noisseville, and after the fall of Metz was made commander of the first army, with which he waged the war in the north of France with only moderate success. In 1871 he was transferred to the command of the southern army, and there he brilliantly recovered the prestige he had begun to lose by driving Bourbaki's army—numerically much stronger than his own—in confusion clear across the border into Switzerland. When the peace was made he made commander-in-chief of the army of occupation, the delicate duties of which post he performed with splendid tact. On Sept. 14, 1873, the emperor made him a field marshal along with Von Roon, Von Moltke and Steinmetz.

For his brilliant services in the Franco-Prussian war he was invested at Berlin with the insignia of the Order of the Black Eagle, and for his services in the war between Russia and Turkey in 1878 he rendered diplomatic service. He was appointed governor of Alsace-Lorraine in 1880, and was noted for his conciliatory and relatively liberal attitude in that capacity.

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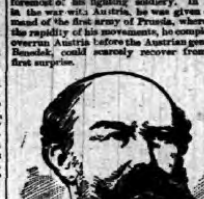
Prince Frederick Charles of Prussia, the nephew of Emperor William, died from a stroke of apoplexy in the palace of Count Oriola, the crown prince of Prussia, on June 24, near Potsdam, at the age of 78. He was a native of Berlin, and a soldier from the time he was able to walk. His baptism of fire occurred at the age of 21, in the war with the Danes, in which he distinguished himself by his valor and victory. During his long military career he retained the reputation he then won by being ever amongst the foremost of his fighting soldiery. In 1866, in the war with Austria, he was given command of the first army of Prussia, where, by the rapidity of his movements, he completely surprised the Austrian general, Benedek, could scarcely recover from the first surprise.



THE LATE PRINCE FREDERICK CHARLES.

Prussia always delighted to wear the red Hussar uniform of his regiment, considering it in preference to that of a general of the army. Hence his title of the Red Prince by which he was commonly known in the army. After the war with Austria Prince Frederick devoted much of his time to the reorganization of the Prussian military system. The soldiers idolized him. He was rough and he was ready. He was no carpet knight, ignorant of the dangers of the field, but was always ready to take more than his share of the labors and privations of arduous warfare. In his reconstruction of the army introduced greater freedom from the harsh disciplinary methods than before was possible, and both officers and men had much to thank him for. As an English officer who accompanied him in one of his campaigns very justly observed: "He had a singular power of making his troops care little for fatigue and hardship. On the line of march he was always with his men, and would by a few happy words close up the straggling ranks of a weary battalion and send men forward cheering loudly." He had a good memory for names and persons, and the soldiers knew that he took a *strong and practical interest in their well*being.

It was, however, in the war with France that he won his greatest laurels. He was given command of the German army of over a quarter million of men and 500 pieces of artillery. He attacked Marshal Bazaine in the field and drove him into Metz, which he besieged and finally compelled to capitulate.

The prince was not happy in his private life. He married in 1854 the charming Princess Maria Anna, of Anhalt Dessau. She was intended for the present Crown Prince of Prussia, but the latter's health proving so poor she was given to his cousin. The match was an unfortunate one, which resulted in scandals which even the old Emperor William himself could not settle. He sought dissipation for the pleasure a happy home would have afforded him. A *great lover of the chase it was chiefly in* this enjoyment he forgot his private cares.

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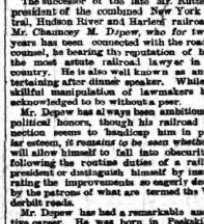

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW.

The successor of the late Mr. Rutter as president of the combined New York Central, Hudson River and Harlem railroads is *Mr. Chauncey M. Depew, who for* twenty years has been connected with the road as counsel, he bearing the reputation of being the most astute railroad lawyer in our country. He is also well known as an entertaining after dinner speaker. While for skilful manipulation of lawmakers he is acknowledged to be without a peer.

Mr. Depew has at ways been ambitious for political honors, though his railroad connection seems to headicap him in popular estimation, of course. But as president he will allow himself to fall into obscurity in following the routine duties of a railroad president or distinguish himself by inaugurating the improvements so eagerly desired by the patrons of what are termed the Vanderbilt roads.

Mr. Depew has had a remarkable and active career. He was born in Peekskill in 1834, and is now in his 51st year. His father was a leading merchant of that town, and was also largely engaged in steamboating navigation along the Hudson river. His mother was a daughter of Chauncey Mitchell, a well known Westchester county farmer. Mr. Mitchell's mother, Mr. Depew's grandmother, was a sister of Roger Sherman. On his father's side Mr. Depew is of Huguenot descent. He was educated at Yale, where he was graduated with high honors in the class of 1856. He studied law in Peekskill and shortly after was admitted to practice.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date one year, as kept at Studles drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	68	6 a. m.	75
9 a. m.	75	9 a. m.	69
12 m	77	12 m.	77
3 p m.	77	3 p. m.	77

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885.		1884.	
Sunrise	4.30 a.m.	Sunrise	4.30 a.m.
Sun Rises	7.38 p.m.	Sun Sets	7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises	2.41 p.m.	Moon Rises	p.m.

Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, followed toward evening by local rains, stationary temperature.

For Sunday—Local rains are indicated for New England and Middle Atlantic States.

JOTTINGS.

—The Bee Hive is making a specialty of bargains in ladies' white lawn suits.

—The members of Gazelle Engine Co. took their apparatus out for a wash last evening.

—A lawn tennis club has been organized in Somerville. They should play some match games with the Plainfield club.

—Postmaster General Vilas has appointed Charles Boice postmaster at Dunellen in place of Charles Pope, lately deceased.

—The Somerville papers are congratulating themselves that that village has retained the internal revenue collectorship.

—The Constitutionalist talks about "the last Friday evening in each week" in its current issue. This is another case of double light.

—Julius W. A. Bauerasche, of Harmony street, North Plainfield, has planted his third crop of string beans and large salad. He has a model garden in general.

—A special meeting of the Council was held last evening to discuss the sewerage and electric light questions. The mayor was present and took part in the proceedings.

—Isaac Rushmore and others are making preparations opening for the Grant avenue depot on July 4. Mr. Rushmore has lately been interesting himself in getting speakers for the occasion.

—A "young man was arrested at three o'clock this morning by Officer McCue. When brought before Judge Ulrich this morning he was very penitent. The Judge fined him five dollars.

—Collector Barcalow, of Somerville, who leaves his office to make way for Matthew H. Van Derveer, the new appointee, has held the office of revenue collector in this district for fourteen years.

—Edsall's dry and fancy goods store is one of the most popular places to go for goods in this line. His stock does not remain long enough to become old and unsaleable, but goes off quickly, and new fresh goods are constantly coming in.

—The Constitutionalist says in its issue of yesterday that commencements are "stupid affairs." The reason it thinks so doubtless is that Billy has such an esthetic taste that he is not able to appreciate what ordinary mortals find to attend. An evidence that people appreciate them was furnished on Thursday evening at Stillman Music Hall and Warren Mission Chapel.

—The Hunterdon Democrat says that Abram I. Davis, on his farm near White House, recently found a turtle which he has seen more or less since he was a boy—at least fifty years ago—and which then and yet bore on its shell the inscription "D. W., 1788." Dennis Wyckoff had formerly owned the place, and no doubt made the marks which shows the turtle to have been full grown 99 years ago.

—There was a big trotting match at New Brunswick on Thursday between the black "Jennie" mare, who has been in training in this city for some time past, and the brown "Louise" mare. The "Jennie" mare's trainer was William R. Irving, of the Fair Grounds, and from the Rumson Road Home News says is "a cool-handed and experienced horseman and race driver." One of the judges was Ellis Campbell, of this city. "Jennie" won the race in three straight heats.

—The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, of this city, to reduce expenses have notified Louis Lodge, the Night Operator and Line Inspector, and the Messenger Boy, John Daly, that their services will not be needed after July 1. The day business is to be thereafter attended to by a lady operator and the line inspection by a man at night. While the company reduces expense it does not seem to reduce charges. Charges at popular rates would no doubt make the institution more popular and profitable.

At Stanhope a large sewer is being run through the main part of the village at a cost of $1,000.

A Pen Sketch of Patrick Henry.

(Hon. Charles Place, of North Plainfield, in Somerville Unionist-Gazette.)

SECOND ARTICLE.

Patrick Henry married at the early age of eighteen. At this time he was too impecunious to settle in any business. His father, believing that an experience of one year as a merchant's clerk, had qualified his son for any business emergency, purchased a stock of goods, and started his two boys, Patrick and William, in a country store. Unfortunately, William, like his brother, was indolent and careless, and the two young men managed their business so badly that after two years of struggle with it, they went rushing headlong to disaster and failed. As business men, they had been weighed in the balance and found wanting. Evidently the old Latin proverb "Vita mortalium nihil, dat sine magno labore,"—"The life in mortals gives nothing without great labor," —at this stage of his life had not possessed his soul, "With a family on his hands to care for, with no business faculties worth possessing, with a keen sense that fishing and hunting were not sufficiently remunerative to carry on successfully a well regulated family, he became a farmer; and was placed on several acres of land, purchased by his father and father-in-law Johnson. Here it is related he was happy. But we must presume it was from necessity and not from choice that he labored for the support of his family on this farm. Two years he toiled as best he could, and probably succeeded in making a fair living for his family.

But the time came when farming, like merchandising, in his hands became unprofitable and he gave up in despair. Selling his farm again he became a merchant. Soon his stock was sold out by the sheriff. It is said he would often close his store, regardless of his patrons and go out fishing or hunting without a thought to his business. How he lived, or what was the condition of his family during these changes, history makes no mention. We can readily imagine that she, who was his wife, saw many hard hours, and was subjected to a life that few women of to-day would care to live, even if their husbands might in the future become Patrick Henrys. Somehow failure and disaster constantly followed him. Fortunately, however, he was too strong in his manhood, and too noble in his character, to sink into the sloughs of despondency, under the loads he was compelled to carry. It is said, when under the heaviest pressure of misfortune, he was able to keep up under them beyond the bonds of credulity. It was at this time he began to turn his attention to books. As we view the man at this great distance from the time in which he lived, it seems almost marvelous that one so young, who passed through so many failures, and had encountered such bitter experiences, had the heart or patience to settle down to study. Yet he did to a certain extent, and chose the legal profession for his future life-work. But few years passed before he became a most remarkable actor on the stage of legal and political action. The American Revolution like a cloud on the distant sky was looming up, and soonburst in fury.

From now Patirck Henry became a prominent actor on the stage of American history. We have seen him as a boy, we have briefly sketched the outlines of his course in early manhood; we have looked upon his many idiosyncracies and followed them through his trials and tribulations, until we behold him entering his career, and turning to his books and drinking from the fountains of literature, which apparently for the time seemed to satiate his longings. Amid poverty and seemingly but few encouragements he began the study of law. From this point in his life we take up the thread of the great man's life, and follow it to the end.

As we do so we shall see what God has wrought in one whose early life has been so checkered and gave so little promise. Rising above and beyond mere personal ambition or even pecuniary gain, he soon stood shoulder to shoulder with John Randolph, of Roanoke, and others of equal prominence. It is said that Mr. Randolph looked upon Patrick Henry, when he first appeared at the bar, as a mere skeleton in intellect, and predicted a certain failure, notwithstanding he was one of his associates when admitted to practice, and afterwards said that young Henry "would become an ornament and honor to the profession." Had he told what he admitted to thought, he could truthfully have said that Patrick Henry at the time of his admission to the bar, beyond doubt possessed one of the most brilliant minds of any young man in the Colony of Virginia.

At the point his sun of success had appeared ready risen upon the morning of his new life, and brought with it above the horizon those bright rays which were destined to shine for ages to come. Step by step, he walked out from under the shadows of failure which had so far in his life been hanging over him, and notwithstanding his struggle with adverse circumstances, for a time he took hold of every case which came to him with that pride always felt by every young lawyer, and started out amid favorable auspices.

What Became of the Pines?

From a perusal of County Collector Sherman's report for the year ending May 1, which has just been published, it appears that the only fines paid into the county treasury from Justices of the Peace are those paid in by Justice Nash of this city. He has paid in fines amounting to $70.20. As every township furnishes at least one Justice of the Peace, this is rather a remarkable showing. It can not be said that Justice Nash was the only Justice in the county who has collected any fines. How about Blackwell and Hetzel, Justices, have they collected no fines? If so, no fines could must be model communities. It is in order for them to explain.

James Johnson, the boarding-house thief of Jersey City, who was captured in Fort Edward by Officer Lee and subsequently convicted of six counts, pleaded guilty yesterday to the seventh count, and was sentenced to five years in State Prison at hard labor.

Services To-morrow.

In the morning at 9:15 a prayer meeting will be held in the parlor of Reform Hall.

Rev. J. P. McCullough will preach in the Park Avenue Baptist Church in the morning and evening.

The Rev. Dr. K. F. Ketcham will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church in the morning as usual.

The Sunday School of the Crescent avenue Presbyterian Church will hold its session in the morning at 9.30. There will be preaching as usual at 10.30, and an afternoon service at five o'clock, to take the place of the regular evening service.

Rev. A. H. Tuttle, the pastor, will preach in the Methodist Episcopal Church in the morning, and Rev. W. L. Phillips, of St. John's M. E. Church, Brooklyn, in the evening. Mr. Phillips well-known lawyer, will be able to keep his appointment and also address the meeting.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold a union praise and conference service in Reform Hall at four o'clock in the afternoon as usual. The meeting is held in the general interest of religion and common humanity; no sect or denomination is organized above another, but all bearing the name of Christian will receive a hearty welcome, and are cordially invited to aid in the good work.

To-morrow being review Sunday a short time only will be given to the teachers who said he would often close his store, regardless of his patrons and go out fishing or hunting without a thought to his business. How he lived, or what was the condition of his family during these changes, history makes no mention. We can readily imagine that she, who was his wife, saw many hard hours, and was subjected to a life that few women of to-day would care to live, even if their husbands might in the future become Patrick Henrys. Somehow failure and disaster constantly followed him. Fortunately, however, he was too strong in his manhood, and too noble in his character, to sink into the sloughs of despondency, under the loads he was compelled to carry. It is said, when under the heaviest pressure of misfortune, he was able to keep up under them beyond the bonds of credulity. It was at this time he began to turn his attention to books. As we view the man at this great distance from the time in which he lived, it seems almost marvelous that one so young, who passed through so many failures, and had encountered such bitter experiences, had the heart or patience to settle down to study. Yet he did to a certain extent, and chose the legal profession for his future life-work. But few years passed before he became a most remarkable actor on the stage of legal and political action. The American Revolution like a cloud on the distant sky was looming up, and soonburst in fury.

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Shooting Matches.

There was quite a crowd assembled at Campbell's Club House, to witness the live pigeon match between Lebbie Ayres, of Oak Tree, and Wm. VanSickle, of Metuchen, for $25 a side, at 20 clay pigeons each. The shooters tied on the first ten, each breaking nine. On shooting at the next ten, Ayres again broke nine to VanSickle's five. The last ten Ayres broke eight to VanSickle's nine. The exact score, which is an extraordinary good one for local sportsmen, is as follows:

Van Sickle,	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
L. Ayres,	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

After the match a Mr. Winans, a crack shot, who had come up from Newark to clean out the boys, was anxious to shoot any man on the ground. After considerable talk a match was made between Mr. Winans and Harry Campbell for $20 a side, at ten birds. Mr. Campbell shot him out at the eighth bird. The following is the score.

Campbell,	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
Winans,	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0

Netherwood Notes.

An informal hop, with orchestra music will take place this evening.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, the celebrated authoress, is a temporary guest at Hotel Netherwood.

Prof. Bryant gave a highly entertaining exhibition of his skill in ventriloquism, in the hotel on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lindgrebe, who so narrowly escaped serious injury in a recent runaway, was the guest of Mrs. Wotherspoon, at lunch, on Thursday.

A merry party of little folks left the hotel on Thursday afternoon to attend the Reveille party given by Miss. Laura Green of Plainfield.

The Elizabeth Glee Club, composed of fourteen voices, is expected to give one of their enjoyable concerts at the hotel on Thursday evening, June 30.

The dancing class of the little ones every Tuesday and Friday afternoon is very interesting, and attracts many to witness the enjoyment and progress of the class.

As Usual.

[From The Constitutionalist.]

The opening of the Public Library and Art Gallery that is announced for next Tuesday, etc.

This is but another instance of the chicanery of the North avenue weekly. The opening of the Art Gallery takes place on Thursday evening, as a reference to our advertising columns will show.

State Notes.

The State census of Boonton, just taken, show 2,722 population. In 1880, it was 2,682.

The first excavation for the Morris Canal was made on Succasunna Plains, August 2, 1825.

A fire in Pope's china-decorating works at Trenton yesterday damaged building and stock to the amount of $4,000.

A salmon weighing 14 pounds and measuring 31 inches in length, was captured in the Delaware, opposite Trenton, last week.

William O. Bleans, a colored barber, escaped from the Hackensack jail on Election Day. He was recaptured yesterday.

The enumerators of the State census report the population of Paterson as 63,722. In 1880 it was 50,231 and in 1870 it was 33,579.

The Washington Association of New Jersey, owners of Washington's Headquarters at Morristown, will hold their annual meeting on July 1.

Martin Shannan and Martin Morany, the men who nearly killed Police Captain Parker about two months ago, at Jersey City, were sentenced to eighteen months in State prison.

The large iron works at Oxford have shut down for the present in order to make repairs. Between 200 and 300 men are thrown out of employment by the temporary suspension.

Suit has been brought against the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company by Mr. Hartley Dickinson for $20,000 for causing the death of her husband at Hope Station.

Eli R. Carson, a painter, arrested in Bayonne for larceny, attempted to commit suicide by hanging himself to the door of his cell in the city prison yesterday. He was cut down and resuscitated.

The new tabernacle on Mount Tabor for the purpose of sheltering the worshippers in the case of rain will accommodate an audience of 2,000 people, and is octagon in shape. It will be dedicated Aug. 22.

It has been agreed to suspend criminal prosecutions on both sides in the pending war between the Pennsylvania Railroad and the City of Trenton and to argue in the courts as to the ownership of the disputed street.

Emil Kramisch, age nineteen, who lived with his parents in Bellville, Essex county, Ohio, was killed at the Central Railroad round-house on Thursday night. He was in the cab and attempted to climb out as the engine started.

Tax Collector Anderson, of West Hoboken, whose accounts have been discovered to be $20,000 short, has probably absconded. He had a very loose way of keeping books, and made entries which are unintelligible to any but himself. Being a very pious-hearted man, he did not carry out the law relating to departments tax-payers. When a property was owned a widow, he made the first hand in his payments Anderson said. Both Atherton and Hetzel, the bondsmen, will be called upon to pay the amount of the deficiency. In this way the experts a large part of the deficiency is obtained. They say that not any of the tax money has been willfully misappropriated.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, 50c. and 1.00, as counterfeits have been put on the market. Hold to the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

O. F. WOODWARD, Manager,
Le Roy, N. Y.

Deaths.

JONES—In North Plainfield, June 27, 1885, Abigail, wife of Wm. P. Jones, aged 40 years, 5 months and 27 days.

Funeral from her late residence, Monday, June 29, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

NOTICE.

The old and reliable American Mutual Insurance Company of Plainfield, continues to flourish. Only two policies have been cancelled. Within the past week many thousand dollars of new insurance policies have been added. Parties desiring new insurance, should avail themselves of the advantages of this successful company.

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AND BALANCE OF
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The sale of these goods has been very large this season, which has enabled us to keep this department supplied with fresh stock every week.

OUR SATIN COACHING at $1.98 still has the lead. We have them in black and colors, and the quality is the best we have ever sold at that price.

We also show a great variety of other styles and prices, and any one wishing anything in this line can be sure of being suited at

EDSALL'S.
At CORRECT PRICES
and on all other goods in our line as well.

AUCTION.

T. J. GILLIES, Auctioneer, will sell on
THURSDAY, JULY 2d, 1885.

at ten o'clock a. m. at the residence of the undersigned, on the road from Dunellen to Round Brook and Bound Brook, about one mile from Dunellen, on the Dickerel Place, sale of parlor furniture, lounge and bed lounge, beds, bedding, mantels, mantel lambrequ, (complete,) 3 b. w. bedsteads, bureaus and washstands, chairs, tables, stoves, 1 set of stove pipes, hair and other mattresses, feather pillows, 12 bed springs, 30 rocking folding and seat chairs, dining tables, kitchen clothes wringer, kitchen other tables, 2 bureaus and ingrain carpets, matting, oil cloth and mats, toilet sets, 7 spring cots, window and shade, hall and table lamps, one pony phaeton and one three-seat piano box wagon, 1 set double harness, 1 fairgoose, rake and harness, tin, stone and iron ware, and many other articles too numerous to think of. Also a strip of land, 100 feet long by 75 feet wide, to be sold at the same time.

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James Q. Miles, No. 22 Somerset street,
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For signs on Glass, Wood, Stone or Metals. Signs, Banners, Flags, Transparencies, Banners, etc., in any shape, made to the shop.

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LEAVE New York	ARRIVE Plainfield	LEAVE New York	ARRIVE Plainfield
3 30 a. m.	4 30 a. m.	4 00 p. m.	5 10 p. m.
6 35	7 35	5 00	6 10
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1 00 p. m.	2 00	12 00 m.	1 00

SUNDAY.—Leave Plainfield 3 25, 8.00 8 41, 10 33, 11 37 a. m., 1 27, 2 30, 3 30, 5 27, 7 30, 9 33 p. m.
Leave New York 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m., 2 45 p. m., 12 00 p. m.
Leave Somerville 9 00, 10 00 a. m., 3 30 p. m.
Leave Bound Brook 8 00 a. m., 4 00 p. m., 7 05, 7 45, 8 45, 9 45, 10 45 p. m.
Leave Bridgewater 8 10 a. m., 4 10 p. m., 7 15, 7 55, 8 55, 9 55, 10 55 p. m.
Leave Dunellen 8 20 a. m., 4 20 p. m., 7 25, 8 05, 9 05, 10 05, 11 05 p. m.
Leave Elizabeth 8 50 a. m., 12 15, 2 50, 4 15, 5 35, 7 10, 9 10, 10 10 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 7 00, 9 00, 10 05, 12 55 m., 3 05, 4 05, 5 05, 6 05, 7 05, 8 05, 9 05, 10 05, 11 05 p. m.
Leave Philadelphia, 6th and Green Sts. 8 30, 9 30, 11 00 a. m., 1 35, 3 45, 5 40, 6 45, 10 00 p. m.
Leave Kensington 8 50 p. m.

Trains marked (S) change cars at Bound Brook.

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Gen'l Eastern Passenger Agent.

SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1885.

AN EDITOR'S DUTY.

To Be Independent He Must Be Wealthy —His Place is Pottles.

[Boston Transcript.]

When an editorial angel shall descend and occupy a seat in the sanctum of a daily newspaper, then, and then only, may we hope for perfection. An independent newspaper is often promised, but we do not believe that any such journal exists to-day. To be independent the editor must be wealthy, so that every desire can be gratified and that he may be above and superior to temptation. He should have no politics and no friends. To be in politics is to lose independence, and to have friends is to cripple the pen. His intimate friends may do wrong, and then he must heads whitewash.

Is there an independent newspaper published in New York to-day? Not one. Every editor and proprietor has prejudices to nourish, interests to uphold, friends for preferment, grudges to be repaid or favors to ask. To point out the weakness of each particular paper and editor would be to draw down upon us the ill-will of all. From Bennett, with his telegraphic and other innovations, down to Hurlbut, with his cabinet rat-traps, rose trees, and washing machines for sale, all are imbued with the foibles or faults of the age of political advancement. Editors are extending "a preference" upon the president the whole time for the promotion of friends; the mayor of this city is in daily receipt of letters addressed to the proprietors of newspapers, begging that this or that the other man may be appointed.

We do well to abhor the vagaries of politics, but to exhibit in the pool himself is a mistake. He may write of and criticise the dreams, but he should not seek to play Hamlet himself. Editors, like lawyers, should not have interests of a commercial nature which may lead them to attack useful measures. In the legislature, fearing that their own purses may suffer if the people's burdens are lightened. The editor's place is at his desk; his only interest should be the welfare of the people and the success of his paper. If the paper cannot support him let him get out of the business. If it will support him honestly he should abstain from other enterprises.

Save the Trees.

A State forestry association has just been formed in Albany, N. Y., for this purpose. The Empire State is behind many of her sisters in this movement for tree-saving and tree culture. Pennsylvania has a forestry association in not life, but actively at work. It is about establishing a regular bi-monthly publication in the interests of this supremely important subject. It will be called the Penn Forestry Bulletin, and will be published in New York city. The first number contains a valuable paper by Dr. Hough on the lumber supply of New York state.

The American forestry congress is an organization including both the United States and Canada. Any one may become a life member of it by paying $10. The next annual meeting of the congress will be held at Boston, beginning September 1.

White Star Potatoes Cut to One Eye.

Mr. C. B. Kalleg, Geauga county, O., planted nine bushels White Star potatoes on one acre of land. The ground was thoroughly prepared with Acme pulverizer and Thomas smoothing harrow. The crop was well tended from beginning to end. The bugs were numerous. Mr. Kalleg is the owner of the potatoes. The result was entirely satisfactory to Mr. Kalleg. The yield was 800 bushels of very fine large potatoes, remarkably few of them scabby. (Ohio Farmer.)

THE RED BLADES WIN.

HARVARD EASILY BEATS YALE IN THE GREAT RACE.

They Have it All Their Own Way from the Start to the Finish, and Win by an Eighth of a Mile.

NEW LONDON, June 27.—Eight muscular Harvard men, whose brown arms were not hidden by their red sleeveless jerseys, sauntered from the red-roofed, yellow Queen Anne cottages, the Wawayanda, on the Thames river, four miles above here, at 11 o'clock. The crimson flag, with Harvard in big brown letters on it, flapped confidently when they went into the boat-house, where the Harvard paper shell is kept. In a couple of minutes they came out. Their yellow chamois skin trousers glistened in the sun as they carried a long brown boat as tenderly as if it was a baby, and put it in the water as daintily as if it was a piece of frogged bric-a-brac. Then they sat down cautiously on their sliding seats and strapped their feet in the shoes secured to the fore rests. The Harvard crew rippled over their oars and the red blades looked like huge goldfish. T. Q. Brown, the ninety-six-pound coxswain, gave them final instructions about how to start the race, and then they leisurely rowed over to the starting point and waited for the Yale crew to come along and decide whether the tenth drawback should be the score or put Harvard two ahead.

The Harvard crew paddled around and waited for the Yale men to come. The tide rose till it had reached the red medicine advertisement, printed in loud yellow color on the rocks. The girls on the observation train waved their handkerchiefs, that every body could see the color of the flowing ribbons tied to the tip, and the young men yelled to limber their throats. It was a quarter of an hour before the white-sweater Yale men came down the bluff from their old white farm house with green shutters at Gale's ferry.

Flanders, the captain of the crew, was ill. Partly through weakness, chiefly on account of the slipperiness of the boat, he tumbled into the river. It took a while for him to climb out and be dried.

Yale had won the toss and chose the west side where the eel grass isn't. The tide had moved by the time they got to the course. The gentle wind was from the south square on the bows. What waves there were came mostly from the steamers in the river. It was only an occasional gust that put even the faintest white cap on the water.

When both crews were ready the starter pushed off their boats, and their satchel-brown backs were bared. Volleys of cheers came from the observation train and the yachts, like rapid platoon firing. Harvard's cheers snapped like rifle shots, and Yale's "Eli, Eli, Rah, Rah" resounded as if fired from a muffled instead of a throat. Both crews paused for a moment. The oars in the water lifted oars lay on the water, and the cropping waves threw up little drops of spray as they murmured over them. The ebbing tide pushed the boats somewhat down the river. Each of the sixteen men bent forward. His leg muscles were tense. His back was rigid. His arms outstretched. His hands clasped hands clutched the roughened oar handle closer than a sinking man would hold a plank. Each coxswain called to his men. The cheering ceased and then stopped. Referee Cornell gave the word.

Sixteen oars dropped into the water, and sixteen men, who for nine months had been training for this race, bent to their work like rocks. The Yale men caught the water first. Their bow barely went ahead, and if a change of positions had been made at that time it wouldn't have been noticed or heard in the storm of Yale cheers. It was only for a stroke. The second stroke brought the bows even. At the third stroke Harvard's bow led by a few inches. The rocks hid the crews from the people on the observation train, but the steamers and yachts kept pace with the crowd. Before the crews had gone 200 yards Harvard led by a quarter of a length. They pulled easily and without visible effort. They were in fine condition together. Their rank was not sudden or violent, but when the oar blade was in the water it was pulled hard through the whole stroke. They started off with a 44 to the minute.

Yale's crew pulled a jerky stroke of 42. They splashed. The blades were not pulled through, and it lacked the vimmy yank that wins.

At the half mile there was a quarter of a length of clear water between Harvard's Stern and Yale's bow. Both crews were rowing 40. The Yale men did not feather their oars, and it looked as if the port sides were pulling the starboard side around. Harvard gained steadily, and at the mile flag there were three lengths of clear water between the boats. The Harvard stroke was 38. Yale's was still pulled 40. The time for the mile was 5:38½ and 5:37.

When the observation train came out from behind the rocks, and the Harvard men saw how the Yale crew were falling behind, they yelled and waved their flags. The rebuke came from the Yale crew in a hoarse sound like a few dozen rahs instead of nine. The Yale men were silent, but the Yale girls waved the blue ribbons on their parasols at the crew and cheered to encourage them. But the Yale crew had no chance of winning, and everybody saw it before the race was half over. Strokes and No. 2 rowed well, but the middle of the boat was soggy. Nos. 3, 4 and 5 pulled with their arms and exempted their backs from much labor. Instead of the vigorous bows at the beginning of every stroke that Bob Cook tried to have, there was a listless dropping of the oars. It was hard to get it out of the water as soon as possible, and an occasional splash. At the mile and a half Yale pulled 40, Harvard 36. Time, 8:01½, 8:04½.

Harvard's lead at the two-mile flag was four lengths of clear water. Stroke as before. Time—12:24½, 12:27½. The race was practically over. The Yale crew felt so, and the Yale men on the shore and on the yachts knew the race was lost, and figured up how many thousands of dollars they had bet. Harvard men would have been if the wearers of the blue hadn't been lured by odds into betting. It was a good race for a boat, but Harvard men didn't cheer during the race as much as last year, when they were defeated. Some of them cheered sarcastically for Yale, and sang some college songs.

The rowing kept on. The Yale crew fell so far behind that if it had been in a professional race it would have been too far away to hear the band.

At the two-and-a-half mile flag Harvard rowed 36, Yale 41. Distance, seven lengths. Time—20:58½, 21:02½.

When the crews passed the three-mile flag Harvard still pulled 36. Yale had changed to 40. Distance, nine lengths. Time—18:58½, 19:04½. Harvard gained two more lengths in the next half mile. Both crews quickened to 40. Time—22:06, 22:09½. Harvard's time became more lifted and shortened the use of their slides. Harvard's crew could see the Yale men so far behind that there was no necessity to spurt. Still, from force of habit, they quickened it at, which Yale was rowing.

On the home stretch Yale rowed as

Rowed as they started. Time—28:06, 28:09½. Harvard's stroke was 38. Yale's 40. Harvard's bow passed the judges' boat first. Time—28:58½, 29:03½. Harvard gained two more lengths in the last half mile. Both crews quickened to 42. Time—30:50, 30:56½. Harvard's bow passed the judges' boat first. Time—31:38½, 31:45½. Harvard's stroke was 38. Yale's 42. Harvard won by a length and a half. Time—32:38½, 32:46½. Harvard's stroke was 38. Yale's 42. Harvard won by a length and a half. Time—33:38½, 33:46½. Harvard's stroke was 38. Yale's 42. Harvard won by a length and a half. Time—34:38½, 34:46½. Harvard's stroke was 38. Yale's 42. Harvard won by a length and a half.

USE OF TOBACCO.

THERE IS ONE FEATURE CALCULATED TO EXCITE ALARM.

What the Doctors Say in Favor of the Weed—"Soothing Influence of a Cigar"—Tobacco as a Medicine.

[Medical and Surgical Reporter.]

The fact has been pointed out that men are on the whole as healthy as women, while nine out of ten of the male population of the world use tobacco, and women as a rule abstain. In the learned professions, about one-half of the ministers are addicted to it in some form, likely three-fourths of all physicians, and nine-tenths of members of the legal fraternity.

In looking calmly at the tobacco question, there is one feature calculated to excite alarm, and that is the habit of chewing and smoking so widely practiced among boys. This, to young, growing boys, is unqualifiedly hurtful. They voluntarily endure the first disagreeable effects of the tobacco to acquire what they consider an accomplishment, the habit is finally confirmed, and with an entire ignorance of its power, added to a tendency to immoderation, the growth and development is often seriously interfered with, and the worst results follow. They smoke and chew generally the worst tobacco, and to a degree which would positively be harmful with the majority of adults. This matter should be covered by proper action of our legislators, with whom the responsibility rests.

Smoking, when done at proper times, facilitates digestion. The sense of relief obtained by a cigar, after a heavy meal, is well known to smokers. Dyspepsia some times follows the discontinuance of tobacco, and is removed when the habit is resumed. While the abuse of tobacco weakens the system and leads to emaciation, moderate use greatly it exerts a favorable influence upon nutrition.

Hammond, by observation upon himself, found a gain in weight with the use of tobacco. Fiske attributed an increase of twenty-four pounds in three months to tobacco. "Tobacco, when the food is sufficient to preserve the weight, increases it; when insufficient, and the body is losing, tobacco restrains the loss." (Hammond). Boerhave, of Holland, over 200 years ago referred to tobacco as being antidotal to hunger. It seems that the power to undergo severe exertion and fatigue, either mental or physical, is aided by tobacco. "Soldiers of all nations use it. It was a standing injunction of Napoleon that his troops should have tobacco, and it was of great advantage in the retreat from Moscow. (Fiske). During our late war the soldier would be patient under years of severe privations, if he but had a good supply of tobacco to smoke or chew, and when on picket duty would risk his life to strike a match for his pipe.

Situations of loneliness are always rendered more tolerable by tobacco, and it is the constant companion of those who lead lives of solitude, such as that of the herdsmen and ranchmen. A feeling of unrest or discontent, made up of ill defined longings, of imaginary disappointments, and unpleasant anticipations, commonly known as ennui, is responsible for much unhappiness. This unfortunate condition of mind is removed by the soothing influence of a cigar, and the moroseness and gloom are quickly dispelled. As much of every day is filled up with cares, and degrees of misfortune in this life will depend largely upon our ability to bear it uncomplainingly. That tobacco assists us to do this, that it makes the yoke we bear upon life more complacently, must be the conclusion of everyone who has experienced its influence. That it enables us to toil with less fatigue, is equally true. The readers of writers generally use tobacco, and cannot accomplish the same amount of work in the same time without it, and those constantly with newspaper and other literary work, who have often to write against time, find it of inestimable value.

Tobacco formerly enjoyed a deserved reputation as a medicinal agent, and was extensively used in scabies and other cutaneous disorders. It has been largely supplanted, however, in modern practice, by other remedies. The use of tobacco during a mercurial course decreases the risk of salivation, and the ptyalism have been reported cured by its employment. Before the discovery of chloroform, tobacco served a useful purpose in the hands of the surgeon in cases of strangulated hernia for obtaining complete relaxation. Tobacco constitutes a most valuable addition to the ordinary poultice in local painful swellings. In two cases of carcinoma of the breast, by incorporating it in a local application, a marked diminution in the pain was noted. Its use in relief of pain. As an ingredient in anthmatics, cigarettes with belladona, stramonium, etc., it is entitled to share in the remedial effect.

The limited medicinal range of tobacco is unimportant in comparison with its social and psychical influences. Among its many beneficent powers it appears to allay worry and lighten toil. It is an aid to mental work, and a help to reflection and completeness. It promotes sociability, and in the words of one of its champions, "makes a man act more like a Samaritan."

Professing Religion Picturesquely.

[Birmingham (Ala.) Age.]

One of the most novel scenes ever witnessed in the city was that of administering the solemn rite of baptism at O'Brien's opera house on Sunday night. It was probably the first performance of the kind that was ever known in the south.

The congregation was large and the services were unusually impressive. After the discourse the clergyman's wife was prepared for the candidates for baptism.

When the scenery in front was drawn back a beautiful sight presented itself. The scenery had been so arranged as to form a charming woodland scene; the pool was placed in the center of the stage, and was surrounded by flowers and rocks, which formed a rustic spot; the background was so arranged that the effect was as pleasing as it was grand. When the ceremony was finished the choir sang "In the Sweet By-and-Bye" in a manner that touched the whole congregation.

Crimson Foods for the Frontal Idea.

[Yonkers Gazette.]

The nose, we're pleased to say, is a talisman strange. From pulpit its irradiant glow may mean the fiery effect of the kindled soul; in forum its effulgence may express the well-read jurist roaming to the front; in female feature it may advertise the bibulous circle where powder has forbade; but in the politician, gods one, the rich carnation of a nasal bulb is the true symbol of the new dinner—whose doth wear it will be found for sale.

Very Romantic.

[New York Graphic.]

"Miss de Silva has a very harsh and unpleasant voice, don't you think so?" observed Angel. "Very," replied Gimlet; "but she is so romantic it will not do her any harm." "Romantic—how so?" "She never tries to sing."

ON A LOCOMOTIVE.

A VETERAN RAILROAD ENGINEER RELATES A LITTLE EXPERIENCE.

A Strange Circumstance on a Stormy Night—Engines Easier to Handle Nowadays—Improvement in Engineers.—A Few Fast Runs.

[Chicago News Interview.]

The other night a reporter sat in the modest parlor of a modest hotel, talking to a modest though veteran engineer employed on one of Chicago's leading railroads. For twenty-two years he had pulled the lever of a locomotive on the same road, and but for his modesty could reel off yarns of thrilling experiences by the yard.

"This reminds me," said he, alluding to the storm which was prevailing, "of a night a number of years ago when a very strange circumstance happened on the train I was running. I only mention it to illustrate the extreme forethought which is continually necessary for an engineer to exercise. As we pulled out of the depot I noticed a storm gathering in the west. Before we had got far beyond the city limits we were into it. It was a gruesome night, with the lightning flashing incessantly, the thunder crashing and rolling, and the wind blowing a hurricane. I suddenly thought that, for chances to one, at some point on the road I would be *likely to run across some stray freight-cars*, for the wind was strong enough to blow them from the switches on the main track. The thought made me cautious, and I kept a sharp outlook ahead. My fears proved correct, for we had not gone *far* when a bright flash of lightning brought into bold relief against the black sky a number of freight cars which the wind had carried off a side track and set up promiscuously on the main track. But being ready for just such an emergency I pulled up in time to avert a catastrophe."

"Do you find engines in these days easier to handle than when you first took hold of the lever?"

"Oh, yes. There have been so many improvements of late years that a locomotive is much easier to run. It is much easier to get up steam. The use of coal instead of wood tends to this result; and then the patent injector is a great improvement over the old pump. The automatic air-brake is a great help, and there are many minor improvements being constantly brought forward—all of more or less utility—which lighten the labor of an engineer. Some roads use a patent bell-ringer which is run by steam, but I never took kindly to it. It proved a source of annoyance more than anything else."

"I suppose there has been a great change of style in engines in the last twenty years?"

"Yes, they are much heavier, for one thing. In the old days a locomotive had to pull only three or four cars. One with a 15-inch cylinder and 22-inch stroke, weighing 28 to 30 tons, was sufficient. Now trains are made up of fifteen to twenty cars, and the weight of the locomotives has been increased to about 46 tons, with an 18-inch cylinder and a 24-inch stroke. An engine with the tank all loaded and ready to start on a run will weigh 75 tons."

"Have engineers improved as much as the engines?"

"Decidedly, yes. In the old days an engineer was nobody unless he was one of the boys. He was generally 'in with the boys, *will mat' with everybody*, and *the amount* of whisky a first-class engineer could consume in a night was something fearful to contemplate. Now, however, drinking is absolutely prohibited. While the 'boys' were good in their day, *there are many who* would shed a few tears times, if they are a better educated class of men in these days than they were formerly, for they do not spend their spare time in carousals. But still you will find them a jolly set withal."

"Is it necessary to be a practical machinist to be a first-class engineer?"

"By no means. Some of the very best engineers are those who are first 'wipers' at the roundhouse, next firemen, and are finally put in charge of the locomotive. By constantly working on an engine they become familiar with the different parts and soon learn how to handle it, provided, of course, that they take an interest in the business."

"What is the average time of an express-train in these days?"

"Including stops, about thirty miles an hour. There have been some remarkable bursts of speed, however, but those were on extra occasions. Phil O'Neil, who runs the Omaha express over on the Northwestern, carries the horns in this regard. I believe, With the 'Wabash' he brought a party of directors from Clinton, Iowa, to Chicago at an average speed of a mile a minute for 198 miles. This was in 1884. Preston, another Northwestern engineer, made a record when he took Mr. Marvin H. Palmer's corpse from Chicago to the Bluffs when they were on their way to San Francisco. He left Chicago at 10:30 p. m., arriving at Clinton, Iowa, at 1:10 a. m. This station is at 1:15 a. m., and reached Boone at 6:21 a. m.; left Boone at 6:40 a. m., and reached the Bluffs at 10 a. m. This would mean that he made the run of 488.5 miles at an average speed of 46.45 miles per hour. That was a great run."

Wanted to Take Lessons.

[Exchange.]

Sir Julius Benedict in his later years had a horror of men, servants, and used frequently to say: "I had *men servants till I was* weary of them, when at last came one who deserved to be the last. Imagine that this servant, and a very bad one he was, thought he could play the accordion, and played it like an assassin. Well, one day he comes to me saying: 'I want a favor. I have a voice and I wish to cultivate it. Any hour of the day or night most convenient to you I shall be ready to take a lesson, and you can deduct it from my wages.' Since then I have done without a man servant."

Don't Want to Waste Time.

[New York Times.]

"My dear friend," said a minister at the bedside of a sick man, "do you feel that you are prepared to die?"

"I realize too well that I am not," replied the sick man, feebly.

"I would be glad to speak with you concerning matters which at this time must concern—"

"You are very kind, sir," interrupted the patient, "but the physicians are *holding a consultation*, and I would learn their verdict first."

Carried Herself Through College.

[New Orleans Times-Democrat.]

Robert Yergin, a one-armed ex-Confederate soldier of South Carolina, has an 18-year old daughter who has just graduated at the college to gin her father's cotton, but she has earned money enough to carry her through the Columbia Female college, and to come out with the valedictory—the first honor in the graduating class.

Children's Summer Complaint.

[Medical World.]

Seven grains of powdered oyster shells, and twenty grains each of powdered rice and refined sugar-candy, boiled in a pint of milk, form an excellent nutritive diet in the stomach bowel complaints of children.

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THIS AFTERNOON.

Preparing for an Indian Campaign.

TUCSON, Ari., June 27.—General Cook has been busily engaged for the past few days refitting and preparing for an Indian campaign in the Sierra Madres, and is about to start for there. It is unofficially stated that the plan of the campaign is as follows: General Cook, with scouts and infantry, will enter the Sierra Madres and endeavor to capture or kill Geronimo and his followers. Should any escape and attempt to return to the reservation in Arizona or New Mexico they will be intercepted by cavalry which will be stationed along the line. Troops will camp at different water holes along the line between Fort Huachuca and Silver Creek, so that the entire line will be guarded.

Telegrams received last night from Hermosillo, Mexico, say that a band of Apaches passed near Guassras on the 19th instant going towards the Sierra Madres Mountains. A body of American troops and scouts were closely pursuing them.

The Seige of Kassala.

CAIRO, June 27.—A deserter from the force of rebels besieging Kassala has been taken prisoner and brought to Massowah. He says the rebels are very short of provisions and there is much sickness among them. When he left them they were seriously considering a proposition to the beleaguered garrison for a cessation of hostilities upon condition that they should be allowed to withdraw without being pursued.

A Marriage Ceremony Postponed for Five Years.

MADISON, Ind., June 27.—Mrs. Dorman, better known as Miss Nancy McCue, was married Thursday to a crippled soldier named Gen. Woodfill. The license was taken out in 1880, but the ceremony has waited for Woodfill's pension, $3,180 cash down and $30 per month.

A Mine Explosion.

BERLIN, June 27.—An explosion of fire damp occured this morning in a coal mine at Dudweiler in Rheinish Prussia, near Saarbruck. Eighteen miners have *thus far* been taken out dead.

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[Joseph Brennan.]

Come to me, dearest, I'm lonely without thee;
Day-time and night-time I'm thinking about thee;
Night-time and day-time in dreams I behold thee;
Dreams make the waking which comes to fold thee.

Come to me, darling, my sorrows to lighten,
Come in thy beauty to these and to brighten;
Come in thy love, and, sweetly and lowly;
Come in thy lovingness, queenly and holy.

Swallows will flit round the desolate ruins,
Spring of spring and its joyous renewings;
And thoughts of thy love and its manifold sweetness
Are circling my heart with a promise of greeting of my spirit! O May of my bosom!
Come, put on my soul till it burgeon and blossom!

The waste of my life has a rose-root within me,
And thy fondness alone to the sunshine can win it.

Figure that moves like a song through the grove;
Soothing it up by a pulse of heaven;
Love like the skies of poor Erin our mother,
Where the shadows and sunshine are chasing each other;
Smiles come seldom, but childlike and winning,
Flashing in each rosy cheek a sweet dimple.
Oh! thinks to the Savior, that even thy smile be left to the exile to brighten his dreaming!

You have been glad when you knew I was gladden'd;
Dear, come and now to hear I am sadden'd!
Our hearts ever answer in tune and in time, love,
As octave to octave, and rhyme unto rhyme, love,
I can but weep but your tears will be flowing;
You can not smile but thy cheeks will be glowing;
I would not die without you at my side, love—
You will not linger when I shall have died, love.

Come to me, dear, ere I die of my sorrow;
Rise on my gloom like the sun of to-morrow;
Sweep, swift, and fast fond as the words which I say to thee, love,
With a song on your lip, and a smile on your brow to me, love.
Come, for my heart in your absence is weary;
Home, for my spirit is sicken'd and dreary;
Come to the scene which alone should caress thee;
Come to the heart which is throbbing to bless thee.

STRAYED INTO THE PROMENADE.

The Summer Millinery Abashed Him—A Very Much Subdued Child.

[Philadelphia Press.]

When the crowd was thickest and brightest on Chestnut street, a lost child strayed up Twelfth street and around the corner into the promenade. He was clad in a round bathing-dress of blue flannel, with white stripes. His had bare legs and molasses-smutty colored hair. His face and hands showed that his latest play-ground had been an ash heap. As he entered the crowd of new summer millinery the lost child became subdued. He stuck a dirty finger in his dirty mouth, and his dirty face was bent downward as he was swept on down the street in a chattering ocean of grenadine, muslin, jaconet and organdie.

As he reached the high steps of the old Baldwin mansion he withdrew himself from the on-sweeping wave. First he put one small, smudged leg across one of the lowest of the marble steps, then another. He still kept his eyes down, but he had to take his fingers from his mouth in order to clamber up by the railing. Finally he reached the top, and sat down on the lintel. All the women stopped. There was a flock in the street while they endeavored to beguile the lost child from his perch. A fat woman in a bearded jersey chunked at him. A young woman with a bronzed parasol offered to show him the "choo choos." A schoolgirl with her hair down her back, held out a package of candy to him.

Shall he eat them, with his face down and his finger again in his mouth, utterly ashamed of the commotion he had created and unresponsive to the chorus of "Ain't he coming?" and "Oh, the little dear." When the street had been blocked for five minutes a big reserve, who had been hitching from one foot to another on the outskirts of the admiring crowd waiting for it to break up, summoned his courage and shouldered his way through it.

The child still kept his fingers in his mouth and kept his face down as, perched on the policeman's shoulder, he rode off to the central station. He had not spoken, nor smiled, nor cried since he struck the wave of summer millinery on the corner of Twelfth street. He remained subdued until his frightened mother came for him at night. He was the most abashed child ever lost in Philadelphia.

Smirching the Roses.

[Youth's Companion.]

We have many sweet customs in farm and country places, where long custom has sanctioned frolics which almost inevitably lead to one of the least to be wished. Huskings, husking-games, the romping parties to which boys and girls are left to indulge, unrestrained by other persons, lead to evil, if not to disaster. No modest girl should be afraid to refuse to join in them from fear of ridicule.

The boy or girl who laugh at her are those who would respect her most. The young girl with whom a man can romp, or whom he can kiss at pleasure, is not the one whom he would choose for a wife. It is the man who cherishes the rose who is first to lay it aside.

A Pretty Wall Pocket.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]

A useful and pretty wall pocket is made of a large circular piece of pasteboard and a crescent-shaped piece. The round piece is covered with peacock-green satin sheeting or serge, and the crescent with bright scarlet, and ornamented across one side. The crescent is covered with gold-covered satin or braid, and is sewed toward the other end in place with over-and-over stitches. All the edges are covered with cord, then concealing the joining. The crescent should be sewed to the round with gold wrapping-cord and pamphlets. Any material, design or coloring may be used.

Commendable Privacy.

[New York Cor. Chicago Tribune.]

The daughter of a well-known New Yorker was married the other day in the quietest manner, only a few of her most intimate friends and her nearest of kindred being present on the occasion. No mention was made of it in any of the newspapers, so that many of her acquaintance are still unaware of the event. As there was no reason outside of good taste for this commendable privacy, it may be hailed as a symptom of returning delicacy and common sense among the Manhattanese.

A New London Beauty.

Dorothy Dene is the name of a new London beauty, who, people say, is to become a rival to Mary Anderson and Mrs. Langtry. She is said to be very beautiful, though still quite young.

The woman who sent up for her husband actually has the key to the situation.

NASTY WEATHER.

[Ella Wheeler Wilcox in Frank Leslie's.]

On a day like this, when the steeples are wet,
When the skies are gray and the rain is falling,
How can you hinder an old regret
But a joy long dead, and a hope long set,
From rising out of its grave and calling—
Calling for you, while no one will hear?
That it scales the reason and stems the will?

On a day like this, when the sun is hid,
And you and your heart are bound together,
It memories come to you all unbid,
And sometimes suddenly wake your lid,
With a gust of tears, in the midst of mirth,
Why, who is in fault, but the dim old day,
Too dark for labor, too dull for play?

On a day like this, that is blurred and gray,
When the rain drips down in a ceaseless fall,
If a dream, that you banished and put away,
Comes back to stare in your face and say
Mute eloquent words of passion;
If the wind that moans like a soul unblest,
Why, who can help it, a day like this?

BROADWAY'S WONDERFUL TRAFFIC.

The Number of Vehicles Which Pass a Given Point During the Day.

[New York Tribune.]

Some interesting statistics have recently been gathered regarding the enormous amount of traffic on Broadway. Four men were recently stationed at Fulton street and Broadway to count the vehicles passing through Broadway at that point from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. The total number was 23,208 for the day, of whom there were about 2,000 an hour, thirty-two a minute, or one every two seconds.

The largest number of any one kind of vehicles was of single and double trucks, 7,384; the smallest number was 81, there were ambulances. There were 3,200 single and double express wagons. The 2,910 stages and the 1,022 cabs were next in order of quantity, peddlers' wagons numbering 976, produce wagons 942, rag carts 375, carriages 254, coal carts 234, and venders' wagons 200. Then there was a drop to hacks, 988, and butcher wagons 223.

The variety of vehicles was striking, there having been eighty kinds according to the schedule. Every conceivable article of transfer appears to be poured into the thoroughfare. The private carriages were completely engulfed in the 150 ash-carts; the two ambulances and three funerals made a melancholy showing amid the seventy-three loads of dead hogs, the sixty-four garbages and the seventy-three dirt carts.

The larger four wagons and the orange peddlers finished the list in quality; the bone and lumber wagons went neck-and-neck; the gas and sugar wagons were half-and-half, which should give the pie sweetness; the milk were left behind by the swill wagons.

The mixture presented was something appalling. Kerosene, milk, old iron, saw-dust, rags, sugar, ice, beer, bones, oranges, ashes, pie, hogs, tripe, tin, tallow, tea, tar, and petroleum were mingled in a bewildering confusion. Broadway is certainly a remarkable thoroughfare.

Over-did It.

[Chicago Herald "Train Talk."]

"Had a right smart of rain here in Chicago, I guess?" remarked a passenger from Western Kansas. "Now, out with us we have been just dying for rain. Everything dried up like codfish in a salt barl. The drouth got so bad that we were afraid we'd lose all our crops, an' so the religious people called a day of prayer. The churches an' school houses were all open, an' you never used to many religious people in your life. It beats all how religious a man gets when his corn crop is in danger. Well, we had an' prayed in rain. The minister prayed, the deacons prayed, we all prayed. But the oddest thing about it was that a little girl came to the church with an umbrella. What did she want to bring your umbrella for, sis?' some one asked her; 'do you think it's going to rain?' 'Course I do,' she replied, 'I'm a-going to pray for it,' and she don't the good Lord say, ask and ye shall get' The faith of that little girl touched all our hearts, I tell ye."

"But did it really rain?"

"No, but before we got home there came the onsweest hailstorm and tornado that never you need. There wasn't a stalk o' anything green left in the hull country."

Thad. Stevens and "the Tiger."

[Ben: Perley Poore.]

Thad. Stevens was an inveterate gambler. One who had met him in the haunts of "the tiger," described him as having played for excitement, not caring whether he won or lost. Like Fox, who described winning at seventy-two years of age, he took delight in losing at the same game as the next greatest, Stevens lost and won with the same apparent indifference. He played with consummate skill, and was a hard loser, and never increased the amount of his bet either to retrieve his losses or more rapidly to increase his gains.

His sarcastic remarks upon the discomposure of his fellow-players, who sometimes exclaimed with rage and profanity at their ill luck, were a source of much merry-making. While they were eating and drinking with the voracity of cormorants, he never indulged in anything more stimulating than a cracker and a sip of water. The contrast between his coolness and apparent apathy, and the eager, fierce excitement of others sitting at the table and engaged in the same pursuit, was amazing.

Concerning Mustaches.

[New York Sun.]

"Mustaches are different," said the barber; "some silken and silky, while others are as stiff as bristles. A man who wishes a good mustache should never allow a razor to touch it. Then he will always be sure of its curvilinear, as he would have growing power. Young men have a foolish idea that shaving frequently will hasten the growth of the mouth hair, but the only effect is to make it like a hearth brush.

"Bald-headed men have, as a rule, the best growth of hair on their faces. It seems to be a provision of nature to compensate them for what they want above. Some men can never grow a decent mustache; it looks like two rat tails. Such men should fall back on side whiskers."

A Point in Poverty.

[Savannah (Ga.) Times.]

An Athens man, when he asked his wife to marry him, promised her that if he ever got rich enough to buy a fine broadcloth coat he would scrub the clothes himself. He has reached that point of poverty, and the lady holds him to his word. Every wash-day he may be seen with his coat off at work over the wash-tub.

Slow Stockings.

[Exchange.]

A new industry has sprung up in Uruapan, Mexico. The people of that region have many cattle in bottles in the form of an extract, which is shipped to all parts of Mexico, and an effort is being made to introduce it into the United States.

The Brennan Torpedo.

[Detroit Free Press.]

Experiments with the Brennan torpedo at Gerrit cut point, Detroit river, have proved that the weapon can be successfully steered across the harbor, 5 distance of a mile.

DEAR LOVE.

[Percy Leslie.]

Look off, dear Love, across the sallow marshes,
Across the sunset fens unto the stars;
How long they kiss, in sight of all the lands,
Ah, longer, longer we.

We in the sun's red vintage melts the sun
As Night's pearl dissolved in rosy wine,
And (Cleopatra, Night) drinks all. 'Tis done!
Love, lay thy hand in mine.

Come forth, sweet stars, and comfort Heaven's heart;
Glimmer, ye waves, round the delighted earth,
O Night, divorce our sun and sky apart—
Never our lips, our hands.

MASKS OF DEAD BABIES.

The Curious Way by Which a New Yorker Makes His Living.

[New York Herald.]

There is a basement on Eighth avenue which is used for a purpose not as a place of business. There is nothing noteworthy in that fact, but there is a peculiarity about the place, which is that he has a sign out announcing that he molds the heads of dead infants. Several specimens of this kind of work are displayed at the entrance of the shop.

The plasterer was found in the basement surrounded by benches, tools, calling ornaments, fragments of porcelain, and half finished busts in plaster. He was asked if the idea of making a business of taking casts of the features of dead children was original with him, and if he had ever before heard of anybody else doing anything in that line. The people in the neighborhood, he added, were mostly Irish, and lived in tenement houses. Formerly no expense was too great for them as far as a funeral was concerned, and he had happened to come in for a little share of the profits.

"One day," said the plasterer, "a man came down here and said he had just lost his baby. He was on his way to the undertaker's, and the little one looked pretty natural times to brace up. He saw an old plaster cast at the top of the stage, and it struck him that he'd have something like that to remember his baby by. He insisted that I should go to the house with him and mould the baby's head, and as I had a taste for that kind of work we struck up a bargain. I made a pretty good cast, if I do say it myself, and I got $5 for the job."

Did you have much of that kind of work to do after that?"

"Well, this man set the fashion, as you might say. There are a good many people in a tenement-house and the children die pretty fast. I had a good deal to do for awhile and I had to hire an extra hand to help in the common plastering. But after a time the people got poor, or the casts got to be too common, or there were too many in one family, or something, and there isn't any money in it now."

"Do you have your sign out as a matter of form?"

"That's about all. In fact, I've forgotten what it says. I guess I'll go up and take a look at it."

Learning from Shop Girls.

[New York Sun.]

"When shop girls take up a fashion," said a clerk in an up-town drug store who has quite a speciality of selling light articles for the toilet table, "it is pretty sure to be run speedily into the ground. When society women wear it, as they did about a few years ago, they had things all their own way for a season; then the shop girls took to wearing it, and that settled it. The average shop girl is much more beautiful and certainly more symmetrically formed than the average society girl.

"So it was with banged hair. Society women wore bangs until they were eclipsed in beauty by women who waited on them in the large dry goods stores, and now they comb their hair straight back. I think it acts as a salutary check on fashions of every sort, and prevents them from running to extremes. Take finger-nails, for instance. Not long ago manicures were practically unknown; that is as far as the general public was concerned. Then ladies began to pay some attention to their nails. As a result they ran it into the ground. Manicures have multiplied, and our own sales of manicure implements and things of various sorts for the care of the nails have increased enormously. Women wore their nails very long, sharp, and polished. Then they got false nails, and destroyed half the beauty of the hands. More than this, a great many of them were unskillful in attending to their own hands, and the acids and different things with which they stained the nails frequently discolored the fingers half way up the first joint. Then they got out of fashion in a day. The girls stained, polished, and powdered their finger nails to an absurd point. Other women learned a lesson and used better taste.

Fifty Dollars for a Kiss.

[Philadelphia Press.]

A good story was told of Booth when he was here last, which illustrates his indifference to the class of women who always find something irresistible and fascinating in the man who earns their living behind the footlights. Booth was traveling on the Pennsylvania & Albany road one day, having just closed an engagement a the New England metropolis. He heard an expensively-dressed, handsome, middle-aged woman sigh and sob and sigh and say to her companion: "I would give $50 to kiss that man." Booth turned suddenly and said: "Madam, I will not, but you must that!" he demanded, fixing his fine dark eyes upon her and causing the blood to mount up to the very roots of her hair.

"Why, yes, of course, I do," replied the woman, confusedly, looking in a helpless sort of a way at the great tragedian and at the smiling faces around.

"Well, I accept the terms, madame," exclaimed Booth, solemnly.

And then came the proposition," said the woman, recovering her self-possession, and, rising, she imparted a sound kiss upon the actor's lips. Booth's face showed not the slightest emotion. He received the bills blandly, and did not return it, but waited until the impetuous woman had her purse and handed him a $50 bill. He took the money, thanked her, and turning to a feeble, shabby, ill-dressed woman on the other side of the aisle, who was traveling with two young children, placed the money in her hands and, with a courtly bow, said: "This is for the children, madame. Take it, please," and without another word he left the car.

Advertising Enterprise.

[Chicago Tribune.]

At Omo, about twenty miles from Sunkin, on the Sunkin & Decker railway, stands a huge bunch of rocks about 100 feet high, and 200 feet square. Advantage is taken of the eminence of this for posting notices, hence it is known as the "Power Rock." On the face of this rock a large advertisement, 200 feet square, in letters of four and a half feet high, indicates that "——'s soap is the best."

Charitable Suggestion.

[Detroit Free Press.]

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding days of last year, as kept at Sadler's drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	71	6 a. m.	55
9 a. m.	76	9 a. m.	65
12 m	81	12 m.	75
3 p m	87	3 p. m.	87

Miniature Almanac.

Today and the corresponding days last year.

1885.	1884.
Sunrise.....4.32 a. m.	Sunrise.....4.32 a. m.
Sun Sets.....7.35 p. m.	Sun Sets.....7.35 p. m.
Moon Rises 8.52 a. m.	Moon Rises.....p. m.

Chronological Events.

St. Peter and St. Paul. Clay died 1852.

Signal Office Prediction.

For the Middle Atlantic States, local rains, variable winds generally shifting to northwesterly, cooler weather in the northern portion, stationary temperature followed by slightly cooler weather in the southern portion, with a cool wave Monday evening.

For Tuesday—Fair cool weather, with a cool wave is indicated for New England and the Middle Atlantic States, including the District of Columbia.

JOTTINGS.

—"A Russian Honeymoon" to-morrow night at Music Hall.

—The closing exercises of the Mt. Pleasant public school take place this evening.

—The Warren Mission Sunday School are arranging for an excursion to Lake Hamel.

—A number of people visited the gypsy camp at the round park on Park avenue yesterday.

—The Bicycle Club expect the remainder of their new suits this week. Several of the members already have them.

—Two young men were brought before Judge Ulrich this morning for fast driving. They were fined five dollars apiece.

—John Cory will lead the young men's meeting in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association this evening.

—Arrangements are being made by some of the young men about town to have a game of base ball on the Fourth of July.

—William Bloomfield, of Metuchen, who has been an inmate of the Trenton Asylum for the past two years, died there last week.

—The colored people say that they do not think the hall would a camp meeting here this year, because the one last year did not pay.

—On Thursday evening the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held.

—July has two full moons, and is the sole month in the year honored with that distinction. The moon falls on the 1st and again on the 30th.

—The regular monthly meeting of the official Board of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held after the prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.

—Of all this season's crop of college and high school graduates, how many will devote themselves and their education to the *mechanical trades? Echo answers, "how many?"*

—An electrician announces that no person was ever killed by lightning while asleep. We think it is likely. Whenever lightning begins to get sociable people generally wake up, if it is only for a short time.

—The name of Professor H. M. Tyler, of Smith College, of Northampton, Mass., the brother of School Commissioner Tyler, of this city, and the gentleman who made the address at the High School Commencement, *has been suggested for the presidency of Vassar.*

—Plainfielders say it was a matter of wonder a few weeks ago how so many incendiary fires could occur in that city from causes unknown, it seems now to be a matter of wonder why so few have recently happened.—Elizabeth Journal.

—A woman in Mud Lane who prides herself that she is a resident, considers that but for Mud Lane the borough public would have had no graduates this year or last, and hopes that these will not forget the old Harmony street school, which is paid for, and that but for it many of the borough pupils would not have had their present advancement.

—Some two years ago, the Candee Rubber Co. of New Haven, Conn., hit upon the idea of making their boot soles double thick in that part which undergoes the greater amount of wear. By their invention the extra rubber is added on the ball just where it is needed, and no where else, so that while the boot is increased one hundred per cent in durability, the weight is but very slightly increased. This improvement, known as the Double Thick Ball, is advertised in our columns by Messrs. James Huggins and Brother, 14 Warren street, New York, the Candee Rubber Co.'s distributing Agents, and those of our readers who are interested in the matter, can investigate for themselves.

The Late Mrs. Jones.

The late Mrs. William R. Jones, of Somerset County, who died Saturday in North Plainfield after a long illness, was formerly Amanda P. Kirkpatrick. She was born in Warren Township, Somerset County, on January 15 1810. Her father, Robert Finley Kirkpatrick, was the fourth generation descendant of Alexander Kirkpatrick, who came from Scotland and settled at Miss Brook in 1725. She was married to William R. Jones, November 4, 1835, at her parents' residence, by the Rev. Jacob Timberman. She became a member of the Baptist Church at Mount Bethel in 1842. On coming to live at North Plainfield, then Plainfield, Warren Township, in 1864, she brought her letter to the First Baptist Church. She was a loving and true wife and mother, and her life first shown in her family and to a large circle of friends her devout character. She leaves a husband and two children to mourn her loss.

Among those in the funeral were Hugh Kirkpatrick, who was formerly sheriff of Somerset County; Lawyer Hugh Gaston, of Somerville, formerly District Attorney; Littleton Kirkpatrick, a former Professor of Rutgers College, New Brunswick, and at one time Minister from one of the European monarchies from the United States; her grandfather was *Lay Judge for many years in the Somerset County Courts.*

One of her brothers, Lewis Kirkpatrick, has been a Justice of the Peace at Jerseyville, Jersey County, Illinois, for the past ten years.

Generally she was of one of the oldest and most respected New Jersey families.

The funeral is to take place to-morrow afternoon, assembling at the house, on Somerset street, at two o'clock, and at the First Baptist Church at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Yerkes to officiate, burial to take place in Evergreen cemetery.

The Seventh-Day Baptist Church.

At the Seventh-Day Baptist Church on Saturday, Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, the pastor, preached from the text of Paul's life. The text and base of Paul's character was a deep conscientiousness. He never shirked a duty. He believed that it was his business to represent God, in his light and truth, to men. Consciousness is the heavy, compact texture of granite. You can polish granite, but not substitute. Next in his make-up is a deep, devout earnestness. Men stood aside to let Paul pass. He carried Jewish superstitions, Roman sensualism and Greek subtlety before him as a forest fire leaves. He would have stopped the winds and hurried the tides to carry the "glad tidings," and he could wait, patiently, earnestly, for years, in pain and sorrow. To crown all we observe a deep, broad faith in humanity. A wonderful revolution was that which *exchanged the Pharisee of the Pharisees,* to the most catholic author of the Epistle to the Romans. He never undervalued the worth of a soul. He believed thoroughly in the divine forces which lies latent in every man, and he loved the soul with a fervor which nothing could quench.

New officers of the Junior Society of the Boys' Branch.

On Friday afternoon the Junior Society of the Boys' Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association held their final meeting for the year. About sixty boys were present. A musical program was rendered with the assistance of Miss Carrie Lewey and Miss Hattie French. Officers for the ensuing year were elected, as follows: President, Max Munger; Vice President, Fred Stover; Recording Secretary, Lawrence VanBuren; Corresponding Secretary, Louis Newman; and Treasurer, George VanSlyck. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

At the Park Avenue Church.

At the Park Avenue Baptist Church the evening service yesterday was very well attended, owing to a telegram received by the Rev. Mr. McCullough, calling him home on account of death. An excellent sermon was preached in the morning by him from Genesis 7: 1: "Come thou and all thy house into the Ark."

Rev. Dr. Lowry, the former pastor, gave at the Sunday School session a very interesting review of the last Sunday School lesson, to the great satisfaction of those who so long had been permitted in the past to enjoy his teaching and preaching.

—Russia is a cool place. Music Hall to be the appropriate theatre for "A Russian Honeymoon," should be correspondingly cool. Janitor Mattox proposes, to-morrow night, as the performance of the play above named, to demonstrate to Music Hall patrons how cool his new method will render the auditorium. *It is claimed that the building* will be as comfortable as in the coolest weather. The test will be well worth witnessing, and the attractive play announced will probably draw a large house.

—The public schools of this city collected during the last few days $18.79 by a penny collection for the Bartholdi Pedestal Fund. The idea was suggested by State Superintendent Chapman, and approved by Miss Bulkley, Principal, Truman Horn, of the Junior Class, treasurer of the fund, forwarded the amount to the *World* office, New York.

—A number of boys, between 12 and 15 years old, for want of something better to do, congregated along Green Brook and gambled with cards yesterday. Boys should remember that there is a law prohibiting gambling, and if caught they would be severely punished.

—To-morrow the Senior Society of the Boys' Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association will go on an excursion to Boyce-ton Beach. The boys will assemble at the rooms on East Front street at a quarter before eight, and the stage will leave at eight o'clock sharp.

—On Saturday afternoon the Camoenlies played a game of base ball on the Central avenue grounds with a picked nine. Four innings were played, and the Camoenlies were defeated by a score of fifteen to four.

For Violating the Sabbath.

On Saturday afternoon Justice Rash's court room was crowded. The case on hand was that of the State vs. James Murray, Julia Wallace and Annie Wallace. The complaint was sworn to by Edward D. Dempsey, Jr. All the parties live on the Terrell road, and the offense, that of using insulting and indecent language, was committed on Sunday, June 21. Seven men were appeared for the plaintiff, and two for the defendant. In order that persons who may be inclined to become too libarious on the Sabbath, may take warning, we give the Justice's charge in full as stenographically reported by Geor, e C. Carpenter. It was as follows:

"It seems to me that I have never had before me a clearer case under the disorderly acts. *It seems to me that in this case that I* ought to hold the main party for directly violating the law, and that they should be held strictly to the law. Not only because of their violating this act, but because it is a direct violation of the Sabbath day which this court is bound and determined to have observed. And if there is any one case above another which this court is bound to see observed and enjoyed in peace and quiet, it is the Sabbath day. In this case the counsel for the defendants seems to appeal for the sympathy and tender mercies of this court, and asks that the court be lenient with his clients. But in this case I shall hold the three defendants to be all guilty, and upon you James Murray, I shall impose the penalty of $15 or thirty days in the County Jail, and on you, Julia Wallace, I shall impose the penalty of $10 or ten days in the County Jail, and on you, Annie Wallace, in this case I shall be lenient, and will impose upon you the fine of $5 or five days in the County Jail.

Crescent Communion.

Services yesterday at the Crescent Avenue Church were conducted as usual by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Richards. It was communion Sunday, and a large number were taken into the church, either by a profession of faith, or by letter of recommendation from other churches. Two, a young girl and boy were baptized. Mr. Richards in his short but effective discourse, referred to the reverence evinced in all foreign countries, for churches, many of the poorer classes uncovering their heads in passing them, and accounted for it in part, from the *fact* that consecrated wafer, regarded by the Catholics as the body of Christ, was kept in the churches. It is a superstition, but superstitions are nearly always the distortions of some truth. Bread is taken as the "symbol of Christ's body, because it is our daily food and as we partake of bread, and find how necessary it is to us, so must we take Christ into our daily lives." "Know ye not that ye are the temple," and for a man to sin against himself is more than wrong, it is a sacrifice, to defile the temple in which dwells the image of God. Such is man in us. The evening service throughout the Summer will begin at five o'clock instead of 7.30 as formerly.

Personal.

Mr. Kendall and wife, of Jersey City, are visiting friends in this city.

Miss Louisa Sellick, of College Place, is visiting friends in Jersey City.

Mrs. Capt. G. Shearer, of Jersey City, is the guest of Mrs. John Walker, of Park avenue.

Joseph Suydam, of New Brunswick, was o-day the guest of Jerome N. Rappelyea of Arlington avenue.

Mr. Wilson, of West Front street, is at home for the Summer from Glenwood Institute, of Matawan, N. J., where he is one of the teachers.

Two more friends of Mrs. B. H. Bushman will be glad to learn that she is very low, and with but little hope of recovery at her residence, No. 49 Park avenue.

At the Methodist Episcopal Church.

At the Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday morning, the Rev. A. H. Tuttle, the pastor, preached an excellent sermon from John 20: 21, 26: "And the Lord said to Satan, Simon, behold, Satan has desired to have you, that he may sift you as wheat: But I have prayed for thee, that thy faith fail not." In the evening owing, to receiving word from be Rev. W. L. Phillips, of St. John's M. E. Church, Brooklyn, that he would be unable to be here as announced, the pastor occupied the pulpit.

At the Warren Mission.

The services at the Warren Union Mission Chapel last evening were well attended notwithstanding the stormy weather. The meeting was opened by the singing of a number of well-known Gospel hymns by the Dunham Choristers. After which Mr. Van Alken took charge of the meeting. He read a selection from I Cor. 15, and made some remarks. The meeting was then thrown open, and a number of volunteer testimonials and prayers were given. *The meeting closed* shortly after nine o'clock.

The Reform Club Meeting.

The stormy weather interfered somewhat with the attendance at the Reform Club meeting last evening. In the absence of President French, Vice-President Frances C. Harder presided. W. M. Sangston, C. H. Tyler and Edward Doyle McCarthy made addresses. Mr. McCarthy is a prominent New York lawyer, who is at present at Dr. Utter's. He intends sailing for Europe in a few days. He had signed the pledge but a week ago, and he made a fine address.

The Consul to Belfast.

George W. Savage, of Rahway, recently appointed Consul to Belfast, is sixty-five years old and has been a resident of Rahway for about forty years. He is of Revolutionary descent and was one of the first Lay Judges appointed in Union County. He is not a lawyer, but is a graduate of Princeton College and has been in the insurance business in New York. He is father of Assemblyman Savage, and brother of Joseph Savage, who died about a year ago.

New Jersey will send a large delegation to the League meeting at Buffalo this week. Machines are found in every town, and long tours are being taken this summer, the roads being fairly good.

Patents to Jerseymen.

With the week ending Saturday thirty-two patents were issued by the Patent Office authorities to residents of New Jersey. One patent goes to North Plainfield. Ex. Dutt secures four patents. The full list as reported, is as follows:

Trade mark, R. H. Wathcell, Rockaway; Reing bed, J. Sawin-ee, Jersey City; Sparing, I vel, R. Hall, Newark; apparatus for cooling articles of pottery ware, J. Cowan, at Trenton; upright piano, C. F. Hedstedt, Newark; fastening for trunks, etc., Thomas Mears, Jersey; W. Kent, Jersey City; buckle and clip for harness, C. Sherwood, Newark; knife attachment for lasting machine, North Plainfield; process of [illegible], R. S. Newark; Jersey City; [illegible] and ventilator, William A. Wilson, Jersey City; electric mechanism, L. Dutt (four patents); Jersey City; buttons, M. J. Haw, Newark; valves and faucet (two patents), R. Mann, New Brunswick; seal, E. J. Brooks, East Orange.

State Notes.

Passaic City reports 8,574 population, an increase of 1,000 in a year.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company expects to be able to run trains to New York by January.

One hundred and eighty-six out of 280 candidates for admission to the Jersey City High School will be admitted.

Governor Abbett and staff went to Peekskill last week to visit the camp of the Seventh Regiment of the National Guard of New York.

Rev. Father Corrigan, pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Grace on Willow avenue, Hoboken, recently celebrated his silver jubilee. He was ordained twenty-five years ago.

All the Pennsylvania locomotives in use on the Long Branch division run by the fluid up with new sloping fire-boxes. The new box affords more heating space and lessens the chance of spreading the wheels by being too close to the fire.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad has contracted for the equipment of its engines with electric headlights, subject to certain tests that are to be made between Easton and Jersey City. The dynamo is run by a small engine of one and a half horse power.

Patrick McNicol, employed by Thomas Connor's quarry, above Lambertville, started to open a keg of powder, and finding a nail projecting from the end struck it with a large stone. An explosion followed and McNicol received the contents in the right ear. After this [illegible] agony he died yesterday.

A verdict of $75 was given this week in the Camden Circuit Court in favor of Joseph A. Allen and against the Camden and Philadelphia Ferry Co., suit for damages for ejecting him from one of the night boats of the company on April 21, 1882. Allen was accused of not having paid his fare and was put off by Captain Bender. His excuse that he had given a ticket to the collector.

The Board of Commissioners of Long Branch have passed an ordinance regulating the carrying of cards, backgammon, pool or any other game on which money is wagered, Sock Egging, dog fighting and other immoral transactions on the city. The law is to be enforced by the police. Two to the commissioners are to be established in their ignored [illegible]. The board has reduced the license fee for [illegible] carriages from $5 to $3, and the license rates for those [illegible] wagons from $5 to $3.

Harper's Magazine for July says of Paterson: "Paterson is the centre of textile industries in the city of Passaic, N. J. New York, indeed, has a no causes of [illegible] largest manufacturing city, but its annual product $75,000,000 was exceeded by $10,000,000 of Paterson, with its 90 factories, Passaic [illegible] ranking third in the $50,000,000 product from forty-seven factories. Paterson, in fact, then centered a third of the entire silk manufacture of the United States. Since the stimulus of the war and its high duties upon imported silk goods, silk weaving has become a chief feature in the industrious city, making it the Lyons of America."

Sixteen-year old Lizzie Jones, of No. 84 North Second street, Newark, quarrelled with her mother on Friday afternoon and in her passion went out on the sidewalk in front of the house is a clump of weeds. The girl said she was going there to meet a young man. Her mother remonstrated with her, but the girl ran hastily down the steps and across the road. There she was met by a tall young man, who joined her hastily and walked away rapidly. Mrs. Jones followed after him for a short distance, but realized rapidly on. When two blocks away on Littleton avenue the girl hesitated, but her companion continued to urge her on, and while her mother was hurrying to catch up she and her companion disappeared. Nothing was seen in the neighborhood. Many have been placed the lake has a wild air which is peculiarly charming. An island which almost fills the lake is the property of the Bertrand Island Club, an association of New York insurance men, and bankers and others, with a comfortable club house and boating privileges. There are three or four hotels and a number of boarding-houses. Also a few cottages whose summer occupants drop fashion and form as utterly as if they never existed and live in their boats or in the woods.

NOTICE.

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RECENT LEGAL DECISIONS.

IS ORDER to charge a guardian with interest it is not necessary that he should deal or trade with money of his ward and gain a profit thereby. He is liable to be so charged when he neglects his ward's money with his own as his individual bank account and draws upon said account indiscriminately, according to the decision of Chancellor Green of Philadelphia in the case of the Estate of Mullen.

A DISCREPANCY between notes issued on and notes described in a mortgage consisting merely in the name of the maker—"July" instead of "June"—was held by the Supreme Court of Louisiana insufficient to defeat a claim of the enforcement of payment, there being nothing in the mortgage to identify the issued notes with those described in the mortgage. Thompson et. al. vs. Lee. Decided June 12.

PERSONS WHO inquire by quo warranto whether a corporation de facto, organ-Red Baldwin under the laws now of the States of Louisiana, is a corporation de legal and valid corporation, belongs to such State, and to it alone, and if such State fails to institute proceedings it is divest it of its assumed franchises or else can do so; so held by the Supreme Court of Illinois in the case of Hudson vs. The Green Hill Seminary Corporation.

A PARTNER MAY become a member of a new partnership, and while the interest of the former is declared to be a firm asset of the first partnership, this will not prevent one of its members from suing for a liquidation and settlement of the general partnership on appropriate allegations and by making his fellow members of both firms parties. So held by the Supreme Court of Louisiana in the case of Simonton vs. McClain et. al., decided on the 12th inst.

A CREDITOR who receives from his debtor a certificate in writing, not negotiable, of the amount of his debt, and sells the certificate to a third person for a sum less than its nominal amount, thereby authorizes the purchaser to receive the amount from the debtor, and cannot after the debtor has paid it to the purchaser maintain any action against the debtor, according to the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of Looney vs. The District of Columbia.

WHERE a party, in February, agreed to sell to another 7,000 bushels of corn at 39c. per bushel, to be delivered in the month of August and September following, and the purchaser, as a part of the same agreement, promised to make advances on the contract to the seller of what money he might from time to time require, the Supreme Court of Illinois held, in a suit upon the contract brought by the purchaser, that evidence that a custom or usage prevailed requiring the vendor to give to the vender the note upon receiving any such advances, was not admissible, as it was inconsistent with the express contract. Gilbert et. al. vs. McGinnis et. al., appealed by the Chicago Legal News.

THE MAD ACTOR.

JOHN MCCULLOUGH PLACED IN THE BLOOMINGDALE ASYLUM.

His Friends Afraid to Leave Him a Large Any Longer—No Hope of His Recovery—He Will Be Well Cared for.

NEW YORK, June 19.—John McCullough, the actor, on Saturday was taken to the Bloomingdale insane asylum. So many stories have been told concerning his commitment to that institution that Capt. William M. Conner, for so many years Mr. McCullough's manager, and always his steadfast and thoughtful friend, was asked by a reporter to give the exact facts. In compliance with this solicitation Capt. Conner consented to do so. "When was it first decided to take this final step?" Capt. Conner was asked.

"Well, for the past ten days there has been so much sensational talk in the newspapers that I thought it was necessary, and Mr. McCullough's friends agreed with me that this public discussion was doing great harm. Mr. McCullough's has been making wild trips to Philadelphia and other places without any object in view. Upon his return with the colored boy, Tecumseh, last *Thursday he went to the Ellsey house and* registered there as Mr. Jones, when he took a room. He behaved himself quietly during the night and was down here with me a great deal during the evening. The fact attracted my attention and I sent Mr. Walter Hinn up to *the Ellsey house* and found that Mr. McCullough had been. Friday morning he came down to the office, was about the house, and had a cup of coffee. He talked in a very irrational manner about many things, and I saw that he was weak and infirm on his feet. I suggested to him to go to the barber shop and get his hair cut and have a shave. This he did not want to do, but I prevailed upon him to walk down to the hat store, and prevailed upon him to get a hat and get him to good *humor*, but I saw he was shaky on his legs, and as he started to go across the street to Delmonico's I saw he was about to fall. I brought him back to the house, and he said he was going to St. Louis, and insisted upon it. I knew it was necessary for him to go home. I could not go myself, and it was not safe for him to go without some one to accompany him. Dr. W. H. Carnochan was called in. Yesterday afternoon, Dr. Wood, who is the house at the time, and said, as he had often said before, that if McCullough was allowed to wander about he might do himself or somebody else. I had asked Dr. McFarland several times before about the necessity of having something done, and he suggested to me that something should be done and at once, as McCullough was liable to injure himself or some of his friends at any time. He was not in a state of mind to be allowed to roam the streets. I have probably a hundred letters from his friends throughout the country —Mr. John B. Carson, Mr. Lyon, of Chicago, and numerous others—asking for the welfare of McCullough—asking me to take some position in the matter, since his relatives would not move.

"I made several trips to Philadelphia to see Mr. William F. Johnson, of 132 South Sixth street, a very old friend of McCullough in fact, the only young man together), and other friends, and they convinced the fact that something should be done; but the ladies, John's wife and sister, were very much opposed to it. Finally they consented to confer with Dr. McFarland this morning during the early part of last winter. The ladies broke down and said they could not bear to have any further instrumental in placing John under restraint. I then tried to prevail upon them to have him brought before the court and have a guardian appointed so as to protect him from himself. This they would not consent to. They have been over here to see me on several occasions since. In fact, Mrs. McCullough was here last week and told me that no one would have it to move or do anything, if the occasion should arise, that I should take any action in the matter and they would be responsible.

"So, after conferring with Dr. McFarland, I resolved to make a move. I consulted with Dr. James A. McBride, of 47 East, Twenty-fifth street, and agreed to a meeting here with Dr. McBride for Friday to see McCullough. He had requested a room in the house and I had one assigned him. I took Dr. McBride up to McCullough's room *early Saturday morning as he was dressing* and introduced him to McCullough, giving McCullough to understand that the doctor was looking for a room. Dr. McBride specially recognized John's condition and did not hesitate to make out the necessary papers. During the time that we were in the room McCullough said a great many wild and fanciful things. He talked much about persons who had died in the room. He said that two little girls had been out there singing and making music. 'I kept my blinds down,' he said, 'as I did not want that music to stop. I was in here.' The papers were properly made out, and Judge McAdam, of the supreme court, signed. I then got Mr. Robert Taylor, of De Graaf & Taylor, and Mr. Walter Hinn to accompany me. I gave Mr. McBride my address, to go out to breakfast, and, as *was* necessary under the circumstances, showed Mr. McCullough a letter I had received from a mutual friend inviting him and myself to meet him at breakfast at 12 o'clock at Radford's in the park. This was the trip McCullough supposed he was taking when he started for Bloomingdale."

"*Did he show any* suspicion of your object?"

"None whatever. We went up Broadway and Seventh avenue, and entered the park by the west side entrance at Eighth avenue. I said to him as we left the cars, 'Let's get out a great many old reminiscences that we have very interesting to him. We stopped at the Casino and had a drink. We met a gentleman there that I knew, and he was one of those who suggested that we should say the carriage should come when we were going to meet Hall there about ten minutes after 1 of us and we would go to the asylum on the road. We returned to the carriage and drove to Bloomingdale. There I left Mc-Cullough and Taylor with the carriage and the doctor's office and told him we had brought McCullough with us, although, in fact, I had advised him of the fact previous to having the ride. James and I, as we were several ladies in the hall (it was visiting day) and I suggested to Dr. Brown that he invite McCullough into the office. He did so.

"Did he have no apparent suspicion of your purpose even now?"

"None whatever."

"He did not know the neighborhood and appearance of Bloomingdale?"

"No, it looked so much like a hotel that it might deceive anybody. We went with McCullough through the hall way. I said that I would find the gentlemen we were seeking and went out, leaving Mr. McCullough with Dr. Brown and Mr. McCullough said that his friends were desirous of having him remain there to enjoy the beautiful country scenes and fresh air. McCullough said that he would be delighted to stay a few days. After answering the necessary questions Dr. Brown said for the quarterly term and received a receipt. John will have there the best of care, except all attention, and will be treated like a king. He will have private attendance, and when he takes his walks his attendant will be with him. The place is recognized as being one of the best institutions in the world and Mr. McCullough will certainly have the kindest and most thoughtful attention."

"What do you think of his chance for recovery, Capt. Conner?"

"Dr. McBride did not give much hope. This step should have been taken a year ago, he said. As to the chances he would only say that miracles have been wrought."

"What did Mr. McBride say was the cause?"

"He said it was gradual paresis."

GEN. GRANT HAS A GOOD NIGHT.

The Best that He has Had for Many Weeks—A Quiet Sunday.

Mt. MCGREGOR, June 20.—Gen. Grant has usually received six minutes of the solution for his nourishment upon retiring at night. On Saturday night the usual amount was administered, but in two portions, given at different times. When he went to bed three tablets were given to induce sleep. This neutralized all pain and permitted the patient to doze and rest easily until, at about 3 a. m., the shaking chills were again encountered. The result confirmed the judgment that prompted the change, and was best stated by the general, when he wrote as follows:

"I have had the best night I have had for *many weeks. From about 11 up to 5 o'clock* I was scarcely awake, and when I was I required neither pain nor stimulant. The chills were all broken up, and I think they gave me food every time I got awake. I had then to begin taking the brush, though in a much more limited manner. This comes for a continued visit 10:30 a. m., when the ulcer at the corner of my mouth began paining me."

By reference to "the brush" Gen. Grant meant that with which he himself applies cocaine to his throat in the night. By the ulcer at the corner of the mouth he indicated that the disease was no longer there.

Dr. Douglas expressed the belief that the languor of yesterday was induced very largely by atmospheric conditions. He left Albany *Friday stronger* to-day. He had certainly enjoyed a restful night, getting nearly five hours of continuous sleep. This morning his voice was clear that the doctor, before his room, heard the general talking with his nurse, and at 11 o'clock to-day the patient's voice was quite audible.

The general was not disturbed until about 3 p. m. He had rested and dozed, he said, until he arose. At 8 p. m. he appeared on the piazza. The rain, which began in the morning, had ceased, and the sun broke through the clouds. With the family about him, the general busied himself with the New York Sunday morning papers. He was out of doors nearly two hours, but went inside the cottage when rain began falling again between 5 and 6 o'clock. *At this time* the temperature was 70 degrees. There had been little or no coughing during the day, the mucous secretions and expectoration having subsided.

At 10 o'clock Gen. Grant was composed for *the night.* Soon afterward *Dr. Douglas* said that he had found his throat remarkably clear, and there had been no coughing during the night.

"If I can judge anything by indications," he added, "we are to have a very quiet night. The conditions are just as favorable as last night. The day has not only been one of quiet, but also of actual rest."

Seized by a United States Marshal.

BOSTON, June 20.—The stock of the American Carpet Lining company, of Watertown, has been carted away from the factory by the United States marshal, and business at the factory suspended, on an attachment levied to meet a suit for $12,000 damages brought by the Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet, merchant, who owns a patent on tape used in manufacturing the lining and demands a 25 cents per roll royalty, which the company has refused to pay on the ground that the patent is worthless from priority of use. A large amount of goods which *had* been sold was also taken away, and the company will use the full force of the marshal for $50,000 damages. Tuesday the company will start business with a new stock, and will continue to use tape. In case of further attachments bonds will be given till the courts settle the matter. The officials of the concern believe that the American manufacturer always pays the royalty, is backing Wingfield in his suit.

Presidential Appointments.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The president has made the following appointments:

Edward L. Hedden to be collector of customs for the district of New York.

Hans S. Beattie to be surveyor of customs in the district of New York.

Silas W. Burt to be naval officer of customs in the district of New York.

Hubert O. Thompson, the leader of the County Democracy, is credited with having secured Hedden's appointment.

The new collector of customs, Edward L. Hedden, is to take charge of the custom house on Wednesday, when the government fleet of revenue cutters will be dressed in the sum of $600,000. One of his first duties will be to appoint deputy collectors—nine in number. The present incumbents are all Republicans.

Another Negro Lynched.

PALESTINE, Tex., June 20.—Sheriff Davis, of this (Anderson) county, received word from a small town, called Bells, in Grayson county, that John Martin, one of the two negroes under arrest for the outrage and murder of Mrs. Hazell, at Elkhart, this county, was taken out of the calaboose *at Bells* and lynched. This makes six victims of Judge Lynch for the murder of Mrs. Hazell. Martin left Elkhart the night of the murder, and awakened suspicion by inquiring about the murder before it was discovered. A description of Martin was forwarded to Elkhart, and it tallied exactly with the appearance of the man wanted. On receipt of the dispatch a likely looking crowd began to hang him. They broke into the calaboose, took him a short distance and hanged him.

Wanted to Lynch Eight Men.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 20.—At the Assize court, which opens here Nov. 5, eight prisoners will be tried for murder, and a charge of assault upon women will come up for trial. Public feeling is terribly against the prisoners, and, fearing that they would get to having their cases dismissed, a party of well known citizens endeavored to raise a vigilance committee to deal with the prisoners themselves, but failed. The lack of light punishment has caused, however, because of the announcement that Judge Rose will preside at their trials.

A Bride of a Night Takes Laudanum.

EASTMAN, Ga., June 20.—Mr. William T. Walker, of Washington county, was married to Miss Georgia Hall on last night. They went to an adjoining county to visit a while, and when morning came the young bride could not be aroused. A physician, declaring that her new life was distasteful. It is supposed that she was insane. She is still alive, but cannot recover.

A STARTLING SUICIDE.

THE BODY OF AN UNKNOWN MAN FOUND AT FORT LEE.

He Climbs a Tree and Fastens the Rope to a Limb, Then Chloroforms Himself—Supposed Suicide—The Cause.

NEW YORK, June 20.—The woods back of Fort Lee have for years been a favorite place for suicides, but none of the many that have occurred there has been so well planned for by thorough preparation and determination of that which was brought to light yesterday morning. Robert W. Dodge, a resident of Fort Lee, and an enthusiastic sportsman, wanders through the woods and swamps adjacent to the village nearly every morning in search of game birds. He usually starts in before it is daylight in the morning, and passing beyond the village limits he entered a thick clump of oaks standing back of the Palisade avenue, close to the road. As he entered the clump he noticed a sickening stench coming from the woods beyond. He hastened on, the stench growing stronger and stronger, until he had got about 100 yards within the grove of trees.

At this point he observed a short distance beyond a black derby hat hanging on a hickory stick, which was driven into the ground beneath a large oak. Casting his eyes upward a horrible sight met his gaze. Dangling by a rope from a thick limb, twenty-five feet above the ground, was the body of a man, the face blackened and swollen out of all recognition, and the right arm thrown around a smaller limb beneath. Benson was horror stricken, and without continuing his hunt he left the woods and aroused the people of the village. In an hour half *the male population were on the spot*, and all sorts of plans were proposed to cut the body down. Finally Dodge, however, would venture to climb the tree, as the body hung close by the trunk, and the hideous sight and overpowering stench made even the hardiest among them sicken.

Finally Benson and George Scott returned to the village, and procuring axes cut the tree down, taking care to fell it so that the body would fall upward. This was done, and then Justice Fitzgerald made an examination of the body. It was that of a man apparently 45 years old, five feet ten inches in height, and weighing about 200 pounds; the features, so far as recognition was possible, indicating that he was an American. The rope with which he had hanged himself was fastened to the limb above, fastened the end of the rope around his head in other words, he had thrown the noose around his head with the intention of strangling himself. The handkerchief, saturated with the chloroform, was tightly drawn over the nostrils. A careful examination of the prostrate tree made it evident that the man had climbed the tree until he had reached the main limb, from which he had cut the branch, dragging the rope after him. He had then reached up to the limb above, fastened the end of the rope around it, tied the other about his head and then seated himself upon the lower limb. He knotted the handkerchief, saturated it with the chloroform, and then drawing it over the nostrils. A careful examination of the prostrate tree made it evident that the man had climbed the tree until he had reached the main limb, from which he had cut the branch, dragging the rope after him. He had then reached up to the limb above, fastened the end of the rope around it, tied the other about his head and then seated himself upon the lower limb. He knotted the handkerchief, saturated it with the chloroform, and then tied the handkerchief about his head. When rendered unconscious by the action of the drug, he had swayed off from the forked limb, and in falling had dropping about eight feet and being strangled.

When the examination had been concluded the dead man's effects were taken in charge by the authorities, and Justice Fitzgerald declaring the case clearly a suicide *determined that an inquest* was not necessary. He ordered the body to be interred, and this was done in Ridgewater cemetery, the burial being witnessed by half the village.

Mr. Glosser, the keeper of the hotel on the hill just above the ferry landing, said that an unknown man called upon him and Mrs. Glosser a stranger had been in the village about three weeks ago carrying a kit of tools, including a hammer and scissors. He was allowed to depart without any inquiries as to his address. The authorities last night were hard every endeavor to find him, without success. Mr. Glosser said that after he had left it occurred to him that the man had left money in his pocket. He also remembered that about three weeks since a man answering the description of the dead man had been in the village and asked if he could not fix the hangings and decorations on the walls and ceiling. Answered "No," he left, starting up the hill toward the village.

The startling suicide was the sole theme of conversation at Fort Lee. The casino was visited by crowds all day, and the swings and carrousel had no attractions for the crowds who make this resort their Sunday pleasure ground. The throngs from the Palisade mountain house, when they heard the story became known, secured the aid of the juveniles of the village as guides, and these ranged a rich harvest all day long in picking the crowd with the story, when they saw the prostrate oak, the scaffold from which the dead man had swung.

Fight Against Lord Randolph Churchill.

LONDON, June 20.—Interest for the week *will centre on the tiny pocket borough of* Woodstock, where with one single exception, the city council will be given to the man whose ire is to be waged. The borough has 1,120 voters. Lord Randolph Churchill had $12 in his pocket when he first announced a contest at the last election, leaving nearly one-sixth of the whole unpolled. The register is said to show few changes. The Liberals have put forward a likable young barrister, editor and journalist, Corris Grant, to make the fight against Lord Randolph, and the greatest possible zeal from Lady Randolph Churchill will be given to him. The report that the Duke of Marlborough, who is at his Blenheim seat, is quietly using his influence against Lord Randolph is, if true, very important, for many of the electors are his tenants. The election will be held on July 4. The brothers are on bad terms for reasons growing out of the Duke's scandals.

Twenty-one Years of Service.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Secretary Blaine, to-day, after two ago, called for the resignation of Mr. William Fletcher, chief of the loan division. Mr. Fletcher at once complied. Mr. Fletcher in person handed his letter of resignation to the secretary. The latter informed Mr. Fletcher that his resignation had not yet been accepted, so his name would be retained on the official list. Mr. Fletcher then requested the secretary to allow him to remain until September 1, on which date he will have completed twenty-one years of service, entitling him to a pension, and the secretary at once complied with the request.

HE WILL NOT RESIGN

Mr. Bosbyshell, Director of the Mint Writes to Secretary Hunting.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Mr. Bosbyshell, who was asked to resign the office of director of the mint, addressed the following letter to Secretary Manning a few days ago, declining to resign and giving his reasons for this action:

BUREAU OF THE MINT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 19, 1882.

SIR: Respectfully acknowledging your request for my resignation, communicated to me on the 15th inst. I have the honor to state that after careful consideration I am not satisfied that I can with propriety resign me as this time to resign my office. When any malfeasance or misconduct alleged to be believed to exist, I shall promptly tender the resignation. Before doing so, however, I deem it but just to myself that you should have the privilege of selecting the officer to be in charge of this bureau.

Were this the case and this intention of the law, it might be proper and becoming for me to place the tenure of my service at your disposal unconditionally, but as I have done so when you became the head of the department. But permit me to say that such has not been my understanding of the purpose of the code, nor is it my belief that the director of the mint "shall hold his office for the term of five years, unless sooner removed by the president, upon reasons to be communicated by him to the senate."

The length of the term—five years—the conditions upon which the removal is authorized, and the discussions and legislation preceding the passage of the act, indicate the intent that the office of director of the mint should not be changed on account of a change of administration, or in fact at all in the department, or for personal or political reasons. My predecessor, appointed by President Grant, although of opposite politics, continued in office under five successive secretaries of the treasury, until his death. As to myself, having served with acceptance for a full term, and upon reappointment and confirmation as part of the other, I am conscious of no reason why an exception to the policy indicated by the law should not be made to me why I ought not to continue the performance of official duty until the expiration of my commission.

Very respectfully,
JOHN J. BOSBYSHELL.

Hon. Daniel Manning, secretary of the treasury.

A LIFE'S ROMANCE.

How a Man Managed to Electually Conceal His History.

VICKSBURG, Miss., June 20.—A mystery of life has just been revealed to the public and to the wife of the deceased. Capt. A. Alexander Henry, of this city, whose death occurred on April 21 last. His wife has just discovered among a file of papers a late letter, in which is disclosed the history of his life, which is now an absorbing topic among his rela ives here, who are numbered among the most respectable people of the community. In his letter he says that twenty-five years ago, in England, he killed a man, and that the deed had preyed upon him; that his parents, who were wealthy, and whose name was Hamilton, urged his departure for America. He believed himself innocent, refused at first to go, but finally consented, upon terms, and sailed for this country. After the war he planned the National cemetery here, the most beautiful in the United States, it is said, and was made its first superintendent. He married the widow of Vicksburg lady, Mrs. Cathel, and left an interesting family, who just now have become acquainted with his life's romance. He left directions with his wife to write to his relatives, and suggests that they will do everything for her and hers, and are amply able to do so. Besides this he was in a good position in his native sea girt isle. His right name was Henry Hamilton.

Senator Plumb on the South.

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A Murderer Says He Will Hang Himself.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., June 20.—It is now the impression that Deputy Sheriff Hollenbeck and deputies and of Menzies himself that the execution of the latter will occur on Thursday. "*Billy*" is so changed that he would not be recognized by his well-fed and fine dude who appeared in the courts of Elmira, Binghamton and Utica. He weeps freely and declares that he can never die. He said to Editor Wadsworth, of Elmira, who stood near: "You see dot ball and chain? Well, you bear me. I comes pack here vonce I gets to Auburn prison, and I vill hang me to dot stone floor. You fellers nefer shleep nights I shall some more. I haunts you sure." This is only a part of his threatening language, which is spun out with a German accent. Mitchell, the murderer of Deposit, is in the cell next to "Billy's" and can hear all the latter says. The cell upon which he is next, that he will possibly soon be moved by the officers to another cell.

Closing Mills to Avoid a Strike.

PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—The Scott spark mills shut down, throwing about 1,000 hands out of employment. The group of mills are owned by Mr. Scott, Burtnett & Co., and are for the manufacture of wood screws. One group consists of carding and spooling, and the other of weaving and printing mills. About two months ago the wages of the hands were increased 10 per cent. This, however, did not give satisfaction. They objected to the wages paid and insisted that they would demand 15 per cent. This came to the ears of the proprietors of the mills, and, in order to avoid a strike, they decided to shut down.

Charles Francis Adams Ill.

BOSTON, June 20.—Charles Francis Adams is seriously ill at his home in Quincy. He has been in poor health for the last two or three years and it is feared that he has completely lost control of his mental faculties. His condition is reported as critical.

NEWS FROM ENGLAND.

MICHAEL DAVITT MAKES A SPEECH AT HYDE PARK.

The Great Nationalist is Enthusiastically Cheered by Englishmen—He Warns the Radicals and Tories That Spencer Guarded by Police.

LONDON, June 20.—The most significant speech made by any member of the Irish party since the return of the Tories to power was made by Michael Davitt this afternoon in a great meeting held in Hyde Park to protest against the proposed amendment to the reform bill, which would disfranchise every man who had obtained medical relief at the public cost within a year of any election. Mr. Davitt had little to say on that subject, but he closely outlined the attitude of the Irish Nationalist party toward the new government. There are many signs and indications of late that the Nationalists feel encouraged by the downfall of the Gladstone ministry, the supplanting of Earl Spencer and the defeat of coercion to extend their demands and to put their price higher than ever for any support rendered to the government. Believe the Whigs and Radicals went out of power the Irish members were willing enough to have Radical help in driving coercion out, but now engaging notice to the Radicals that their help is not wanted and that they cannot use the Irish grievances as a stalking horse behind which to storm the ministry.

Mr. Davitt, in his speech to-day, adopted a similar tone of defiant confidence. He dwelled that the Nationalists would prevent Messrs. Chamberlain and Dilke from visiting Ireland and addressing such Irishmen as might choose to listen. But he warned the English parties, Radicals and Tories alike—that the Nationalists would not tolerate any half-way measures of relief. "We demand," he said, "nothing less than the right to manage our own affairs or Canada and Australia manage theirs. As long as that right is denied to us, or its exercise abridged, Ireland will remain an obstruction to British legislation and a menace to the stability of English power." These defiant utterances by the greatest Nationalist leader, except the parliamentary party, were vehemently cheered by the immense crowd, which was almost wholly composed of Englishmen.

Precautions for the safety of Earl Spencer, similar to those adopted on his leaving Dublin, were maintained throughout his journey to his home at Althorp Park, Northampton. At Chester junction, where he had to wait some time for a train, he stalked about the station with his coat collar turned up, as Mister was, to conceal his face. His eyes met with two detectives following him at every turn. He was not recognized by the people at the station, but he took the best possible method of attracting the attention of any stray lovinchile who might happen to be on hand.

War Between the Crows and Pigeons.

FORT KEOGH, Mont., June 20.—Word has just been received here that a war party of Blood Indians, numbering between 300 and 400 bucks, have left their reservation in northern Montana and are traveling south to join the south Pegans for the purpose of waging war on the Crows and Gros Ventres. These Indians are probably the same ones who have been raiding ranchmen on the upper Missouri during the past month or more, and on one or two occasions have come into contact with cowboys, when the Indians were generally routed and some of them killed. Last year the Bloods made a raid on the Crow tributes raids on the Crows, capturing from the latter about 2,000 horses during the season. The Bloods, it is said, have taken as their chief name was Henry Hamilton.

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NEW YORK, June 20.—A writer in The Tribune says: Senator Plumb, of Kansas, has been making a careful study of the south and the politics, sources and needs. He has a practical way of throwing light on *these affairs. He said to me the other day*, while we were talking about the Virginia debt question: "What the south needs is to get people need to learn is the grace of paying taxes. They think that duty as if it were a burden, and as a consequence less than interest in the conduct of public affairs. If they had good round taxes to pay, they would be interested to know what the money was and what it bought—to keep down its expenditure. When I told a prominent southern man this, a short time ago, he looked at me in wonderment and said: 'Why our taxes amount to one mill on the dollar now. Instead of increasing, I have been thinking we could get them down to eight-tenths of a mill.' I don't understand it when I told him how in some instances in Kansas, for a special purpose, such as schools, we had permitted ourselves to outrunly to be taxed as high as 12 per cent. We have something to think of in our money, too."

A Murderer Says He Will Hang Himself.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., June 20.—It is now the impression that Deputy Sheriff Hollenbeck and deputies and of Menzies himself that the execution of the latter will occur on Thursday. "*Billy*" is so changed that he would not be recognized by his well-fed and fine dude who appeared in the courts of Elmira, Binghamton and Utica. He weeps freely and declares that he can never die. He said to Editor Wadsworth, of Elmira, who stood near: "You see dot ball and chain? Well, you bear me. I comes pack here vonce I gets to Auburn prison, and I vill hang me to dot stone floor. You fellers nefer shleep nights I shall some more. I haunts you sure." This is only a part of his threatening language, which is spun out with a German accent. Mitchell, the murderer of Deposit, is in the cell next to "Billy's" and can hear all the latter says. The cell upon which he is next, that he will possibly soon be moved by the officers to another cell.

Closing Mills to Avoid a Strike.

PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—The Scott spark mills shut down, throwing about 1,000 hands out of employment. The group of mills are owned by Mr. Scott, Burtnett & Co., and are for the manufacture of wood screws. One group consists of carding and spooling, and the other of weaving and printing mills. About two months ago the wages of the hands were increased 10 per cent. This, however, did not give satisfaction. They objected to the wages paid and insisted that they would demand 15 per cent. This came to the ears of the proprietors of the mills, and, in order to avoid a strike, they decided to shut down.

Charles Francis Adams Ill.

BOSTON, June 20.—Charles Francis Adams is seriously ill at his home in Quincy. He has been in poor health for the last two or three years and it is feared that he has completely lost control of his mental faculties. His condition is reported as critical.

RIOTOUS POLES.

Two Men Killed and Many Severely Injured.

TOLEDO, June 20.—A bloody riot took place at a Polish picnic at Lemoyne, on Lower Lemoyne and Dorter streets, between two opposing factions of the St. Hedwigs (Polish Catholic) church, wherein about a hundred men, women and children participated.

About a month ago a request was made to blow up the house of the Rev. Lewandowski, pastor of the church, and a member of the congregation by name of Dalkowski was arrested for so doing, and placed under bonds. A saloon keeper named Peter Sadalebicz went his bail, and he was subsequently released. Lewandowski's friends were highly engendered by this act, as bail were strangers of the priest.

The afternoon a crowd gathered in Sadalebicz's saloon and denounced the saloon keeper for going bail for Dalkowski. A little scrimmage followed, and while the men were ripe for riot they attacked Dalkowski's house, which was near the saloon. In a few moments the crowd, thoroughly maddened, soon demolished the house and surrounding outbuildings, and fatally bruised the inmates. Dalkowski was severely beaten with clubs and died shortly after. The crowd, which had been increasing in numbers, then proceeded to demolish the saloon, completely wrecking it. A lookout named Marcin Dolrowolski was shot through the head and instantly killed. A number of the deceased's friends were also badly used, two men sustaining serious injuries. Mrs. Dalkowski and another woman were injured, but not dangerously.

At the police station, there is no less than ten cots in use for the wounded and homeless ones. Several arrests have been made for the bloody affray have been made for the same. The names of the murderers cannot be ascertained. The congregation has for a long time been in a turbulent state, owing to whether the priest, Father Lewandowski, should be removed or not. On account of the bitterness of affairs there has been bad blood existing between the priest's friends and his opposers.

At a late hour the coroner is preparing to hold an inquest on the bodies of the murdered men.

SEQUEL TO A DIVORCE.

An Ex-Preacher Sues His Deserted Wife for Divorce.

CINCINNATI, June 20.—An important deposition in an interesting divorce case pending in the district court of Tyler county, TEX., was taken before Notary Ed Cogan, in this city, the parties to the suit are Theodore G. Arnold, formerly of Franklin Roads, Bardin county, Ky., plaintiff, and Lydia, his wife, now of Texas Rogers of the same locality, defendant. The witness whose testimony was taken was Martin W. Lazne, formerly a reporter for the Cincinnati Commercial. The burden of his testimony was as to Mrs. Arnold's having indorsed an account of her husband's lost escapade, as published at the instances of the witness. The substance of this account was that Theodore Arnold, then a young man of high repute, some sixteen years ago, after a romantic courtship, won and wed the heart and hand of Lydia R. Rogers, *nerlpia*. She *bore him one beautiful child*, and for fourteen years they lived happily together. Arnold was a preacher in Kentucky, and finally took charge of a school at Garnetsville, Mead county.

About three years ago Maggie Yale, whose name figured in Arnold's affairs with the sequestrate of Matt Ward, he having been one of that jury, and visited her court Theodore. For weeks she lingered at the house, and finally Arnold's friends spirited and disconsolate and snappish toward his wife. Not long afterward Mr. Arnold disappeared, and, with him Cousin Maggie. The neighborhood became excited over the case of elopement. Arnold has now instituted an action for divorce. He is president of the Mayo Female college, at Mayo. He was at one time a Cumberlite preacher.

A Deluge in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, June 20.—The heaviest rainstorm with which the city has been visited since the memorable storm of July 27, 1868, occurred here Saturday. The rain began to fall about 2 o'clock. By 3 it had developed into a veritable deluge, and during the next hour and a half four and a half inches of rain fell. The various small streams in and about the city overflowed their banks. Chatsworth Run and Harford Run, became rushing torrents, and the dwelling house and other buildings along their route were inundated. The Jones' Falls, the principal stream which runs through the heart of the city, was swollen to an immense height and overflowed its banks, carrying with the rush of water into the lower part of Harrison, Holliday and other streets adjacent, and flooding them to the extent of five feet and over. Many persons were driven from their own hand writing as follows: "On this day Mrs. —— called upon me. She is the wife of Major —— of the regular army. She wants, her husband made a brigadier general. She is a saucy little woman, and I think she will torment me till I have to do it. A. L." He was waiting before that little woman's husband was appointed a brigadier general.

March of the Plague in Spain.

MADRID, June 20.—Returns from the cholera-infected districts show 1,257 new cases and 577 deaths.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Chief Justice Waite, of the United States supreme court, has arrived in Queenstown.

John Stranahaner, a farmer living near Schenectady, while riding at Saratoga lake to water in a runaway accident was killed.

Miles Hines, leading catcher for the Bostons during 1883 and 1884, but recently released, has signed with the Brooklyns.

Mahlon Delverson, a farmer of Hunterdon, has received a patent for a process of making of rhubarb, English literature and oratory by the election of the Rev. B. S. Terry, of Fairport, N. Y.

The decennial census of President Garfield's wife, at Mentor, was taken on the 11th inst., 12th: "How much, then, is a man better than a sheep?"

Capt. Boyton blew up the miniature wreck near Newport, ten miles below Cincinnati, with seventy-five pounds of dynamite. The exhibition occurred in the presence of several thousand persons.

Petroleum dealers in northwestern Germany have applied for a reduction of the railway tariff on petroleum as the only means to protect their petroleum business against the increasing competition of Russian naphtha.

The Rev. C. E. Laughlin, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Lenox, Ia., and his wife were drowned in the Platte river, eight miles northeast of Lenox, while on their way to the Platte church.

James D. Fish, the ex-president of the defunct Marine bank, of New York, has been sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for misappropriating the funds of that institution, in connection with the Grant & Ward swindle.

Drowned While Bathing.

HARTFORD, June 20.—George Cooper, a French Canadian, was drowned in the Connecticut river while bathing.

COLOR-BLINDNESS.

INABILITY TO DISTINGUISH RED THE MOST FREQUENT DEFECT.

Green the Next Color Most Frequently Mistaken—Men More Affected Than Women—Tests of Color-Blindness —Various Experiments.

[Dr. George R. Minkel.]

The most frequent defect in color-blindness is the inability to distinguish red. A distinguished professor in an English university once wore a scarlet gown through the streets, more to the amazement of many who saw him. On being asked by a friend what appeared to him to be the color of this robe, he answered, pointing to some one-storied house near by: "It seems to me to resemble those as closely as possible." The next color most frequently mistaken for some other is green. The importances of this defect is estimated by the frequency of its occurrence. If it occurs only once in 30,000 persons, it is of course of less importance than if happening once in 100.

Men are more frequently affected with this defect of vision than women. The defect, when it is congenital, as it is in most of the cases under the observation of physicians, is incurable. It is sometimes induced by immoderate use of tobacco or liquor. Although as late as twenty-five years ago the men employed on lines of travel were affected by this inability to distinguish red from green. The color blind in case of accident by travel on land and sea was not readily be detected because of the difficulty of tracing the causes of the accident. One thus affected can not tell a red from a green light, but can of times lights 'appear darker or less bright to him than the other.

The test of color-blindness is not how well one can name colors, but how much he *sees* them. If two letters be drawn, one red and another green, on a background, a person who is red blind will not distinguish only the green letter, and a party who is green blind would fail to distinguish or see the green letter. In other words, to the first the red color is suppressed and to the second the green. The red blind will place a purple or a green alongside of a rose color, supposing them all to be the same shade. The green blind will confound the blue and the gray with the rose color.

The test for an engineer is not to name colors and shades of color, but to know red as red and green as green, and to match red with red and green with green of their various shades. Four per cent of the 50,000 employes of the Pennsylvania railway have been found totally color-blind, and 10 per cent more or less affected with this defect of vision. Five per cent. of the same were found with imperfect hearing. In this city lives a well known animal painter who is entirely color-blind. He inspects his color not by knowing the color itself, but by reading their names on the tubes. He employs usually only black, browned and white in his work.

Dr. Jeffries, of Philadelphia, instituted a very efficient test of color-blindness by suspending numbers and skeins of worsted of different colors from a rod. The standard colors of rose, red, and green, with all the various shades of these colors, were numbered with the odd numbers. All other colors were numbered with even numbers. The person examined for color-blindness were invited to match shades of the three named before as the standard, and if any so named were among those numbered with the even numbers it was seen at once that they were unable to distinguish colors.

Puzzled by the Paddle-Wheels.

[Book Review.]

A subject of great interest among the natives at Irebu was "what is it that turns the paddle-wheels of Stanley's steamer." This was a difficult puzzle to them. Some would have it that there were about twenty men concealed somewhere in the bottom of the steamer. Others doubted that, and boldly maintained that the secret was in that 'big pot' (boiler), otherwise why should the cook (engineer) be always near it making up the fire inside. Another sage was in that the engineer was cooking so industriously! Ah! that was another puzzle. "Whatever it is," said they, "it takes a long time to cook. That engineer has been cooking all day, and it is not finished yet. It must be a strong medicine, that; and all that large pile of wood has been used up. The two other boats have similar pots, into which their cooks shove fuel continually. Perhaps if we had also big pots in our canoes, and we had also to work by means of medicine, we need not toil any more with tired arms at our paddles, and suffer from aches and pains in our shoulders."

A Corps of Amazons.

[London Times.]

Among the various offers of assistance recently made by loyal natives, none has been more original or remarkable than that of the Dowager Maharanee Jumna Bai of Baroda. In a letter to the viceroy this lady offers to place at the disposal of the government a corps of Amazons. She observes: "The fighting capabilities and horsemanship of the Maharatte ladies can be no secret to your excellency, and I hope that the offer which I have made will, if it is accepted, be prepared to carry out at the shortest notice, will be accepted, and that it will prove a consolation to the ladies of India, if not England, that show the prowess with which the race of females is capable of bearing arms, and that we can fight side by side with the military forces of the empire."

The Oil of the Cocoanut.

[Chicago Herald Interview.]

"How was cocoanut oil discovered?" said the barber. "Another Yankee. Those Yankees just beat everything. About twenty years ago a poor barber from Massachusetts went into New York city without a penny. One of the first things he saw was a cocoanut on the street stand. 'By the great horn spoon,' says he to himself, says he, 'look at the hair it's got. If it can make such hair as that grow through such a thick shell why can't it make hair grow on a bald head? Then he went into the back room of his saloon and got rich. Now the next gentleman."

Bonfires on the Isthmus Road.

[Exchange.]

The business of the railway across the Isthmus of Panama is steadily increasing. During the past five years the freight traffic increased from 167,462 tons to 267,241 tons. In 1880 the number of passengers carried was 39,081, while that year the number was 318,330. During 1884 10,000 tons of bananas formed a part of the freight forwarded.

Bobby's Inquiry.

[New York Sun.]

Painterly was making an evening call and the talked edition was being discussed.

"Is there new Bible in the house?" he said Bobby, joining the conversation, for he is four years younger than the was in the old one. Is that what is meant by the revised edition?"

Gen. Butler's Success.

Gen. Butler's "ability to keep his temper" is given by the Boston papers as the secret of his political success in his speakership and law cases.

WRITING OUT A DISPATCH.

Making It "Just Ten Words"—Bits of Everyday Information.

[Cincinnati Times-Star.]

The other day a couple of young men were in the office of the Western Union Telegraph company writing out a dispatch. They were evidently unaccustomed to sending telegrams, for they wrote but slowly and with very apparent nervousness and trepidation. One of them did the writing, stopping to count the words after every other minute, while the other stood at his elbow looking on and making suggestions. Finally, after they had spelled their elaborate elaboration one of them modestly read the dispatch:

"The baby is sick, and you had better come home."

"There," remarked the reader, "that is just ten words."

"Couldn't we make it more definite," said the other young man, after a moment's deliberation, "that will scare him."

Then there was another period of pen chewing, but at last a second dispatch was prepared, which the writer read approvingly. It ran:

"Baby got measles. Do not be alarmed. Please come home."

"That's better," put in the other, "but you haven't signed it."

When it had been signed and addressed, one of them was suddenly seized with the idea that the number of words had been unnecessarily increased.

"Counting the address and signature, there are a good many more than ten words there now," said the first young man; "I wonder if they charge for them all?"

Neither of them knew, and so they appealed to another man who was busily writing a dispatch.

"They charge for the signature, but not for the address," was his reply.

"No," interrupted a man by his side, "they don't charge for either."

After quite a warm discussion the matter was laid before the clerk, who settled it in a brief, official way.

"I charge neither the address nor the signature. If a man has a title to two words, we send it for nothing. If the title is longer than two words, like 'assistant general manager,' we charge for the additional words. In sending cablegrams we charge for everything, address, signature and all except the date and place of sending."

Guarding Against Torpedo Attacks.

[Army and Navy Gazette.]

It appears that one of the officers of her majesty's ship Garnet is to be court-martialled for allowing Paul Boynton to surprise them with a steam torpedo attack in New York harbor. This may, perhaps, justify himself by the evidence afforded by recent experiments with the French Mediterranean squadron, that more than ordinary vigilance is required to guard against surprise by a torpedo attack.

Admiral Duperre's fleet consisted of four ironclads steaming in Toulon. Signal was made to prepare to receive an attack of torpedo boats, and three torpedo boats left the fleet to return and effect an attack under cover of the night. Warning was given that the attack was to be expected after midnight and before 5 o'clock in the morning, and it was while a torpedo boat to approach within fifty meters without being recognized and exposed to the fire of the Hotchkiss guns and Projectchek magazine guns that the vessel was destroyed.

From midnight the most vigilant watch was kept by all the ships. The night was dark, but the beams of the electric light kept searching the surface of the sea in all directions. The riflemen and cannoneers were on the alert. Spyglasses whipped every point, as was ID by the electric light. Of a sudden three little red lanterns were hoisted simultaneously with forty meters of the squadron. It was the signal of the three torpedo boats which had successfully passed the zone of observation without discovery, and had penetrated to a point which insured the destruction of every one of Admiral Duperre's fleet. On a previous occasion at Charbourg a similar experiment resulted in the torpedo boat running alongside its supposed victim, and the officer in charge springing on the deck of the latter before even its proximity had been suspected.

The Minister and the Sausages.

[Liverpool Courier.]

A minister in one of our orthodox churches, while on his way to preach a funeral sermon in the country, called to see one of his members, an old lady, who had just been making sausages, and as she felt very proud of them insisted on the minister taking some of the links home to his family. After wrapping the sausages in a cloth the minister carefully placed the bundle in the pocket of his great coat. Thus equipped, he started for the funeral. While attending the solemn exercises of the grave some hungry dogs scented the sausages, and were not long in tracking them to the pocket of the great coat. The consequence was that the whole was devoured. The obsequies of the grave completed, the minister and the congregation repaired to the church, where the funeral discourse was to be preached.

After the sermon was finished the minister halted to make some remarks to his congregation, when a brother, who wished to have an opportunity of giving out, ascended the stairs of the pulpit, and gave the minister's coat a pitch to get his attention. The divine, thinking it a dog having designs on his pocket, raised his foot, gave the dog a kick, and sent the good brother sprawling down the steps. "You will excuse me, brethren and sisters," said the minister confusedly, and without looking at what he had just done, "for I could not avoid it. I have sausages in my pocket, and that dog has been trying to get them ever since he came upon the premises!"

Latest Summer Styles

[Whitehall Times.]

Hats with brims in them are again worn. The summer styles of boots and shoes, like corporations, have no souls.

On account of the hard times coats are now worn longer than usual.

The spring has been so cold and backward that dog pants are scarcely seen.

It is a nobby thing for policemen in dispensing charity to distribute fall wraps among the poor.

Feather-trimmed suits are very stylish, and young chickens are discarding their overcoats for them.

Many young married ladies, obliged to wear last summer's clothes, prefer divorce suits.

Four pockets in a vest without any money in them, although not popular, are never-theless worn more than ever.

Plantation Philosophy.

[Atlanta Constitution.]

I don't get no patience, wid de times what worter boils like he wants ter kill a hoss. It 'pears ter dat de debbil keep busy makin' folks git mighty nigh crazy, but I ain't got much use for him. De worl' ain't got up mighty well without de mens when kills de critters.

Talk 'bout luck. Dat chile Sukey gwine ter be de gal's name—has got it. De brother-in-law what kind of business them any others.

LATEST by Wire and CABLE

THIS MORNING.

Held on the Afghan Ally.

LONDON, June 22.—A dispatch from Teheran states that the rebel leader, Ish-Khan, one of the sympathizers of the deposed Ameer, Adcobkhan, at the head of a large number of followers, crossed the border from Turkistan into Afghanistan and marched on the city of Khanabad which he captured after a desperate and sanguinary struggle, putting its defenders to flight. The rebels then looted the place and procured, among other plunder, 1,000,000 pounds sterling belonging to the Ameer. This raid has caused intense excitement in Afghanistan. The Afghans openly accuse the Russians of having conspired at, and planned the raid. Reprisals are threatened, and it is feared that complications of a much more serious nature than have as yet arisen, will grow out of the raid.

This news has caused great excitement throughout London. The Foreign office has telegraphed Lord Dufferin for the fullest information with regard to the affair and should it be proven that the Russian officials are in any way implicated, a vigorous remonstrance will at once be made through the British representative at St. Petersburg.

Trains Wrecked.

DALLAS, Tex., June 22. — News has reached here that the East bound train on the Texas and Pacific Railroad was wrecked last evening six miles from the Colorado river and about 260 miles from Dallas. It is known that the entire train is ditched, but full particulars cannot be ascertained. Two passengers are reported fatally injured and there are other serious casualties.

PARKDALE, Col., June 22.—Yesterday afternoon when the Denver and RioGrande passenger train for Salt Lake reached a point midway between here and Carson City the middle coach left the track derailing another coach and a sleeper. The latter struck a rock and is a total wreck. The passengers were all more or less bruised but none seriously injured.

Lightning Strikes a Church.

YANANGOE, Ont., June 22.—During a thunder storm here last night, lightning struck the Presbyterian church spire and shattered one of the front doors throwing fragments of glass and splinters in all directions. John McNaughton, who was in the vestibule, was rendered unconscious, ladies fainted and the congregation was panic stricken, but, all escaped without serious injury.

Drowned by the Upsetting of a Boat.

BRUNSWICK, Me., June 23.—A sudden squall near West Bath yesterday upset a boat containing six young men, N. W. Gavin, assistant postmaster here, and B. A. Lincoln were drowned.

A Wesleyan Professor Dead.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., June 22.—George Lewis Westgate, Professor of Political Economy in the Wesleyan University, died last night at Norfolk, Conn., aged forty-one.

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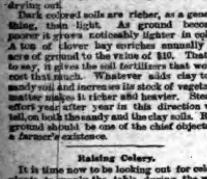
Dark colored soils are richer, as a general thing, than light. As ground becomes poorer it grows noticeably lighter in color. A ton of clover hay enriches annually an acre of ground to the value of $10. That is to say, it gives the soil fertilizers that would cost that much. Whatever adds clay to a sandy soil and increases its stock of vegetable matter makes it richer and heavier. Steady effort year after year in this direction will tell, on both the sandy and the clay soils. Rich ground should be one of the chief objects of a farmer's existence.

Raising Celery.

It is time now to be looking out for celery plants, to supply the table during the winter. All things considered, the best variety is perhaps the new



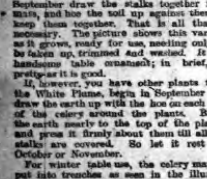
WHITE PLUME CELERY.

It is crisp, sweet and tender, and best of all needs not the laborious "banking up" that the other kinds require.

In July the celery plants are set out for the crop. The seeds should have been planted early—as soon as the ground was dry enough to be worked. Seedlings must be thinned out to three inches apart between them. Plants, however, can probably be obtained by those who have not raised them for themselves. The seeds should have been sown in a bed of rich soil, and kept clear of weeds until time for setting out. It will require from 200 to 300 plants to supply an ordinary family. The plants must be put out in a strong, rich soil, thoroughly well mixed with manure. Mark out with a line rows four feet apart. Set the plants six inches apart. The setting out is a matter of care and delicacy. The plant must be put into the soil just to the depth of the roots, otherwise the heart will be covered with earth and choked up. Spread the roots out and tramp the earth in firmly over and about them and water them plentifully. Now keep the weeds down till September. Here is the advantage of the White Plume celery comes in. As cool weather approaches it bleaches itself, the stalks and inner leaves turn to a rich cream white. If you have this sort in September draw the stalks together in a mass, and hoe the soil up against them to keep them together. That is all that is necessary. The picture shows this variety as it grows, ready for use, needing only to be taken up, trimmed and washed. It is a handsome table ornament; in brief, as pretty as it is good.

If, however, you have other plants than the White Plume, begin in September and draw the earth up with the hoe on each side of the celery around the plants. Bring the earth nearly to the top of the plants, and press it firmly about them till all the stalks are covered. So let it rest till October or November.

For winter table use, the celery may be put into trenches as seen in the illustration.



CELERY IN TRENCHES FOR WINTER.

Dig it up from the banks in installments, according as it is wanted. Dig them a very narrow trench, not more than ten inches wide. Pack the celery into this trench, upright, being careful that no soil is put between the boards. Pack closely without bruising the stalks, and draw the earth close about the top. The trench should be the depth of the height of the celery stalk. Nothing will be left above ground except the tips of green leaves. Then the celery will blanch and grow salty. The rows ought to cover with leaves or straw at the approach of the coldest weather to keep the earth from freezing so that the plants cannot be got at.

The above is the method of storing celery for market use. The best way for ordinary family use is to pack it in boxes in the cellar. Get narrow boxes, not quite as deep as the celery is high, and fill in the bottom with a few inches of soil. Pack the celery in these boxes upright, with only the roots in the soil. Put the boxes in a cool cellar and the thing is done. For use at Christmas time, dig up and pack the plants about Oct. 10; for a supply about the second week in November, and that for early spring about the last of November. In localities where the freeze-up comes early, it will not do to risk it out later than Nov. 20. The stalks must be kept dry when packed for winter use.

And don't fail to plant it this July. Do it now if you never did before. Celery is palatable beyond most garden relishes

Curing Hay.

[Iowa State Register.]

Hay half cured will not save sweet and clean in the mow, with the ordinary surroundings. It may keep in a tight mow where the air is entirely excluded, something on the open principle of the silo. But dog hay, half cured, when put in stack or barn, will mould, spoil and become useless. And the old and foolish idea that salt will keep it from moulding when used in the proportion of one gallon to the ton, is too ridiculous to contemplate. It was one of Horace Greeley's impracticable theories published on the same page of The Tribune with the recommendation to sprinkle cucumber and melon vines with salt pickle to kill the striped bug.

The writer had a hay farm exclusively for twenty years in Indiana, where he made all kinds of experiments in cutting and curing hay. Since coming to Iowa, where he owns a large farm in Iowa, where he seldom, if ever, cut less than 150 tons of hay per year, he found invariably that it was necessary to have the hay thoroughly cured. He would have it come out in winter sweet and clear of must.

Accommodating Railroads.

Strange as it may appear, the very railroads which will transport horses from the west to the Atlantic markets at $30 to $40 per car will not contract at the same rates to load the same cars on their return trip with stock cattle from our eastern states. With low rates of transportation the western stock feeders could afford to buy thousands of the yearling and two-year-old young stock in New England to take to the corn-fields of the west and fatten. However, at the present low prices of western corn our eastern feeders can afford to improve their feeding rations by the addition of some grain, and by securing manure of increased value for their arable land.

The Truth About Johnson Grass.

[American Dairyman.]

The agricultural press have had a great deal to say of late for and against the forage plant called Johnson grass. Under favorable conditions it is undoubtedly an enormous cropper. This plant seems to do particularly well in California, and will probably succeed equally well in some of the southern states. We could hardly advise trying it except in a small and experimental way in any of the northern states. It is said to grow too large and coarse to make good hay, and when well rooted it defies dry weather equally with the plow when trying to eradicate it.

Things to Be and to Know.

Florida is a good state for poultry raising.

Connecticut crop prospects are good. There will be plenty of hay, grain, tobacco and fruit.

Iowa has over a thousand women farmers, market gardeners and dairy managers. A good state for women to go to.

In setting out cabbage or tomato plants, it pays well, after the soil is filled in, to strap a piece of paper about the stem and fasten it with a stone or a lump of soil. *Plants so treated are safe from the cut-worm.*

Commissioner Coleman has called a convention of representatives from all the agricultural colleges in the Union to meet July 8, at Washington, to fix on uniform methods for farm experimenting and testing crops.

Don't wash the sheep, says The Wool Journal. The name or designation of washed wool has ceased to have any charm, and the sooner the practice of washing is entirely bandoned the better it will be for the sheep, their owners and the trade generally.

The commissioner of agriculture has made a directory of departments, boards, societies, colleges and other organizations in the interest of agriculture, horticulture, stock raising, dairying, bee keeping, fish culture and kindred industries in the United States. It contains the names of more than 5,000 organizations.

To make a gentle nibber, a calf should be trained from the time it is two months old. It should be rubbed and stroked and petted, its teats and udder should be handled frequently from the beginning. Then when the animal is ready to become a cow it will be familiar with the motions of milking.

BOYS AND GIRLS

Nobby and the Telephone.

If Nobby had been brought up in the woods he might have imagined the telephone to be an exaggerated specimen of an owl; but being a creature of some experience, he was only puzzled, she scratched his head reflectively when the telephone man was over there in his instrument.

But when the bells were tried he exchanged his "chesy" of angry defiance to a note of fear, and sprang wildly against the wires, sitting desperately until then he plunged into the bottom of his cage, where he cowered motionless.

Thinking the worst was over, he took a nest to comfort himself, and was busy shelling it when another "call" sent him up into his swing. It was comical to see him stretch his neck and utter agonizing shout, while his smooth feathers rose and fell gently, and little shivers agitated his wings.

"What is it? What is it?" he seemed to say. And all that day he regarded it as a foe, or a hidden source of danger.

"WHAT IS IT?"

But gradually his vanity asserted itself, and his old saucy, cheerful demeanor returned. When there was a ring he would listen intently, scrape his bill leisurely, as if to show his indifference, give two or three preliminary hops, then strut across his perch, *singing* his very loudest, and, with a running twinkle of his little black eye, finish with a satisfied chirp, that said as plain as could be, "Beat that if you can."

As the days rolled by, and he had brooded over the subject considerably, he evidently made up his mind that it was a new and dangerous rival in the musical line. So, whenever the bells rang, which was often, he would listen, with his head turned nearly upside down, and after going through a polka of his own, invented for the occasion, would sing himself almost off his perch. In fact, it became necessary to remove him if any conversation was to be held, and his indignant chirps were very amusing.

He feels it his duty, nowadays, to answer every call, and as there is but one line for all, his responsibilities are heavy. His public duties as an official member of the telephone company are arduous. Seeds are in danger of becoming neglected, and his morals are running down. From being a strict 9 o'clock bird he keeps up until the rest of the busy world quiet down are he can retire, and of late he is frequently dozing in the bottom of his cage, anxious to be the one to have the last word, instead of going to bed as he ought.

If he could appreciate it I would read to him the fable of the fly and the wheel, but it would do no good. Like many unfeathered bipeds he thinks the company would go to smash unless he was around to see to things, little imagining he is more of a hindrance than a help.

Children's Sayings.

What pretenders most children are! They love to impose upon themselves as well as upon others. "I must sit down and study this lesson now," said a little boy in petticoats who can neither read nor write. Or, brother, you smile like the dawn of the day!" said one infant to another, and then in an undertone asked what the dawn of the day was like. "Shakespeare's specialty is the dawn of the day!" To children the mysterious always appears imposing. While hearing his father say that *Wilkes' grandmother had* expressed the wish to be cremated when she dies, listened in open-mouthed wonder, and went to a neighbor's at once to communicate the intelligence that his "grandma is going to be cream tartered." The same boy, aged 5, though several years younger than his sisters, feels an almost manly superiority over her. They were talking of something, when he said: "I know that before you were born." *Alice*, meekly indignant, said: "Why, Willie, you were not born then." "Well, the lump of dirt I was made of knew it."

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THE SAFEGUARD against Cholera and infectious diseases is to keep a supply of Thorp's thoroughly tested Disinfectant. This powerful germicide is recommended by our leading physicians as being the best in the market. Sold by druggists generally, and Bottles at 50 cents, No sold in Thorp's Factory, cor Front and New streets. P. O. Box 394. 6-2e 30t

THE REFORM CLUB HALL with seating capacity for eight hundred, with necessary conveniences, is located by the Club, offers special inducements to parties wishing to hire a hall for concerts or exhibitions.

FOR SALE. Cottage, stable and grounds of the late Max Strobel on North Plainfield Avenue, corner Liberty. Large garden, choice fruit. Price $6,500. Apply L. C. Mulford No. 35 and 37 opposite depot, Plainfield. 6-19tf

FARM FOR SALE or to rent. Will exchange. House 18 rooms suitable for Summer boarders. Shade. Fruit of all kinds. Inquire on East Front street. 6-19tf

QUARRIES FOR SALE. Requires from two to five hundred dollars. Address Box 1102, Plainfield. 6-19tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—A house containing five rooms and store, now occupied as a butcher shop, at No. 6 West Fifth street. Business and house will be sold together or separately. Apply to Michael Weber, owner, on the premises. 6-9-2w

EGGS for Hatching. Guaranteed true to name. Thoroughbred light Brahmas, White Leghorns, Buff Cochins, Silver Spangled Hamburgs, Golden and Muscovy Ducks. Williams, Hawkins, Knapp, Staines, Eggs $1.50 per 13. Address I. S., Box 181, Post Office.

Cent-a-word Corner

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, either with or without board. Address L. H. Holmes, Adams' Express Office. 6-29-3t

WANTED—A good parlor organ in perfect order. Must be cheap for cash. Please state lowest price. Address Z, P. O. Box 6. 6-29-3t

WANTED—To rent a piano cover and music stool and wishing to dispose of or donate the same to Mrs. W. C. Hubbard please address Mrs. E. R. Williams, Harrison, P. O. Box 258. 6-29tf

TO LET—FURNISHED by the year or longer or four rooms, with kitchen range, corner of Crescent avenue and Third Place. Apply to F. C. Mulford, real estate broker, 35 and 37 opposite depot, Plainfield. 6-29tf

TEMPORARY HELP in kitchen, nursery or sick room. Address Miss Alberta, P. O. Box 1102, Plainfield. 6-29tf

FOR SALE—Spanish merle black, white spot on breast, 1 broke to ride, 1 dark red collar. Several returned to H. S. Barnes 17 and 19 Front street. Fast

WANTED—A position for general housework in family of three. No children. 46 Madison avenue. 6-29-3t

FOR SALE CHEAP—A Thomas' sulky rake. Apply to C. D. Meeker, 48 East Front street. 6-29-3t

FOR SALE—Family or front parlor of unfurnished second story. L. Mulford, 35 and 37 opposite depot. 6-29tf

FINE TIMPANY thinning tent at raymond lumber yard, Madison avenue, $1.00 per barrel, delivered to any part of the city. 6-29-3t

FOR SALE—A handsome and sound bay horse, 8 years years old. Address Dr. Frith Park ave. 6-29-3t

WINDMILL and derrick for sale cheap. Perfect order. Box 1102. 6-29tf

DWELLING houses and stable, and shaft maker, 21 East Front street. 6-29tf

TO RENT—In a first family at a most charming location, 50 feet west avenue. Address M C., care of EVENING NEWS. 6-16tf

FURNISHED HOUSE on Third place to let for August. Inquire of Somerstead Food 20 cts. a Week. 6-16-3t

HOUSE FOR SALE—Cheap. The house, with one half acre of land, on Liberty ave. and Fifth st. Apply to J. D. Finley, on opposite street. 6-16tf

ANY ONE wishing a concert grand piano for sale at A. Conover's, 20 West Front street. Will be sold cheap. 6-16-3t

Educational.

ELOCUTION. Instruction in Elocution, class or private lessons. At home, address Miss Alberta, P. O. Box 1102. 6-29tf

PIANO LESSONS. Miss Nettie Mattison is now prepared to give piano instruction either at her own or at the pupil's residence. Address Box 1, N. S. Woodruff, proprietor of Hotel Netherwood and to others. P. O. Box, 1484.

MRS. HANN'S STUDIO, Room 10, Stillman Block. Pupils in oil, water colors or crayon.

Financial.

J. L. ANDERSON, Stock Broker, 74 Broadway, New York P. O. Box 2712. Telephone call 263 New— no share less a specialty.

Professional Cards.

DR. C. H. CLARK, DENTIST, Established 12 years, Front Street, opposite the Depot. Office hours, 8 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m.; Plainfield, N. J.

DR. ROBT. W. ANDERSON, DENTIST, Office and residence over Geffen's Hardware Store, formerly at 204 East Second street. Gas administered. Office hours—9 to 12 m., 2 to 5 p. m. 11-11-86

DR. CHAS. H. PARKS, DENTIST, Front Street, Plainfield. Chloroform used as a local anesthetic. Gold filling a specialty.

J. BROOKE, Accountant and bookkeeper. Trade accounts made up and books kept by the day or job. Business men's and others' affairs carefully attended to. Orders addressed. Strictest confidence may be relied upon. Address 20 Park place.

GEORGE W. CARPENTER, Expert Stenographer. The reporting of legal causes and meetings a specialty. Practical Instruction in Shorthand given. Duration taken. Typewriting done. Remington machine. Agent for the Calligraph typewriter. Office, corner Park avenue and Second street, Plainfield, N. J.

E. SUNUHAM, Civil Engineer and Surveyor Having had twenty years experience in civil engineering in Plainfield he is prepared to do anything in his line with accuracy and dispatch. 5-26-3m

DR. T. S. DAVIS, Homeopathic Physician, Office 15 Broadway, over drug store, Plainfield, N. J. Office hours—9 to 10 a. m., 2 to 3 p. m., 6 to 8 p. m. Telephone Call 28.

GEO. G. EARL and JACKSON JAQUES, Civil Engineers and Surveyors. Having purchased the interest of Mr. Thomas Townsend, associate to J. E. Ball, A. Dunham, embracing the past twelve years of connection with nearly every piece of property in Plainfield, we are prepared to work in the line with unusual accuracy and despatch. 34 East Front street, Stillman's Stone Hall. P. O. Lock Box 1107. 2-17-86

CRAYON PORTRAITS. Miss Louisa Moss, Crayon Artist Specimen's at Reed's, 24 West Front, where orders will be received.

WILLIAM B. MANSON, Counsellor at Law, will buy and sell real estate and negotiate loans on mortgage, and take charge of property. Official searches procured if desired, without extra charge. N. Y. Office, 160 Nassau st. P. O. Lock Box 2.

D. A. W. ANDERSON, No. 1 Peace street, corner Front t. Office hours until 9 a. m. and 4 to 5 p. m. 5-26-3m

JACKSON & CORNINGTON, Counsellors at Law, Commissioners of Deeds, Masters in Chancery, Notaries Public. Offices corner of Park avenue and Second street.

CRAIG A. MARSH, Counsellor at Law, Supreme Court Commissioner, Solicitor and Master in Chancery, Notary Public. Office corner Front and Somerset streets.

SUYDAM & STILLMAN, Counsellors at Law, Stillman's Block, Rooms 1 and 2, Plainfield, N. J. George P. Suydam. William M. Stillman.

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The price of THE NEWS delivered by carrier, is ten cents a week. Collections are made every two weeks by a regular collector.

JOB PRINTING OF ALL KINDS.

To Executors, Administrators, Etc.

It is the privilege of all Executors, Administrators, Guardians, etc., in charge of the settlement of estates before the Surrogate, to have all the legal notices relating thereto published in whatever legal paper they may wish. As THE PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS is now a legal paper, being one year old, (the age required by law), all such notices sent to this office will receive prompt attention and insertion. Friends of THE NEWS, acting in any of the above capacities, can have notices inserted in this journal by directing the Surrogate to send such notices to this office for publication.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Steiles drug store, corner of Front and Cherry streets.

1885.		1884.	
6 a. m.	58	8 a. m.	64
9 a. m.	63	9 a. m.	71
12 m.	70	12 m.	79
3 p. m.		2 p. m.	84

Miniature Almanac.

To-day and the corresponding date last year.

1885	1884
Sunrise.....4.32 a.m.	Sunrise.....4.32 a.m.
Sun Sets.....7.35 p.m.	Sun Sets.....7.35 p.m.
Moon Rises.....9.52 a.m.	Moon Rises..... p.m.

Chronological Events.

Argyle beheaded, 1685.

Signal Office Prediction.

Slightly cooler, fair weather.

For Wednesday—Fair weather with slowly rising temperature indicated for districts on the Atlantic Coast.

JOTTINGS.

—Gillies advertises an auction in another column.

—A souvenir to-night for all at the play at Music Hall.

—A new and large stock of clothing is offered at Schwed Bros.

—A party of young people from this city "pound-cooked" at Fellowship yesterday.

—The Board of Freeholders of Union county meet at Elizabeth on Thursday.

—Applications for rooms at the Park House are being received by the proprietor in large numbers.

—Laing's Hotel continues to be a popular resort for commercial men and transient and permanent guests.

—Park avenue under the railroad bridge is receiving a dressing of cracked stone to make the roadway even.

—The regular business meeting of the Reform Club for July will be held on Thursday evening in Reform Hall.

—The turnouts of Plainfield just at this season are very attractive, both on account of the usually handsome equipments and style.

—The main celebration of the Fourth of July in this city will be by private parties many of which have already been arranged for.

—We have received a copy of the Manchester (Eng.) Evening News from Mrs. F. H. Miller, of Pence street, who is sojourning in England.

—Those who know say that the Scott Press Works are shipping presses on orders as rapidly as they can complete the same, the demand being good.

—The proprietors of the Dob Male Library and Art Gallery are justly proud of the great interest taken in the public opening on Thursday evening, July 2.

—Three stage loads of happy boys started from the Y. M. C. A. rooms this morning for Washington Park to attend the exercises of the Senior Society of the Boys' Branch.

—Marie Arber, an habitual drunkard, of New Brunswick, who has served several terms in State Prison, has been left $5,000. She says she will divide the money among those who have befriended her.

—The EVENING NEWS will soon issue an index, carefully prepared, of the leading and active business houses of the city to be circulated throughout this vicinity. An agent will call on the business public to represent the merits of this novel enterprise, and favorable consideration is requested.

—On Saturday Mrs. Nellie Dady, of the Boulevard, appeared before Justice Nodyne and made a complaint of assault and battery against Mrs. Fay. When Mrs. Fay appeared she said it was Mrs. Dady who committed the assault. The Justice released her on her own recognizance to keep the peace.

—Frank Dodge and John H. Sayers, of this city, addressed a temperance meeting at Nemianic on Saturday evening. Residents say it was one of the most enthusiastic ever held there. Forty-one signers were secured. Another meeting was to have been held on Sunday evening, but the stormy weather prevented.

—*Three little girls who have usually had* torpedoes and fire-crackers on the Fourth of July, have decided to take the money that would be expended for them in that way, and send to the Children's Home. If any other little girls would like to do the same, they can send their pennies, with their names, with Ella N, Osborne, No. 12 E. Fifth street, corner of Sycamore.

—It is said that the Singer factory will shut down on Friday night, July 3, and remain closed for one week. Many of the hands thought a week ago that the factory would not close even on the Fourth, but this threatened freeze-out makes them feel somewhat uncomfortable. The company have large orders to fill and have been working nearly all the hands formerly employed, numbering nearly 3,000.

PLAINFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Roll of Honor for June.

High School—Junior Class.

Emma Adams, Frank T. Clawson,
M. Louisa Karner, Fred T. Cuthbert,
Edith R. Leonard, Joseph S. Darby,
Frank E. Newman, Theo. J. Gillies, jr.

Third Class.

Eleanor G. Beal, Helena E. Horan,
Maude Benton, Eva A. Peer,
Clara M. Burt, Virginia F. Randolph,
Nellie E. Cleve, Addie M. Wilson,
Ella L. Darby, Lucia N. Wood,
Augusta Holmes, Lucius L. Gilbert,
Annie C. Horton, Frank J. Hubbard,
Robert C. Rand.

Fourth Class.

Laura F. Baker, Harry H. Coward,
Carrie S. Boice, Walter Chamberlin,
Kate A. Carney, Alfred E. Coles,
Susie E. Greves, Frederic B. Newman,
Marion F. Randolph, Frank D. Randolph,
Lottie V. Sutphen, Frank F. Woodruff.

Grammar School—First Class.

Lottie Beckman, Frances Praed,
Annie Bingener, Alice Quinn,
Annie Crane, Kittie Reid,
Maggie B. Case, Lulu B. Runyon,
Mamie French, Elmira Runyon,
Hattie Lesh, Leora Wenger,
Ella U. Osborne, William Rockwell.

Harry Rand.

Second Class—First Division.

Anna M. Spriggs, Clifford Brady,
Libbie V. Taylor, Chas. T. Rittenhouse,
Harry Thorn.

Second Division.

Emma V. Case, Ella V. Woltmann,
Nettie R. Crawford, Louis D. Pfeufer,
S. Lizzie Dunn, Peter Van Deventer.

Third Class—First Division.

Maisel H. Clark, Harry N. Clem,
Lillie A. Force, James Cotter,
Alice A. Kesly, Frank H. Eick,
Mabel E. Manson, Dennis Gallerbraith,

Third Class—2d Division.

Mattie A. Covert, Louie G. Newman,
Anna A. Perkins, Oscar Strauss,
Minnie L. Parr, James H. Kimball,
Eudora O. Grant, James H. Wagner,
Mabel Chrisruff, Chas. H. Ruloff,
Mary Patten, Ellen Hazell,
Willie F. Moore, Artie Freeman.

Frank Ramsey.

Fourth Class—1st Division.

Era H. French, Chas. W. Buckelew,
Flora M. Garretson, Elmer S. Garretson,
Addie E. Mason, Harrie H. Wilson,
Nellie Parsons, Walter F. Norris,
Grace Phillips, Chas. E. Parsons,
Mary Thorp, Frank J. Parsons,
Mary Zimmer, Arthur Spicer,
Sallie S. Young, William Thyng,
Effiada A. Whiting. Jno C. Whiting.

3d Division.

Willie Crawford, Lulu Patten,
Peyton Randolph, Sarah Illenstern,
Frank Sprigman, Lillie Moore,
Laureus VanBuren, Lottie A. Moore.

Fourth Class—Fifth street.

Chas. H. Angleman, Anna S. Bird,
James H. Day, Lizzie M. Burns,
William H. Dominick, Nora A. Casey,
Georgie A. Munsere, Annie A. Foster,
John R. Leslie, Sara A. Galbraith,
Cyrus E. Moore, Ella W. Gardner,
Lionel Wentz, Ida A. Pearce,
Walter Wilson, Levenia J. Weston.

Personal.

Mrs. Daniel B. Rogers, of Florida, is a guest of ex-Mayor Maxson's family.

Gen. Eli Long and family started to-day for a months' absence among rural friends in New York State.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Alberti, of Madison avenue, are sojourning with friends at Alfred Center, N. Y., to remain during July.

Mrs. O. B. Matthews and Miss S. G. Kenny, of Second Place, started to-day to spend the month of July at Avon Springs, N. Y.

Mr. J. F. Matthews, and his daughter, Daisy, Matthews proceed to Pine Bush, Orange Co., N. Y., remaining away during July and August.

C. A. Savage, a former member of Class '84 of the High School, who was obliged to leave school for two years, graduated this year at the High School of St. Paul, Minn., the first in his class, taking the prize awarded for the highest average during the course. His average was 94.69. The subject of his oration at the Commencement exercises was "Greek and Mathematics as Requirements for a College Education."

Buzzie the Dogs.

The Rahway Advocate says: "Mad dogs played and have made it the terror of Summit, Clark, Westfield and Hillside. About two weeks ago several rabid dogs were killed after they had bitten many other dogs and horses in the vicinity. At Short Hills there are several kennels containing valuable dogs, whose owners have taken the course. His average was 94.69. The subject of his oration at the Commencement exercises was "Greek and Mathematics as Requirements for a College Education."

—The loan exhibition at the opening of the Job Male Art Gallery promises to be very full and complete. The parties in charge have more articles on hand than they can conveniently arrange. The opening on Thursday evening, promises to be an event of unusual interest.

Michael Burkhardt, a Camden saloonkeeper, on Friday afternoon struck Andrew Kane in the forehead. He alleges that Kane with two companions, entered his place and demanded drinks. The refusal to serve them, and that they thereupon attacked him. The shooting he alleges to have been in self defense. The wound is not dangerous. Burkhardt was committed. Kane and his companions were each held in $500 for the assault on Burkhardt and his wife, who received a cut on the head in the melee.

A party of drunken men created a disturbance in the grocery store of Louis Post's beer shop, No. 20 Columbia street, Union Hill, because the proprietor refused to let them play pool. Four assaulted him, striking him on the head with billiard cues, and one of them struck him on the head with a stool. Post's skull is fractured, and he is in a critical condition. James Roach, John Mailly and Peter Furey were arrested.

The Hon. Lewis Cochran, whose appointment as Assistant to Attorney-General Garland has just been announced has represented Sussex County in the State Senate for the last three years. He has filled other local offices. He is a lawyer of some prominence in Newton.

Those Justices' Fines.

The Elizabeth Herald in commenting upon the article in Saturday's issue of The News, entitled "What Became of the Fines?" says:

The truth is justices of the peace do no business now. The district courts and police justices monopolize the whole field. There should we think be fines turned in from police justices.

Although as stated in the larger cities the police justices monopolize a great deal of the business, it is all moonshine to say that only one justice in the county collected fines during the past year. In conversation this morning with one of the oldest constables in the county, a NEWS reporter was told of an instance where a fine of $25 was divided between the Justice and the acting constable, and the fine moreover was collected from a case, which the Justice had no right to try, but which under the law belonged to the higher court. It would be well to have the matter investigated.

Are We Not Deserving!

[From XXX.]

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—I have been reminded by a business woman a little out from the business part of town, that it would be a great convenience to have a letter carrier in our city. Well, why should we have one? I think there are but few cities in our nation that receive more mail matter than ours, in proportion to population. I know of other cities in our country no larger than ours that Uncle Sam furnishes a mail distributer. Many of our citizens go to New York for the day, and many are day laborers that do not have time after arriving at their homes to get around to the post-office before closing hours. Who will move in this matter?

Souvenirs to be Given To-night.

Manager Blumenthal, of the company that is to present "A Russian Honeymoon" at Music Hall to-night, proposes to distribute handsome bronzed plaques to those who attend the performance. These plaques are similar to those, a limited number of which were distributed on Monday, but are much handsomely embellished and valuable as ornaments because of the absence of anything like an advertisement on them. Mr. Blumenthal claims that his company will give greater satisfaction than has been afforded by any similar play, and as the press notices previously quoted by us alleged the play to be the best of the Madison Square plays, it is reasonable to anticipate for to-night a rare treat.

Slang Again.

[From the Rahway Censor.]

The Rahway Censor undertakes to defend the use of slang in an extended article, not one word of which can be construed into slang of recent or remote origin.—PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS.

THE NEWS cannot find anything in our article in defence of the use of slang words. We merely demurred to the assertion that the English language was likely to be ruined by the incorporation of slang terms.

We despise the use of slang words as much as our contemporary. We never use them. It is hard to keep them out of a newspaper, but we do the best we can to avoid them.

The Borough Primary.

A primary of all legal voters of the new borough of North Plainfield is called in our advertising columns to meet at the school house on Somerset street on Thursday evening at eight o'clock for the purpose of nominating candidates for mayor and councilmen. The meeting is called by the incorporators.

Hotel Arrivals.

PARK HOUSE.—H. Janeway, N. Meyer, Mr. E. Fowler, Mrs. E. Woodward, Mrs. F. Rothsay, Hugh Hastings and wife, E. Norris, R. Merrill, of the Philadelphia Press, and wife, Dr. W. J. Brown, W. J. Scott, Jr., and family, E. D. Elmlin, and family, T. J. Webb, W. S. Rait and wife, H. J. Rawle and wife, M. Hatton, Mrs. E. Harris, David M. Stiger and wife, E. E. Miyakuka, H. M. Gilligan, Mrs. A. Fraley, William L. Jones and wife.

LAING'S HOTEL.—F. J. How and wife, New York; S. D. Affleck, city; C. F. Averill, city; Charles J. Johnson, Binghampton, N. Y.; C. E. Harris, New York; Charles C. Applegate, Newark; T. Davenport, New Jersey; Edward C. VerMeule, M. D., U. S. N.; Adrain VerMeule, New Brunswick; Elias Wolf, Philadelphia; John R. Miller, Newark; C. Butler, New York; Henry Reisner, Somerville, N. J.; E. A. Archer, Newark; W. V. Carlosh, Ridgewood; T. V. Edwards, Chicago; H. B. Brooks, City; Z. C. Dilts, Hunterdon County; L. D. Tompkins, Barlington; Frost Merch, Philadelphia; Alexander Stephens, New York; E. E. Bayl, Marion; James Henekan, Quincy; S. Hawley, New York; Jacob Sluser, Elizabeth; B. Glosen, Elizabeth; E. H. Lowfe and man, New Brunswick, N. J.; Thomas Smith, Newark; J. Swarts, Jr., Newark; Mrs. Fallon, New York; C. A. Fisher, Newark; Charles Allen, Philadelphia; C. B. Brown, Philadelphia.

Chief of Police Murphy yesterday informed the proprietors of the two 5-shilling hells in Montgomery street, Jersey City, that they must close their places and leave the buildings or they would be arrested. Cridge and Co. demurred to the order of the Chief and said that they had as much right to sell pools in Jersey City as others had to sell pools in Hoboken. They expressed their intention of continuing the business and taking the chances of arrest, being prepared to furnish all the bail that may be required.

The body of a young woman was found in the Morris Canal at Lafayette, Jersey City, yesterday. As there were no marks of violence she was presumed to have committed suicide. Late last night a woman called at Sporer's Morgue and identified the body as that of Kate Schneider, 18 years old, of Scranton, Penn. She had been missing from a house where she was stopping in Jersey City, since Saturday. Her relatives were notified.

Haddonfield was shrouded in darkness Friday night. The electric lights were gone. They have proved a success and many people favor the Remington plant, which will probably be instituted in the borough.

State Notes.

Mrs. Metta V. Victoria Victor, a prolific magazine writer of some celebrity, died at Hoboken on Friday.

According to the recent State census Merchantville has a population of 741, a gain of 322 over the census of 1880.

United States Revenue Collector Klotz yesterday appointed Bernard J. Flad and William F. Volk as deputies in his department.

Princeton conferred the degree of B. A. on 108 graduates at its last commencement. Dr. McCosh has given $1,000 in memory of his late son, to found a special prize for the best essay on mental philosophy written within a year after graduation.

A meeting under the auspices of the National Temperance Society will be held on July 22-26 at Ocean Grove to be addressed by George W. Bain, Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, John B. Stearns, the Rev. O. W. Gifford, John B. Finch, Edward Carswell and others.

A bracket and a bust of President Cleveland, made from United States gunbacks, estimated as amounting to $25,000, which had been redesmed and macerated by the Government at the Philadelphia Mint, Washington by Mrs. Kate Johnson, of Hightstown, on her return from a recent visit to that city.

Caution.

We would caution the public to beware of dealers offering Kemp's Balsam at less than the regular price, 50c. and $1. All genuine imitations or inferior articles are sold as the genuine, in order to enable them to sell cheaply. R. J. Shaw is our only agent for Plainfield.

O. F. WOODWARD, Manager,
Le Roy, N. Y.

PRIMARY.

On behalf of the incorporators all legal voters, without respect to party, within the limits of the Borough of North Plainfield, are invited to meet in convention in the basement of the new School House, on Thursday evening, July 2, at eight o'clock, to nominate candidates for mayor and councilmen.

NOTICE.

The old and reliable American Mutual Insurance Company of Plainfield, continues to flourish. Only two policies have been cancelled. Within the past week many thousand dollars of new insurance policies have been added. Parties desiring new insurance, should avail themselves of the advantages of this successful company.

MUSIC HALL,
TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 30,
MADISON SQUARE THEATRE'S SUCCESS
A Russian HONEYMOON
With a strong Cast of Characters
Prices as usual, 35, 50, 75c. and $1. Seats on sale at Shaw's and Reynolds' Saturday 9 a. m.

AUCTION.
T. J. GILLIES, Auctioneer, will sell on
THURSDAY, JULY 2d, 1885,
at ten o'clock a. m. at the residence of the undersigned, on the road from Dunellen to Bound Brook and opposite the residence of James Dunham, known as the Dr. Stevens' place, all of parlor furniture, lounge and bed lounge, buffet, hat-rack, mantle bedroom furniture, bureaus, bedsteads, tables and wash-stands, 3 cottage and two ash bed room suits, hair and other mattresses, feather pillows, 11 bed springs, 30 rocking folding and seat chairs, 11 dining room chairs, settee, sofa and other clothes, 10 brussels and ingrain carpets, matting, oil cloth and mats, toilet sets, 7 spring cots, curtains and shades, hall and table lamps, one gray pacer and one three-seat phaeton, looking-glasses, hammock, refrigerator, tubs and benches, tin, wood and iron ware and many other articles too numerous too think of. Also, one good top road wagon, 10 by 13-2 feet, will be sold at 2 o'clock p. m. Terms Cash. MRS. MARY M. GURNEE.

THE DAY WE CELEBRATE Will soon be here. *Prepare to enjoy it by getting* a supply of
FIREWORKS
Balloons,
TORPEDOES,
Firecrackers, Etc.
Don't forget the LAWN TENNIS, LAWN POOL, CROQUET, GRACE HOOPS, etc. We have the best assortment and lowest prices.
A. W. RAND,
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FRANK DAY,
(Successors to R. & J. Coleman)
LIVERY STABLE
North Avenue
Opposite Depot, Plainfield, N. J.
Carriages to Meet all Trains.
Family Riding a Specialty

The District Telegraph
AND
Fire Alarm Co.

"Ex-Gov. Ludlow, of New Brunswick, says of it in Feburary, 1885," "I have no doubt of your success in this vicinity, as it is something the Cities and all first-class families need; and later I am much gratified at your success here in our town. Your success "shows energetic management."

Mr. John N. Carpenter, Secretary and Treasurer of the New Brunswick Hosiery Co. "One of subscribers" says of *our Fire Alarm System:* "It is the best and most economical scheme for our security and protection as a city, that has ever been presented to us."

Mr. Page, the General Manager, informs us that all negotiations are now settled with the city satisfactorily to both parties, and the work will proceed at once. Over 200 solid contracts for one year for the "Patent 10 Call Box" have already been signed in this city by private subscribers, and several gangs of line men in a day or two will be put at work on Lines and Boxes, and a Central office is in view, and he expects to be able to open it some time in August or September 1, with at least 300 personal subscribers and to have satisfactory arrangements with managers of Fire Department.

Please Order one of our new patent 10 Call Box to be placed in Your Residence, Store or Office at a Rental of only $1 a month, then

If you want a Reliable Messenger to deliver goods, letters, circulars, telegrams or packages, or do any errand whatever such as bring children from school during a storm, take umbrellas, waterproofs, etc., to church, or elsewhere, when needed you have simply to touch the button marked "Messenger" and in a few minutes a uniformed messenger is at your disposal.

The Central Office Will Always Be Open.

Orders or applications for boxes can be sent to W. H. PAGE, General Manager, East lines Cor. Park avenue and Seventh street.

PUBLIC OPENING
Of the Building Erected by Hon. Job Male
AS A
PUBLIC LIBRARY
AND
ART GALLERY
WILL OCCUR
THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1885,
AT 7.30 P. M.
AN ADDRESS BY
Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D.
FINE MUSIC BY
LANDER'S BAND.
A LOAN EXHIBITION OF
VALUABLE PAINTINGS.
REFRESHMENTS Will be Served.
TICKETS ONE DOLLAR.

The funds derived from this opening are to be used to pay the debt incurred in erecting and starting the Library and Art Gallery. Tickets can be had at Reynolds', Shaw's and Butler's drug stores

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6 44 "	8 25 "	9 00 "	7 14 "
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RECENT LEGAL DECISIONS.

A CONDITION in a fire insurance policy providing that the failure of the insured to pay a premium note when it falls due will relieve the insurer from liability from any loss occurring during such default, is not unreasonable or contrary to public policy, and unless such condition is waived or rescinded by the insurer, the nonpayment of the note at the stipulated time involves a forfeiture of policy. So held by the Supreme Court of Kansas in the case of the Continental Insurance Company vs. Daily.

UNDER a statute providing that "in all actions at law or other legal proceedings by any city against any person for the enforcement, collection or recovery of any debt, demand, claim or pecuniary liability, such person may set off a debt, claim or demand due him from the city," the Supreme Court of Missouri held that a depositor in an insolvent bank might offset his deposit against the claim of the bank on tax bills issued by a city to a contractor in payment for public improvements and assigned to it before the allure. Kansas City vs. Kldenour.

WHERE a wholesale liquor dealer in Missouri entered into an arrangement with a citizen of Kansas to sell and ship intoxicating liquors to him in Kansas for the express purpose of enabling the purchaser there to enroll the liquors contrary to the laws of the State and actively aided the purchaser in *the illegal traffic*, the Supreme Court of Kansas held, Fineman et. al. vs. Sachs, that he was not entitled to the assistance of the Kansas courts in recovering the price of the liquors sold. The Court held, however, that mere knowledge of the illegal purpose of the buyer was not sufficient to invalidate the sale made in Missouri, which was in conformity with the laws of that State, but *that in order* to avoid a sale valid where made, it was necessary that the price of the liquors there must be some participation or interest of the seller in the illegal transaction.

The rule governing the liability of municipal corporations for creating or failing to remove a nuisance was laid down as follows by the Supreme Court of Texas in the case of Fort Worth vs. Crawford: If the nuisance grows out of acts done exclusively in the interest of the public, it is liable only for a careless or negligent execution of the duty, but, if on the other hand the acts out of which the nuisance originates are done for the private advantage of the municipal corporation, then, irrespective of the question of negligence, it will be liable for resulting injuries. In this case the court held that the establishment of a place for the burial or deposit of dead animals, garbage, excrement, etc., for the purpose of maintaining the sanitary condition of a city, was an act done for and in the interest of a city, and therefore for the public, and that in order to authorize recovery for a violation of ordinances of a city covering such offenses by an adjoining landowner, it was incumbent on him to show negligence on the part of the city in enforcing its ordinances.

YSEULT AND ROSSA.

MRS. DUDLEY MAKES IT UNPLEASANT FOR THE DYNAMITER.

She Taunts Him, Jeers Him, Hints Sarcasm at Him, and Appeals to Every Joy Incident to Court—The Defense to be Insanity.

NEW YORK, June 30.—At 11 o'clock the court officers escorted Mrs. Ysseult Dudley into the court of general sessions. She was in high feather. Her blooming English face and well-rounded form were set off by a gown of white lawn and a little white straw hat, wound with a scarf of fluffy tulle and a string of daisies. At her throat was a bow of black satin ribbon, and her plump little hands showed their whiteness through the meshes of drab silk gloves. She wielded a black feather fan as two grizzled and bulky court officers led her to the bar. Her big gray eyes were just ready to start at any uncompromising steel-bound spectacles until she reached the bar. Then she turned them on ex-Judge Fullerton, her counsel, and smiled and nodded as she fanned the blue shoulder with him and with A. C. Butts, her attorney, and then sat down and fanned herself. Rossa and Joyce sat behind her, and she did not see them. Capt. Lyndsay, *of the court squad, and Court Officer Colligan*, a mustached veteran of the Mexican war, sat beside her to hold her down if she should decide to become violent. She seemed to be pleased at this attention, and said something nice to each of them.

"How do you do, Colligan?" was one of her first inquiries of Colligan. "Ain't it just too lovely and summerlike for anything! I made it all myself, too, in the dressmaking class I attend, for the sake of dear old England, not to appear hope looking a dowdy. I don't look like one, do I?"

The old veteran said that she did not, and made a reply that pleased Mrs. Dudley, and she showed her white teeth in a smile.

A jury was selected without much trouble. The questions and the jurors answered the defense would be insanity.

When Assistant District Attorney Purdy had outlined the people's case in the opening, he called "Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa to the stand," and Mrs. Dudley gave a dramatic start and glared on Jerry, the alleged enemy of her country. He declined to glare on her.

"What is your name?" asked Mr. Purdy, after Rossa had been sworn.

"Jeremiah O'Donovan Rossa.

"*You hel!*" exclaimed Mrs. Dudley starting from her seat. "Where did you get the Rossa from?"

"What is your business?" Mr. Purdy asked, suavely ignoring Mrs. Dudley.

"Dynamiter" interjected Mrs. Dudley, before Rossa could make his reply. "Journalist," Mr. Fullerton whispered to Mrs. Dudley. She listened, smiled, bowed and sank back in her chair, again an embodiment of dignified repose.

On the last Friday afternoon in January last, Rossa said, a messenger boy brought to him in his office a message, written in a lady's hand to the effect that Mrs. Dudley, who resided near Rossa's office, would be pleased to have Rossa call on her. Rossa did so. He found a lady whom he believed to be Mrs. Dudley and a stranger Englishman and not merely blow up mercenary.

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She tucked again for a moment, and said:

"Oh, Jeremiah, I wish the ocean of England had a hold of you for one minute. But, after all, Jeremiah, it's the Irishmen that ought to hang you, for you've done the most harm there you've done."

Mr. Fullerton next read Rossa's editorial of thanksgiving for the explosions in the house and the tower, strewn being laid upon the wounding of sixteen persons.

Q.—Then you believed these explosions, which endangered the lives of tender women and children, as a triumph for the Irish cause? A.—I wrote that article.

Q.—Did you write it, Jeremiah, if I only had *you in England for a while, there'd be a* hemp necktie for you, sure.

Mrs. Dudley continued Mr. Butts, "how long were you with Mrs. Dudley at the first interview? Was it not an hour and a half, instead of about thirty minutes, as you have said?

"I don't think it was longer, do you?" and Rossa for the first time looked at Mrs. Dudley.

"You think" she exclaimed furiously. "You can't think. You haven't brains enough to think."

Mr. Fullerton, if anything, Mr. Rossa," asked Mr. Butts, "did Mrs. Dudley say at the first interview?"

"Well," replied Rossa unpitifully, "she said I was most desperate with. I want people killed.' She said that she and her husband weren't of the same way of thinking."

"That's like you and your wife, Jeremiah," sneered Mrs. Dudley.

Q.—Why didn't you get up when you fell down the sidewalk after Mr. Dudley's first shot?

A.—I tried to, but I couldn't; my limbs seemed to be paralyzed.

Mrs. Dudley—It was with fear, O'Donovan.

As Rossa stepped down from the witness stand Mrs. Dudley rose, and, pointing her gloved finger at him, cried:

"Down with dynamiters! God save the queen!"

Then she burst into laughter, and, pretending to mimic Rossa's voice and manner, whined: "For God's sake don't kill me!"

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GEN. LOGAN IN BOSTON.

HE IS ENTERTAINED AT DINNER AND MAKES A SPEECH.

Politics, Naturally, Form the Subject of It—Condemning the Democratic Interpretation of the Civil Service Law—Mrs. Logan Cheered.

BOSTON, June 30.—Gen. John A. Logan was dined last evening by the Norfolk club at the Hotel Vendome, in Commonwealth avenue. He arrived with Mrs. Logan and his sons from Portland early in the afternoon, and while in town is the guest of the club. This is an organization similar to the Bay State club, which last week entertained Vice-President Hendricks, but with this important difference. It is a Republican organization, while that is Democratic. It was organized two years ago, and is composed of Norfolk county Republicans. Its regular meetings during the season are held in this city. The dinner was preceded by a reception held in one of the parlors of the Parker house. Among those present were Senator Hoar, Governor Robinson, Congressmen Long, Ely and Ranney; President Pillsbury, of the state senate; Speaker Brackett, Henry Cabot Lodge, ex-Governor Bourne, Alanson W. Beard, chairman of the Republican state committee; Congressman Spooner, of Rhode Island; ex-Governor Bourn, of Rhode Island, and a great number of politicians. Mrs. Logan came into the reception room for about fifteen minutes, and cordially greeted her Washington acquaintances and the ladies who were presented to her. Three cheers were given for her as "the smartest woman in America," and cheers accompanied the husband as he marched to the dining hall.

About 230 sat down at the table, and though the enthusiasm was somewhat less pronounced than it was at the dinner last Thursday, the rhetorical quality of the after dinner speaking was decidedly higher. The ideas expressed were generally the old ones of supporting the Republican party and opposing Democratic hostility to civil service reform, and Republican devotion to it. The speakers were: Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, president of the club, who presided; Governor Robinson, Gen. Logan, Senator Hoar, ex-Governor Bourne, Mr. Beard, Mr. Lodge and ex-Governor Long. The Democratic party ridiculed Mr. Hendricks' ideas of civil service reform. Governor Robinson's speech was brief and mainly devoted to a eulogy of Gen. Logan. Mr. Lodge surprised the company by *producing a manuscript, from which he* read a eulogy upon the New England spirit, as exemplified in the work of Story, Hawthorne, Longfellow, Theodore Parker, Longfellow, Whittier, Prescott, Motley and Bancroft. He said the Republican party had been the friend of popular education, and would continue to do so. He continued: "It seems to me that the present might be an opportune time to carry out the object, as in the days of Horace Mann, to have the government came into power demanding that there should be reform in all things necessary for the betterment of our people. If our people could there be instituted that that every American should be protected in every right guaranteed by the constitution and the laws. Civil service reform is the child of the Republican party (Applause), but unfortunately for it it has been forced to nurse with a stranger (Applause), and if not dead now looks sick unto death. (Applause.) The law is now being construed to the effect that a person has since the 4th of March last, on the last election commit the crime against the public service. The democratic party, the offensive partisan in the Republican, *the offensive partisan in the Democrat. Do* we not see today the civil service principle twisted, warped and most wretchedly defaced. Where are the pledges that were promised, redeemed? For one, I object to the prostitution of the public service in the name of reform and the people. Tear away that mask, and let the world see the haggard face of Democracy come forth. The Republican party is not dead, and will be returned to power by the people. Protection to our homes and free labor demands it; the restoration of true civil service reform demand it; adequate appropriations for the navy demand it; schools wherever needed demands it; the promoting of our home industries demand it; it the necessity for the enforcement of the right of every citizen to cast his ballot and have the same fairly counted at all national elections, demands it."

Senator Hoar criticized the foreign appointments of President Cleveland in sharp language. He said there was Mr. Pendleton, who was a civil service reformer. He had sent his name to a bill which Dorman B. Eaton had matured. Pendleton and Cox both filibustered against the filibustering amendment. Pendleton, more than any other man west of the Massachusetts line, was the author and supporter of the flat money scheme. For this he was sent to Berlin. Then there was Cox, who served God in the minority rather than serve Baal with the Democrats and Mugwumps, even though they were in the majority.

Mr. Lodge also condemned the Democratic civil service policy.

The Sharon Divorce Case Again.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 30.—The supreme court of this state decided that ex-Senator Sharon can appeal from the decision of the superior court, granting Sarah A. Sharon, now Hill, divorce, alimony and counsel fees. The decision stipulates that no alimony shall be paid pending the filing of an appeal. Sharon's side are much elated and Gen. Barnes, chief counsel for Sharon, is confident. Attorney Dudley Evans, reporter, says the decision virtually disposes of the case, as it will now be tried before another and impartial judge and he decided on its merits according to the wording of the decision, lawyers say it puts Sarah on the offensive, for if Sharon does not appeal for a new trial she will be compelled to, as all proceedings will stop unless appeal is taken. Under any circumstances it is now conceded that the back bone of the conspiracy is broken and that Mr. Sharon victory complete. Sharon states that he will bring criminal action against Sarah and her co-conspirators.

A Disastrous Thunder Storm.

WOODSOCKET, R. I., June 30.—A severe thunder storm did considerable damage. The Globe cotton mills were struck and cotton in the picker room fired. The flames were soon extinguished. Seventeen telephones and four electric clocks were destroyed. The residence of B. A. Partridge, in Woonsocket, and of Ranaliar Mowry, in Manville, were damaged $100 each. Two Swedish employes of the Rubber works were knocked insensible. The storm lasted two hours.

The B. and O.'s New Road.

PHILADELPHIA, June 30.—At a special meeting of the common council, the ordinances granting the right of way to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company through this city were passed finally. The ordinances will be submitted to the mayor, and if he approves them they will become operative immediately.

MITCHELL MEETS BURKE.

After Seven Rounds the Fight Declared a Draw.

CHICAGO, June 30.—Seven thousand people assembled to witness the six-round contest between Mitchell and Burke. Charles Mitchell and Jack Burke. Over half an hour was spent in selecting a referee. Harry Palmer was finally decided upon. Fully 5 minutes in the first round was spent in sparring for an opening. Burke was first to make a landing, it being a light right-hander on Mitchell's breast. The round was then, but somewhat tamely, fought out. The second and third rounds were a succession of *clinches, with some sharp exchanges, mostly* counters, and Mitchell seemed to have rather the best of it. In the third round Burke claimed a foul, but it was disallowed. In the fourth round Mitchell apparently adopted the Sullivan "rush" tactics, and opened up the liveliest round of the fight by planting left and right in Burke's stomach. The fifth round was almost a duplicate of the second and third, Mitchell getting the leading being the order of the day. Burke once nearly down, but recovered his balance, and terminated the round with a hot left-hander on Mitchell's jaw.

The last round was uneventful. Mitchell, however, planted one of his celebrated upper cuts under Burke's chin, eliciting a grunt from the latter. It was a clean hit, though. The usual clinching followed, and the round and fight terminated with the men sparring out of reach. The referee declared the fight a draw, which drew hearty hisses and counter-plaudits from the partisans of each man. The crowd demanded another round, but the pugilists had already taken more than their share of their dressing rooms. The general opinion seemed to be that Mitchell had somewhat the best of the contest.

Brighton Beach.

NEW YORK, June 30.—The first race at Brighton Beach was a selling race for maidens of 3 years and upwards, over a mile: Sir Peter first, Hawthorne second, Borneo third. Time, 1:48¾.

The second race was also a selling race of a mile: Hotchkinsie first, Mart Borham second, Tunis third. Time, 1:49¼.

The third race was a mile race of a mile: *Emmet first*, Rocket second, *Transit* third. Time, 1:49.

The fourth race was the Brighton Beach Railroad stakes, a selling steeplechase of a mile and three furlongs: Blue Peter first, Nettle second, Tilford third. Time, 2:33¼.

The fifth race was for all ages, over a mile and a furlong: Fortuna first, Barnum second, Wave of Light third. Time, 2:01¾.

Baseball.

At Detroit: Detroit, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 2, 0, 0—4; New York, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0—1.

At Buffalo: Buffalo, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 2, 1—5; Providence, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0—0.

At St. Louis: St. Louis, 2, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0—3; Philadelphia, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0—2.

At Chicago: Chicago, 2, 4, 0, 2, 1, 4, 1, 0, 0—14; Boston, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 0, 7, 0—10.

At Philadelphia: Athletic, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 7, 0, 0—11; Baltimore, 1, 2, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 3, 1—12.

At Washington: National, 4, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0—7; Trenton, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0—2.

At Pittsburg: Allegheny, 2, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0—3; Louisville, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0—3.

At Brooklyn: Brooklyn, 1, 0, 3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0—4; Metropolitan, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0—0.

LEFT FOR PARTS UNKNOWN.

Remarkable Operations of "The Merchant Prince of the Prairies."

OMAHA, Neb., June 30.—L. S. Smith, who acquired the sobriquet of "The Merchant Prince of the Prairies," paid his bill at a local hotel checked his trunk for variously reported points, and left for parts unknown Saturday. He owes $2,000 in this city, and him. Smith came here eight months ago from Chicago. He had $75,000 which he invested in the dry goods business, of which he was apparently wholly ignorant. He at once began running mammoth excursions into the city from distant points, purchasing the space necessary for the sale in daily papers, and performing other like feats. His prices reduced other merchants to a point where they were forced to close or follow suit. He also ran excursions for pedestrians, gave open-air musical concerts for the poor, played poker extensively, and speculated in the Chicago grain pits. Some time ago it was discovered that he did not go much further without help, and his creditors placed men here to watch matters. These men have decided to close the lodge. At a late hour on Saturday night Smith transferred his stock to Cole & Co., a new firm in the city, the consideration being $30,000 and $10,000 in three months. Smith said little about his business and took his manager with him when he left. J. V. Wheeler, one of Smith's chief local creditors, their credit to him being about $25,000.

No Wholesale Removals of Clerks.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—The impression that wholesale removals will be made among the executive departments on the last of July, the beginning of the next fiscal year, is not fully confirmed by surface indications thus far developed. Chief clerkships in the treasury department the new director of the mint displaces Mr. Burroughs on that date, and several assistant chiefs of divisions take their places on the sixth and seventh of July. The bureau of engraving and printing some reduction of force is expected. At the state, war and navy departments some few changes may be made, but they will be insignificant both in number and grade. There are no indications at either the postoffice or interior departments that there will be an indiscriminate slaughter of official heads. Postmaster General Vilas said he knew of no unusual slaughter to occur on the 1st. At the department of the interior it is a matter of engraving and printing some reduction of force is expected. At the state, war and navy departments some few changes may be made, but they will be insignificant both in number and grade. There are no indications at either the postoffice or interior departments that there will be an indiscriminate slaughter of official heads. Postmaster General Vilas said he knew of no unusual slaughter to occur on the 1st. At the department the 1st will be a general cleaning out is without foundation. At the department of justice two new examiners of claims will be appointed. Assistant Attorney General Maury will assume the duties of their offices.

Mr. D. A. Foster, of Ohio, and J. M. Haskell, of Maryland, successors, who were confirmed on the 4th of March when the examiners' force was reduced from seven to four, have been reappointed and will take the places of Ralph Keim and Mr. Bingham, whose terms resigned. A new general agent for this department will also be appointed.

Hackin Again in Court.

CHICAGO, June 30.—Joseph C. Hackin was again before the criminal court on a charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed before the grand jury in connection with the ballot-box frauds at the election of 1884. Emory A. Storrs, moved for a change of venue on the ground that the prejudice existed in the citizens of Cook county. Mr. Storrs stated that the press had so assailed his character that the public mind had become fixed against him. Judge Gary, however, denied the motion for a change of venue, and the work of securing a jury was commenced.

Kelley will Go to Vienna.

WASHINGTON, June 30.—The statement called from London on the authority of the Vienna correspondent of The Times, that the appointment of Kelley to be minister to Austria had been withdrawn, is officially denied.

THE NEXT SENSATION.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S DEATH EXPECTED TO FURNISH IT.

That Event Supposed to be Near—It Is Announced Lord Salisbury to Take Office, and May Prove of Immense Benefit to Him.

LONDON, June 30.—The death of Emperor William promises to be the next great sensation in Europe. Preparations and plans are being taken to prevent the sending of any telegrams revealing his real condition, but private letters are not subject to the official censorship and they give much discouraging forecasts that the hours of his death is daily expected. In official circles in England the death of the aged kaiser is looked upon as an event of the very near future, and the extent to which this affliction is calculated upon and discounted seems surprising and foreboding. Its immediate political effect will be to bind Germany and England together in a very close union. The crown princess of England will be the empress of Germany, and the reigning emperor is known as an affectionate friend of the Prince of Wales and of the queen. Nothing more opportune for the new king's power in Germany could possibly occur. *With an Anglo-German alliance firmly established* the difficulties in the way of England's foreign policy would disappear as if by magic and the Salisbury ministry would get the credit of results which require a dispensation of Providence. It is rumored that at the end of the week, that upon the very highest circles of the two realms before Lord Salisbury finally consented to take office, and that its very largely influenced his decision. There is no doubt in the secret treaty of Windsor that had really more to do with the changes in the administration than the ostensible reasons promises made by Mr. Gladstone. According to this story the Crown Princess Victoria assured her mother that the death of the emperor was only a question of a few weeks, that upon the accession of Frederick William to the imperial throne of Germany the influence of Prince Bismarck would cease to be a predominant and disturbing element in European politics, and that if England would heartily support the colonizing enterprises of Germany in Africa and Frederick William's pet fads, there would be no obstacle to an Anglo-German alliance as against Russia in Afghanistan, France in Egypt, and the foes of royalty in England everywhere. All this *being represented to Lord Salisbury opened* up to him a prospect of being able to straighten out the foreign relations, which have been in a seemingly hopeless tangle by Gladstone, to safeguard the British empire in India, to retain control of Egypt, to generally to restore the imperial prestige of England throughout the world. With these results accomplished, or shown to be in a fair way of being accomplished, the tories could go before the country in November with a good chance of reversing the present Liberal majority, and of making their tenure of office permanent. It was on this line of argument, it is said, which not only decided Lord Salisbury to accept the office of premier, but caused him to insist on the unprecedented course of combining with it the office of secretary of state for foreign affairs, so as to keep the delicate negotiations of the next few weeks or months carefully within his own control.

The Earl of Carnarvon and Sir William Hart Dyke, the new viceroy and chief secretary for Ireland, will leave the entrance into Dublin in the quietest fashion imaginable. Not a single soldier or policeman was detailed to escort them. They will drive from the *railway station to Dublin castle over the* route which only last Saturday was bristling with bayonets and swarming with detectives on account of the safety of the retiring viceroy, Earl Spencer. The contrast between tea old and new regimes was very noticeable, and has already produced a good impression in Irish political circles.

The first meeting of the privy council under the new administration will be held with the queen at Osborne House, Victoria's favorite residence. Various appointments will be made in the cabinet. Mr. Randolph Churchill and Mr. Corrie Grant for election to parliament from Woodstock has begun in earnest, and the week promises to be a busy one. Lord Randolph and his fellow electors of the little borough. The Liberal leaders did not desire to oppose the re-election of Lord Randolph Churchill, but the Radicals insisted upon making a fight. Lord Randolph has not yet gone near the scene of the battle, and does not intend to take any active part in the contest. Mrs. Randolph, however, is on the ground and is making the most vigorous kind of a fight in her husband's behalf. Lord Randolph intends to get the credit of the victory if one is achieved, and if she succeeds she is certain to return to London the lioness of the season. Sir Edward J. Reed, formerly of the New York, arrived on the Adriatic and may be able to furnish some help from his knowledge of American electioneering methods.

Rubber Men on Strike.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., June 30.—The bootmakers and cutters in the Millville branch of the Woonsocket Rubber company, numbering 400, struck to get back pay earned before the last cut, and which was promised them at the time of the strike last winter, before resuming work. Superintendent Hall states that they wish the vulgar and profane language used by overseers to employee to be abolished and a more gentlemanly conduct substituted. Also that members belonging to the Knights of Labor, a society organized among the bootmakers and cutters, shall not be discharged except for cause. The strikers say that they are now prepared to remain out until their demands are granted.

CONDENSED NEWS.

At Beaver Dam, Wis., the brewery and residence of E. Stiles were burned, and three of his children, aged 13, 9 and 6, perished in the flames.

At Gananoque, Ont., on Saturday, the wife of Dr. Fraleigh, a prominent physician, threw herself in the river with her babe in her arms. Both were drowned.

The London police have ascertained that an American revolver and Remington rifle cartridges were used to effect the explosion in the house of parliament.

William Robinson, aged 16, and a lad aged 10 were drowned while bathing in Hilliard's mill pond, in Salisbury township, Pa. Hilliard lost his life in endeavoring to save the younger lad.

The census of Buffalo just taken by the police shows the total population to be 306,888. The United States census of 1880 gave a total population of 155,134.

The committee formed in the interests of Riel and Metis have decided to ask the government to pay for the production at the trial of all the witnesses that Riel's counsel may summon.

R. W. Blair, aged 30, was found dead in bed at the boarding house of Mrs. Lee, Eutaw street, Baltimore. He fell from the window of his room, on the third floor, striking through the outside door. His skull was fractured.

HEIR TO $35,000,000.

Another Large Fortune in England, Said to Be Waiting to Be Claimed.

BOSTON, June 30.—Thomas J. Mulby, of this city, has received information from the intendent of the North End Industrial school and will go to Newfoundland and long to England, to look after the Churchill estate, as he is one of the principal heirs. The estate is said to be valued at $35,000,000, and is in money and real estate. Over 150 years ago Richard Churchill came to Newfoundland as I suggest in the whale and cod fisheries. He was very prosperous and invested his surplus earnings in real estate in England and other investments. At his death, about twenty years ago, he left all his property, amounting to some $10,000,000 or $12,000,000 to his daughter, Elizabeth Churchill, a wealthy and lady living in England. Although she had many suitors Elizabeth would accept none of them and lived and died without marrying.

Many curious stories of her eccentric habits are told. She was a good business woman and added largely to the property left by her father. During the latter years of her life she was an invalid, but retained her mental faculties to the last. She died in 1878 at the age of 100 years. She left no will, and as she was supposed to be without living relatives, it was thought that the vast property would revert to the crown. After the death of Miss Churchill it came to Mr. Mulby, and he at once began to make investigation. It took some time to establish the pedigree of the family, but now made out a clear case. Mrs. Mulby, the mother to the claimant, was a niece to Nicholas Churchill, and cousin to Elizabeth, so both are heirs. Mr. Mulby's records have been searched and dates and names copied and arranged so the American family have little doubt of success. In this belief Mulby is supported by several lawyers in this city. Mr. Mulby goes to Newfoundland, and, after making a brief call for his history, will depart for England, from whence he hopes to return bearing the fortune which is awaiting him. He speaks of the task as a gigantic one, but one which he will undertake with joy. *There are eight relatives of the ancient fisherman* living in this country, and they have dedicated Mr. Mulby to look after their joint interests.

The heir apparent and representative of the claimants is a tall, dark man, with even features

CAGING THE INSANE.

DIFFICULTIES OF CONFINING LUNATICS WITHOUT VIOLENCE.

Interesting Chat with a Superintendent of an Insane Department—Necessity of Delicate Diplomacy in Managing the Demented.

[Philadelphia Times.]

Dr Richardson, the superintendent of the insane department of the alms-house, was in a chatty mood. He had been speaking about the "caging of the insane, relating some of their queer delusions, and drifted into a narrative on the methods employed to induce patients to enter asylums. "As a rule," he said, "the insane must be handled in an exceedingly careful manner. *An insane person is abnormally suspicious*, and is constantly endeavoring to circumvent those who he imagines have concocted schemes against him. Of course all the insane do not believe they are the victims of conspiracies, but the great majority imagine that they are. There is a wonderful excitation about the insane. Their perceptions are kept acute but are ordinarily directed in a wrong channel. It is often a difficult matter to get an insane person into an asylum when it is desirable to avoid the employment of force.

DELICATE DIPLOMACY NECESSARY.

"The greatest diplomacy, the most careful consideration is usually imperative. For example a family discovers a member to have become a lunatic and feel the necessity of having him or her treated as an institution specially devoted to such a purpose. One of the most abhorrent things to human being is insanity and a reflection of devitalized mental forces or a suspicion of weakened intellect, expressed in a word or a glance, is enough sometimes to totally unbalance a wavering brain. It is frequently best to inform the patient that he needs treatment, and perhaps humor him to go. An overworked brain or a diseased intellect is usually conscious of failing power and is the more sensitive and jealous watcher the actions of those who are near, endeavoring at all times to prevent the success of plans believed to have been laid to entrap them.

"It is best as regards to patient that they need treatment and if they are not too far gone they are tractable. I have had hundreds who spoke to me that they realized the fact that their brain was decaying and wondered if they could be restored to health.

RATHER BE HANGED.

"But when a person becomes well pronounced it is almost always a difficult matter to persuade the patient to enter an asylum. You will read that an insane person on trial for murder will almost invariably try to show that he is perfectly sane. Frank Daily, who killed Armstrong about five years ago, was undoubtedly insane, as the jury found. But he went to jail me before I took the witness stand not to swear that I thought him insane. I would plead with him that it was the only hope of safety, but all to no purpose. He would rather have been convicted, I believe, and sentenced to be hanged than have the rest under the condition of mental deficiency. It is frequently the case," continued the doctor, "that persons who believe they are the victims of conspiracies come here and endeavor to outwit their enemies. We have a dozen or more volunteer detectives who are busy watching other patients in the belief that schemes are afoot to injure themselves or their families.

SANE PERSONS NOT CONFINED.

"In this country it is next to impossible to have sane affairs as Charlie Reade pictures. I do not think that in some states a person may be confined for a time in an asylum when not really insane, but permanency of imprisonment is next to impossible. The system in Philadelphia, where two physicians have to certify to the lunacy of the patient, prevents an unjust confinement. Though being paupers, as a rule, there is little occasion for fraud. Naturally persons will not willingly submit to unjust confinement but devices are used to fool them on and flatter them into a certain result.

SIGN OF A WEAK MIND.

"Susceptibility to flattery is almost always an indication of a weak mind, and a brain being impressible is accredited to a smooth tongue. One of our female patients, who is ugly as an aged boa-lie, was allured to the hospital after she had given unmistakable signs of insanity by being told that a number of gentlemen, members of a club in the vicinity, had sworn to remove themselves from society on account of her barbhearted refusal to recognize their gallantries. She stands for hours every day at a window to give her forlorn admirers a look and waves as if not will be bold enough to demand the recognition he craves.

"We have an individual here who gave a good deal of trouble to his friends before he could be brought in. He was a wealthy old fellow, and it was not necessary to bring him in by force, but he was persistent in trying to escape before he came here. He was fond of painting, however, and pretty soon a score or so of persons would talk to him every day of his work of art and now he could not be induced to leave.

CARRIAGE RIDES TO BEDLAM.

"You want to know how most insane persons are induced to enter asylum? Well, a carriage drive is a good means. Everybody likes to drive, and in driving conversation is nearly always enjoyed. An intellectual discussion is pleasing to the demented, and like to hide their deficiency, even if they are aware of it, and it is easy enough to induce a visit to public institutions, where a study of character of habits can be made. Of course the patient's delusions must be considered when an attempt is made to bring him to an asylum and he must be humored. It would be an endless task to write all the means employed, but it is enough to say that good judgment must govern."

Florence Marryat's Light-Haired Heroes.

[New York Times.]

"Why are your heroes always light haired?" asked a New York adjuror of Miss Marryat, the novelist, a few evenings ago. "Chiefly because they are not light-haired," was the reply. "When I write, I write about somebody—somebody I've seen, somebody I've known. Dark-haired men have been the models for the Supreme me; changing the hue of their hair has been one means I've used to cover up my personalities."

Will Always Tell.

[Detroit Free Press.]

A tin peddler who disappeared from his route in Kentucky seventeen years ago, and whose whereabouts has been found several times since, turns up in Nebraska all right and well. Low prices and good goods will always tell.

Hawaii's Silk Worm Culture.

[Chicago Herald.]

The silk worm culture in Hawaii is stated to have been all but wholly abandoned in consequence of stringent Sunday laws, which prohibit the gathering of mulberry leaves or the feeding of the worms on that day.

Whence to Mexico.

The Masonic fraternity is very strong in Mexico, despite the Catholic tendencies of the people and government.

BEECHER'S WONDERFUL ELOCUTION.

Story of an Episode at a Certain Plymouth Church Prayer Meeting.

[New York Cor. Chicago Herald.]

Now, here is a perfectly true anecdote, not heretofore published, and it was told to me by a leader of Plymouth church, right after last Sunday's evolution sermon by Beecher. I had asked whether the congregation would stay with the pastor if he made a new and further departure from orthodoxy, and he replied that Beecher's emotional power over them was equal to *any requirement*.

"Having height of what has gone into history as the Beecher scandal," he continued, "it was at one juncture the toss up of a cent whether he was to stay in or out. The proofs against him at that juncture seemed absolutely conclusive, and his most intimate and steadfast friends could make no argument, but assent their blind faith. Most of us subsequently thought that the trial cleared him, but it was not so when at a certain Friday evening prayer meeting, the atmosphere was fairly chilled by doubts and outright condemnation. Beecher took his usual seat on the low platform—his remains were standing that he seldom so let looked round the assemblage he appeared to me for *the moment* to be crushed by the situation. Dejection and sorrow were expressed in every line of his strong face.

"He slowly turned the leaves of the Bible to select a passage of Scripture to read. His choice was that famous psalm of consolation and faith, beginning 'The Lord is my shepherd: I shall not want.' His eyes were not on the page, and throughout it was a recitation from memory, not a reading. There was an almost piteous tone of appeal in the utterance of the sentence, as though it was his prayer for the fulfillment of a divine purpose, rather than a declaration of confidence. Then he went on quietly, fervently, as though somewhat reminiscent of past religious sweetness in his experience. 'He maketh me to lie down in *green pastures*. He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul.' Into the succeeding sentence he lapsed, as clearly as though he had interpolated an explicit assertion of his personal rectitude, a spirit of bold self-vindication. He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.' The accused preacher's head was now held high, his voice was declamatory, and something of defiance was in his mien.

"But after a silent moment, his aspect changed utterly, in uttering that the weight of his trouble had been lifted for an instant, only to return crushingly. Tears came into his eyes, and his voice was tremulous as he prayed: 'Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me.' Again a pause, with ensuing exultation: 'Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.' By this time tears were dropping from half the eyes in the house, and the sobs of deeply-affected women were heard. Beecher is a poor reader. His part in the recent authors' exhibition was disappointingly tame, so bad was his elocution. But this was impulsive, emotional, with those qualities which make his impassioned preaching so wondrously effective.

"The final lines were delivered in a climax of quivering agitation. 'Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.' That psalm won the case for Beecher so far as his own people were concerned."

Raymond and the Baggage-Master.

[Philadelphia Times.

After one of the drummers had told a story and Clerk Howe had tried to go him one better, Raymond told a story about how he made the acquaintance of a baggage-master in Old City.

"I went up the platform to the baggage-car as soon as the train stopped," said the latter, "and just as I got to the baggage-car the baggage-master came out of my trunks a toss that nearly broke it apart. I was very indignant, and threatened to report him. He turned around in a deliberate way, and looked at me from head to foot. Then he said to me:

"'Say you—humfather, why don't you mind your business.'

"I was going to strike him" went on the actor, "and just as I drew off to strike, he took hold of my arm and said:

"'Say, old man, don't forget this is Saturday night, and that you're a stranger in a strange town.'

"He was right. I hadn't thought of that. I'd have been locked up and would have had to be in jail all day Sunday. I have never forgotten that baggage-master, and every time I go to Old City he gets two of the best seats in the house. He is my theatre's best friend in the baggage-master."

"Why?" asked a chorus of voices.

"Because he can save your baggage; he can hurry it along or delay it, or he will—but it all to pieces in no time. I've found out that it's best to keep on the right side of the baggage-masters. They're among the best friends I've got on the road."

City Life in Madagascar.

[Lieut. Shufeldt, U. S. Navy.]

In Antananarivo, the capital of Madagascar, no public means of conveyance of any kind is known except the "palanquin," borne on the backs of slaves, generally employed by the foreign residents of the Antranas and persons of high rank and caste. At the clock of gun from the palace yard is fired, and all is hushed in repose; the deathly silence of a tropical night only broken by the sing-song hail of the native sentries about the town.

The principal occupation of the mass of the population seems to be always walking the streets or sitting wrapped closely in their white lambas, leaning on the benches against every convenient wall and dreaming the dull hours away. Sometimes a great "kabary," or public meeting, excites them to greater zeal, or to more congregation and gesticulation; and on Fridays, the capital market day, great crowds of them press into the plain to the south of the city devoted to that purpose. At all other times they seem to have but little to do or interest them.

Must Take His Chances.

[Lime-Kiln Club.]

A communication from Sir Frisbis Smith, of London, Ont., was then announced. The honorable gentleman announced that he had started out with a new brand of porous plasters, three sorts of writing fluid and a sure cure for sore heel, intending to work his way to Detroit, but having sold two bottles of ink at once, he had been arrested under the Canadian wholesale law and sent to jail for thirty days. Would the Lime-Kiln Club lend him $20 to bribe the jailer and secure his liberty?

Brother Gardner laid the communication on the stove, and observed that if Canadian jailers did not do business on the credit system Sir Frisbie would have to serve his time. The meeting then adjourned.

Valuable Silver Dollars.

[Exchange.]

United States silver dollars of 1790, having five stars on the side toward which the head faces, are very rare, and are worth from $250 to $400; if six stars, $150 to $200. Much depends upon the condition of the coin and the eagerness of the buyer.

LATEST by WIRE and CABLE

THIS AFTERNOON.

Strike of Street Car Men.

CHICAGO, June 30.—At four o'clock this morning all the conductors and drivers of the West Division street railway went on a strike. They gathered in force at all the barns to prevent the company from running out cars. The West Division Company operates half a score of lines, traversing by far the largest and most populous portion of the city. The inhabitants of this vast section were without means of transportation down town this morning, as not a car was in motion. The greatest inconvenience is being felt, but the sympathies of the public are with the strikers. The origin of the trouble *leading to the strike was the men's complaint* against a superintendent and demand for his removal. The company refused, but a few days ago the company discharged several old employees, for no other apparent reason than that they were leaders in promoting discontent among the men. At a meeting held last night, the men determined to strike to-day, unless the dismissed employees were reinstated. A committee waited upon the officers of the company yesterday with notices to this effect which was torn up in their presence without even being read. At a meeting at midnight the men were very indignant, and determined, finally to go out this morning. Superintendent Lake of the Company published a card this morning averring that the men were discharged for cause and that, until such a strike was to be declared, the company must stand it rather than yield to the impertinent and unreasonable demand of the men.

A New Appointment.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30.—The appointment of J. B. McGregor, for many years an employe of the Cincinnati division of the Treasury, and now Assistant and Acting Chief, will be announced to day or to-morrow as Chief of that division vice James resigned. The appointment is on strict administrative reform principles and is generally commended.

The New Italian Ministry.

ROME, June 30.—Signor Depretis has formed a new ministry assuming the office of Minister of Foreign affairs ad interim in addition to the duties of Premier. Signor Taijani has accepted the portfolio of Minister of Justice. Otherwise the cabinet remains as before.

The Gallia's Shaft Broken.

QUEENSTOWN, June 30.—The steamship Gallia of the Cunard line, reported overdue, was signaled on Thursday last. Her shaft was broken, and she was being towed by another steamer. She is expected to reach this port during the current week.

In consequence of the increasing demand of the people to have their clothing MADE TO ORDER I have concluded to give up the Ready Made department and devote my attention exclusively to the Merchant Tailoring. This will enable me to keep the largest assortment of these goods ever in Plainfield. Therefore to make room for a much larger stock of piece goods I offer for sale about $5,000.00 worth of Men's Youths and Boys' Clothing at the manufacturer's prices, and I will guarantee to sell 25 per cent. less than any clothing store can afford to sell the same goods. This clothing must be sold before September 1, 1885, to make room for the new order of business. Terms Cash

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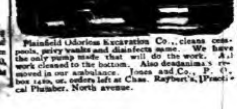

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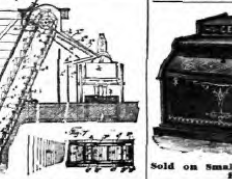

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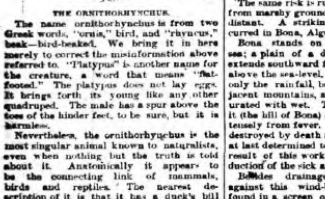
SCIENCE AND PROGRESS

A Whistle-Pig.

An old parchment has been revived and sent traveling the pounds about a wonderful creature that had recently been discovered in Australia. It was a duck-mole, as the paragraph said. Its head a bill like a duck, and laid eggs like a bird, but suckled its young like a mammal. The mate of this species had spurs, like a cock, and the duck-mole themselves any living creature the blow was fatal, for the spur was poisonous.

Most of which is sheer lies.

The animal in question is not newly discovered. Its picture appears in the last two editions of Webster's pictorial dictionary. We give here also a very good illustration of this curious creature.



THE ORNITHORHYNCHUS.

The name ornithorynchus is from two Greek words, "ornis," bird, and "rhynchus," beak—bird-beaked. We bring it in here merely to correct the misinformation above referred to. "Platypus" is another name for the creature, a word that means "flat-footed." The platypus does not lay eggs. It brings forth its young like any other quadruped. The male has a spur above the toes of the hinder feet, to be sure, but it is harmless.

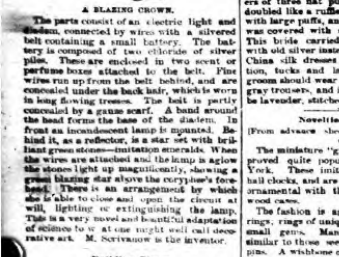
Nevertheless, the ornithorhynchus is the most singular animal known to naturalists, even when nothing but the truth is told about it. Anatomically it appears to be the connecting link of mammals, birds and reptiles. The nearest description of it is that it looks a duck's bill and webbed paws, with the body of a giant mole. At the same time there are peculiarities at its skeleton that are plainly reptilian. It belongs most decidedly, however, to the family of mammals, with which it is to be classed. It is amphibious in its habits, like the muskrat and other animals living in and out of water along the banks of pools and streams. Its nest is built underground on the bank at the end of a long, burrowed-out passageway. This passageway has been found as long as forty-five feet, though its usual length is about ten. It ends in a hole excavated with soft leaves. The long, narrow entrance is itself strewn with leaves. The nest has two entrances—one below water, the other above. The ornithorhynchus feeds on beetles and in echs. It digs in the mud for them. It is a timid, wild creature, hard to find, and still harder to catch. At rest it assumes the attitude on the right of the picture, either tucker up in a ball or lying lazily on its back.

The ornithorhynchus belongs to the lowest order of mammals. When first discovered the skin of one was sent to England. It was thought to be a good joke, the mole-skin with a duck's bill. Learned scientists would not believe but it had been manufactured to trap them. They had finally to give in to it, as they have had to in many other things, before and since. The animal is smaller now than a foot and a half long, and is covered with soft, reddish-brown fur. The body is rather flattened, like that of a beaver, and the hind feet are turned backward.

The natives of Australia are very fond of platypus meat. They wait around the banks of streams to spear it when it appears above water.

The Electric Queen.

Here is a picture of the belt and electric diadem sometimes worn by belted girls in splendid stage scenes, especially in Paris. The invention originated there.



A BLAZING CROWN.

The parts consist of an electric light and battery, connected by wires with a silvered belt containing a small battery. The battery is composed of two chlorate of silver piles. These are enclosed in two scent or perfume boxes attached to the belt. Fine wires run up from the belt behind, and are concealed under the back hair, which is worn in long flowing tresses. The belt is partly concealed by a gauze scarf. A band around the head forms the base of the diadem. In front an incandescent lamp is mounted. Behind it, as a reflector, is a star set with brilliant gems, sometimes imitation emeralds. When the wires are attached and the lamp is aglow the stones light up magnificently, showing a great blazing star above the curly head of the head. There is an arrangement by which she is able to close and open the circuit at will, lighting or extinguishing the lamp. This is a very novel and beautiful adaptation of science to wear one night well call decorative art. M. Scrivanow is the inventor.

Building Places.

"Climate is the most important single factor in the 'environment' of one's dwelling place, but we cannot, all of us, command it. The most important single element in it we can have with fair accuracy, with respect to any given place, by knowing the temperature of the perennial springs, which gives nearly the average temperature of the year. This, and note of the dates when flowers blossom and fruits ripen, will give a better idea of the climate of a place than you are likely to get from a table of figures.

"The temperature of a given region is, however, generally that of a large adjacent country, and therefore it is not a thing to be selected quite at will by many. Those who can choose will often choose a foreign climate, while, for better or for worse, most of us must accept the conditions of heat or cold which are common to a vast area, for the climate of the entire eastern and central states is re-cast ally the same thing. But the choice of other conditions, as winds, exposure, rainfall, adjacent regions, elevation, may frequently be made within much narrower limits.

"Winds—World over, the prevailing winds in the temperate zone are westerly. In western European countries the exposure of the house should be preferable to the east, for instance cause the driest winds; but that is less an object in our dry climate.

"Air coming from over the sea is generally moister than that coming over land, and it is free from malaria. For some distance from the shore it contains salt, but in such very small quantity as not to be medicinal. People sometimes speak of the sea air as being "too strong" for them. The phrase is meaningless; what they intend to say is that it is too cool and moist.

"Chances of air" is another commonly-used phrase of little meaning. As Dr. Frank Hamilton says, "a change of air is of less importance a change of scene, unless it be a change from an impure to a pure air. The air is charged every time the direction of the wind is changed."

The higher the elevation the purer the air, as a rule; but to this there are exceptions. A valley may be the conduit of malarious disease. A house built at the head of a ravine, thousands of feet above the sea-level, and the occupants feel perfectly safe from any air-borne malady. Yet during the summer time they may be stricken down with malaria, or, as happened at Newcastle, Jamaica, in 1856 and 1857, with yellow fever. How may this happen? The ravine below the buildings, filled with decaying vegetation, acted as a funnel or upward-shoot for the ascending current of air, which carried the bad malaria to the buildings 2,500 feet above sea-level. At a moderate distance from the head of the ravine those buildings would have been safe.

"The same risk is run when the wind blows from marshy ground, even though it may be distant. A striking instance of this occurred in Bona, Algeria.

Bona stands on a hill overlooking the sea; a plain of a deep, rich vegetable soil extends southward from it, but little raised above the sea-level. The plain receives not only the rainfall, but the water from adjacent mountains, and is consequently saturated with wet. The population living on it (the hill of Bona) and near it suffered intensely from fever. Entire regiments were destroyed by death and inefficiency. It was at last determined to drain the plain. The result of this work was an immediate reduction of the sick and death rate.

Besides drainage, another protection against this wind-borne malaria may be found in a screen of growing wood. This, indeed, will give more safety than a position miles away or thousands of feet high to leeward.

The rainfall of the region is a question of practical interest; for, as Douglas Galton says, "the moisture in the soil depends upon the amount and the mode of incidence of the rainfall. As a rule, rainfall is the parent of the ground water."

Facts of Interest.

Vaseline used in shortening pastry is injurious to health.

Cardinal Pitri, a high dignitary at the papal court, advises the clergy to cultivate science.

The Monbuttus, a red-skinned race of cannibals in Central Africa, are far superior intellectually and physically to the black tribes around them who do not eat human flesh.

"The mole is more the friend of man than his enemy," a writer in Land and Water says. "His mission is to ventilate the soil which man has dug and trodden, to convert insects, worms, etc., into fertile mold."

A man in Utica believes he has rediscovered the lost art of violin making. He says that scientific principles and sound wood is the basis of it. A manufacturer offered him $10,000 for the secret, which he refused.

THE FASHIONS

Jerseys.

These are quite as popular as ever and certainly prettier than they ever were before. They are now worn with dress skirts. It is easy to get a skirt made of any color and style one wishes. Then instead of the tedious, painful, risky trying on of dress waists, and the aggravation of wrinkles and a bad fit after it is done, one need only buy a jersey to match the skirt. Top hats this when you wish to dress up, and lo! there you are. You have a handsome gown, good enough for the prettiest woman alive, with infinitely less trouble than if you had had a whole suit made. The cost is about the same—less, perhaps. There are skirts sold ready made adapted for jerseys. Both come in all colors and styles, from one for a baby girl or boy to that for a great grandmother. There are those woven with the finest skill, splendidly, in beads, braidings, tinsel, laces, ribbons, embroidery and everything that fancy can suggest. There are of all prices, to fit all purses. They make a woman look a better figure than anything else that was ever invented. Long live the jersey!

Bride in Mourning.

White tulle and also white China silk dresses have been worn lately by brides in mourning at a noon wedding. Those of tulle had the skirt front covered with clusters of three flat puffs separated by a puff doubled like a fan. The train was covered with large puffs, and the silk basque lining was covered with small pleats like tucks. The bride carried a prayer book with white cord. They make a woman look a better figure than anything else that was ever invented. Long live the jersey!

Novelties in Jewelry.

[From advance sheets of The Jewelers' Circular.]

The miniature "grandfather" clocks have proved quite popular in and about New York. These imitate in toy sizes the old tall clocks with a dial and pendulum, and are decidedly ornamental with their mahogany and rosewood cases.

The fashion is again in vogue for fancy rings, rings of unique design and showing small gems. Many of these designs are similar to those seen on scarf and ribbon pins. A wishbone of gold finished with tiny diamonds on either end, a crescent of small brilliants, a lady-bug with a gem for a body, are a few of the many patterns that appear in these lines.

For children's rings the turquoise is the favorite; it comes nearer to the shade of blue termed "baby blue" than any other stone. Blue enamel is also a popular decoration for children's jewelry, and consequently appears on pins, rings, earrings and buckles. A new design in earrings just out consists of a little forget-me-not enameled on gold, and having a tiny diamond in the centre. Finger-rings show the same floral patterns.

Decorative lamps continue to shed a subdued light in the drawing-rooms and vestibule of fashionable people. Lamps much prized by the exclusive are cameo ones, for these, being let out to wrought by hand, are therefore more to become common, and they cannot be sent cheap. Lamps perched high on deep vases or sideards are used in pairs, and while flank on either side of sliding doors, or at the end of long, narrow alley these are placed in halls, and again they are used in dining-rooms. For fastidious folk, who object to common oil, are imported French lamps arranged for burning rose water oil. It may be well to add that manufacturers and dealers generally give preference to the duplex burner for the lamps.

Since 1876, according to one authority, the manufacture of watches costing from $8 to $12 has increased a thousandfold. This is in consequence of the invention of the nickel case.

Painted Decorations.

Ladies who paint will doubtless be much interested to hear that prismatic bronze painting is now not only used for furniture decorating purposes, but has also entered into the service of fashion, which favors the idea of making painting serviceable for ornamenting articles of dress. Among the toilet appurtenances before us we can especially mention a painted satin fan, further short chemisette or waistcoat fronts made of lawn, and with collar and cuffs to match; also a peacock-blue velvet skirt tablier with plastron; a very rich and effective trimming, equally suitable for a visiting dress, or an elegant dechabille. The metallic luster of this peculiar kind yet in the execution easy style of painting, is doubly striking when seen by candle light. The different things can be purchased either completed or only sketched out and begun.

Men's Full Dress Vests.

[The Season.]

According to choice, gentlemen can wear to the indispensable black coat either a black or white waistcoat, the former made either of fine cloth, silk armure, or some other small design k patterned silk, and the latter exclusively of fine ribbed piqué. A shirt with front of the same pique and linen collar and cuffs is considered especially "pechutt" to this waistcoat. Young gentlemen wear a single button to their shirts, but this must be real gold, and can also be set with jewels; older gentlemen prefer three studs. The buttons used for the white waistcoat as well as the double cuff studs must match the shirt buttons.

Two or Three Novelties.

COURT TRAP AND HEAD COLLARS.

The illustration shows several popular novelties in the picture. The first to which we call attention is the turn-upon the head of the figure to the left. This is the celebrated Court trapping and beating cap. It is perhaps needless to say that it is, de facto, an article of millinery from Paris, but then "it's English, quite English, you know!" (One may perhaps venture to quote the line without risk of being entrapped in a lawsuit.) This fashionable headgear is worn constantly by ladies at the races in England, whether boating or walking. It is made of blue cloth of any kind. The trimming is braid to be laid in rows of gold, with a tassel to be worn forward to show the face.

The little dog's head collar around the neck of the lower ring the Court can does not really require any explanation, being sufficiently self-explanatory. It is merely put there to be admired, and is of that. It is, de facto, less pretty. It is composed of jet-like beads, which are threaded in many strings from one to seven on short tails of narrow ribbon, fixed at regular intervals to a dazzling collar of olive green satin. In fig. 2 the dazzling collar is covered with jet-like beads, ranging from it in a square collar-cape, made on the front and four shorter ones, two on each side of the middle one in front.

RUSSIAN WALKING DRESS.

A very stylish and tasteful walking costume was designed for this column by Redfern, the New York ladies' tailor. In the original drawing the suit is of a rare shade of fawn color. The skirt is of plain goods, the basque is of the same color, with narrow black stripes. The jaunty turban is made of folds of the striped cloth. The vest and cuffs are white, trimmed with black braid. The basque turns over in a fold at the breast and shows the white lining of cashmere or some such fabric. The course is the striking features in this costume is its elegant simplicity. This black breadths may be slightly draped, or left in box plaits, like the front, to suit the taste.

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